



Thomas Henry Thebes

September 19, 1929 - December 10, 2010

Thomas H. Thebes, 81, passed away on Friday December 10, 2010 in St. Luke's Hospital. He was born in Toledo on September 19, 1929 to Helen and Henry Thebes. Thomas was a graduate of Holy Cross Seminary, Notre Dame IN., St. Charles of Borromeo Seminary, Columbus OH., Naval Officers Candidate School, Newport RI., and completed his graduate studies at the University of Toledo with a Masters Degree in Business. He served his country honorably during the Korean War aboard the USS Butner, at The Pentagon, and the Naval Reserves (Amphibious Training) in Norfolk VA. Prior to his retirement, he was employed as an Executive of Marketing for 35 years at Owens Illinois (Libbey Glass). He was active in numerous Toledo organizations including the Parent Teachers Association at Ladyfield School, Athletic Board, parish council, and CYO basketball coach at Christ the King, served as the official football and basketball time keeper at St. Francis de Sales High School where he was honored for volunteering there for 33 years. He also taught Marriage courses at Blessed Sacrament and St. Clement Parishes. His memberships included the Knights of the Round Table, and formerly the Brandywine Country Club, and the Toledo Club. In his retirement he enjoyed substitute teaching in the Toledo Catholic School System. He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Geri Thebes; children, Thomas (Catherine) Thebes Jr. of McLean VA., Dr. Michael (Maureen) Thebes of Maumee OH., John (Lisa) Thebes of Sylvania OH., grandchildren, Molly Elizabeth, Thomas III, Andrew, Meghan, Michael Jr., Maggie, Tyler, Courtney,

Brian; sisters, Mary Margaret (Dr. Robert) Smith, Jane (John) Cannon of St. Petersburg FL., brother-in-law Michael (Carol) Konczal of Tontogoney, OH.; many nieces and nephews and best friend and former roommate at Notre Dame Rev. Patrick J. Sullivan, CSC of Boston. His family wishes to extend special thanks to Dr. Christopher Bates, Rev. William Rose, the office and athletic staff at St. Francis de Sales High School, Michael Kearney, and the nurses and doctors and St. Luke's Hospital Emergency Room. Friends are invited to visit from 2:00-8:00PM on Tuesday December 14, 2010 in the Ansberg-West Funeral Home, 3000 Sylvania Ave. where the Rosary will be recited at 7:00PM. Friends may also visit after 10:00AM on Wednesday at Christ the King Church where the Mass of the Resurrection will begin at 11:00AM. Interment in Resurrection Cemetery. Those wishing to make memorial contributions are asked to consider St. Francis de Sales High School.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Geri, John and Lisa and Family: Our deepest sympathies on the loss of your Husband, Father/Grandfather. Tom was a "fixture" at St. Joseph and St. Francis football and basketball games. He will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. Tom & Mary Jean McCarty*

Tom and Mary Jean McCarty - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GG

“ *My deepest condolences from the Lemle family on your loss. I personally have many fond memories from our childhood and Tom's involvement in our sports teams. This continued all the way to our adult softball games when he and Ron Dykas would take their spots on the right field line to observe, critique and support. These things do not go unnoticed, even by us big kids.*

Gary & Kim Lemle - glemle@bex.net glemle@bex.net - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ *Dr. Mike and Mrs. Thebes(Geri), So sorry to hear of the passing of your father and husband. I will miss seeing him walking in the neighborhood and handing out candy at Halloween. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers during this time.*

Katie Granata Dempsey - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ Dear Mike and John, I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of your father. It was always great to see him at the SFS door taking basketball tickets. Your dad always made you feel welcome and it was fun just to share a short story as he always made time. I'm sure he was a wonderful father as he raised some awfully good "Knights". Take care and God Bless. Kevin Szenderski "77"

Kevin Szenderski - kkmjski@aol.com kkmjski@aol.com - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Geri, I was so sorry to hear about Tom. As I am sure I mentioned when we were at the same bridge table years ago that I grew up in a house on Grantwood right in back of the Thebe's home. You have my sincerest sympathy, Geri and Bob & I will remember you in our prayers. Love, Midge

Midge Kranz - midgekranz@bex.net midgekranz@bex.net - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ Michael and John-- I am so sorry about the loss of your father-- please know you are in my thoughts and prayers and my regards and blessings to your family at this difficult time-- thinking of you Moe Devany

Maureen Devany - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM