



Tommy J. Vogelpohl

November 27, 1957 - September 8, 2017

Thomas J. Vogelpohl, 59, of Benicia passed away Friday afternoon at his home following a 7 year courageous battle with cancer. He was born in Oakland, but Benicia has always been his home. Tommy worked as a project and site manager for Timec Corporation for more than 15 years.

Tommy graduated from Benicia High School in 1975 and excelled in both baseball and basketball. As a youth he played little league baseball, then Joe DiMaggio and finally for the Benicia Old Timers. He enjoyed camping, fishing, spending time with his family, watching westerns, taking trips to Lake Almanor and Butt Lake, rooting for the Giants and eating his favorite gummy bears. He was a gentle giant of a man and an inspiration to all that were lucky enough to have met him.

Tommy is survived by his wife Debbie ; sons Gene (Ashley), Jeremy (Joanna) & Justin (Krsitina) Wall; sisters Ann (Ron) Pearman and Joan (Ray) Segle; brothers John Patrick (Annie), Tim (Sharon), Danny (Sherry) and Jimmy Vogelpohl; his grandchild Everly Wall, numerous nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews, and his dog Marley. Thomas was preceded in death by his parents John (Jack) and Patricia (Patsy) Vogelpohl.

Visitation will be from 2-6 p.m. Thursday at Passalacqua Funeral Chapel. Vigil services will be held 7:00 p.m. Thursday at St. Dominic's Church. Mass of Christian Burial will be held 1:00 p.m. Friday at St. Dominic's Church. Burial will be private. Family prefers donations to St. Jude's Childrens Hospital.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **14.** 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Passalacqua Funeral Chapel
901 W Second Street
Benicia, CA 94510
(707) 745-3130
info@passalacquafuneralchapel.com
<https://www.passalacquafuneralchapel.com>

Vigil

SEP **14.** 7:00 PM (PT)

St. Dominic's Church
475 East I Street
Benicia, CA

Mass of Christian Burial

SEP **15.** 1:00 PM (PT)

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Benicia, CA

Tribute Wall



“ *Tommy J. Vogelpohl*

November 29, 2022 at 08:20 PM



“ *The Larsens Love Tom, Erin, Devin, Dylan & Kersten purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.*



The Larsens Love Tom, Erin, Devin, Dylan & Kersten -
September 15, 2017 at 12:22 PM



“ *Brian, Jaina, Will and Ian French purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.*



Brian, Jaina, Will and Ian French - September 15, 2017 at
11:24 AM



“ *Uncle Tommy was a sweet, kind soul who will be missed so much by everyone who knew him. A bright light that won't be forgotten!*
Brian, Jaina, Will and Ian French

Jaina and Brian French - September 15, 2017 at 11:18 AM

VI

“ Tommy those special memories of you will always bring a smile, and although you are no longer here...you will be forever in our heart until we meet again..Rest in peace my Dearest Tommy.

May God's love give peace and comfort to all, Barry and Victoria

Victoria - September 14, 2017 at 09:24 AM

DF

“ Darren Cole & Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.



Darren Cole & Family - September 13, 2017 at 09:01 AM

JG

“ Jackie & Gary purchased the Simply Elegant Spathephyllum for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.



Jackie & Gary - September 12, 2017 at 06:48 PM

JM

“ Jim and Nancy Marx purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.



Jim and Nancy Marx - September 12, 2017 at 12:34 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.*



September 11, 2017 at 10:07 PM



“ *Love The Laverty's purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.*



Love The Laverty's - September 11, 2017 at 06:22 PM



“ *Rays of Light Spray was purchased for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.*



September 10, 2017 at 11:10 PM



“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to the Vogelpohl family. We are so sorry to hear of Tommy's passing. He was always such an "upbeat" guy even when dealing with his illnesses these last few years. We will miss him.*

Love,

Jim and Nancy Marx

Nancy Marx - September 10, 2017 at 09:14 PM

GA

“ So sad to hear the passing of Tommy. He helped us countless times to realize how to go about life even in the face of devastating illness. Tom's strength and resolve will inspire me and my family forever. When the stress and frustrations of daily life will get the better of us we will always remember Tommy in his wheelchair with his calm and positive outlook on life straightening things out around his house and yard, or just taking Marley out for a walk. Just a huge inspiration of how to deal with adversity. What a good man, he will be greatly missed. RIP.
The Eichners

Gabriele - September 10, 2017 at 02:47 PM

WF

“ With Love, The Eichner Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.



With Love, The Eichner Family - September 10, 2017 at 12:52 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Tommy J. Vogelpohl.



September 10, 2017 at 09:12 AM