



Timothy Toohey

June 7, 1950 - March 6, 2019

Tim Toohey, age 68, of Carroll, died Wednesday, March 6, 2019 at St. Anthony Regional Hospital in Carroll.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at St. John Paul II Parish – Holy Spirit Church in Carroll. The Celebrant will be Fr. Kevin Richter. Con-Celebrants will be Fr. Brian Feller, and Fr. Gary Snyder. Music will be by Jake Gute, Cantor, Jason Danielson, Pianist, and Becky Windschitl, Violinist. Lector will be Linda Toohey. Gift Bearers will be Doug Beach, and Chris Carlile. Eucharistic Minister will be Deb Gute. Honorary Casket Bearers will be Eric Hammer, Larry Behrens, Toby Steckler, and Joe Stipe. Casket Bearers will be Pat Greenwood, Patrick Toohey, Greg Danielson, Alvin Irlbeck, Rich Schenkelberg, and Scott Lampman.

Friends may call at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll, after 4 p.m. on Monday, where there will be a Christian Wake Service held at 6:30 p.m.

The casket will be moved to Holy Spirit Church on Tuesday morning, where visitation will resume from 9:30 a.m. to 10:15 a.m.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll, and online condolences may be left for Tim's family at www.sharpfuneral.com.

Tim, the son of John and Helen (Greenwood) Toohey was born on June 7, 1950 in Dubuque, Iowa. He grew up in Davenport, and graduated from Davenport Assumption Catholic High School in 1969. Tim then attended Palmer Junior College.

On November 23, 1973, Tim was united in marriage to Barb Burg at Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Carroll. The couple lived in Carroll, where Tim worked alongside his father-in-law, Leonard Burg with Bush Hog Equipment. Tim was assigned his own territory, and the family moved as Tim worked in several different territories as a sales manager. Later, he would become a sales manager for Hardi Sprayers moving to Bettendorf. In 2009, Tim

and Barb returned to Carroll where he worked for the parts department at Schenkelberg Implement in Carroll until his retirement in 2017.

After his retirement Tim found his “dream job” working as a courier for St. Anthony Hospital in Carroll. This was a position that had positive impacts for him, as well as everyone he interacted with. Tim served as a former Grand Knight of the Carroll Knights of Columbus, Eucharistic Minister for Holy Spirit Church, and St. Anthony Hospital, Past President of the Holy Spirit School Board, and volunteered his time with the N.O.D.A. (No One Dies Alone) Program at St. Anthony Hospital.

Tim was an avid Notre Dame Fan. He adored watching, supporting, and cheering on his children in all of their activities. He also enjoyed supporting his great-nieces, and great-nephews in their activities, as well as spending time with them and spoiling them whenever he could. Tim was a member of St. John Paul II Parish in Carroll.

Left to celebrate Tim’s life is his wife Barb Toohey of Carroll; daughter: Shannon Toohey and her husband Douglas Beach of San Francisco, CA; son: Ryan Toohey, and his Partner Chris Carlile, and her children: Tanner and Shelby, all of Iowa City; his beloved Irish Terrier, Murphy. Also surviving are his siblings: Thomas Toohey of Davenport, and Michael (Linda) Toohey of Kansas City, MO; his sisters-in-law: Kathie (Ron) Danielson of Des Moines, and Deb (Tim) Gute of Carroll; as well as many nieces, nephews, extended relatives, and many friends.

Tim was preceded in death by his parents, John and Helen Toohey; his parents-in-law: Leonard and Rose Mary Burg; and a sister-in-law: Carey Toohey.

In lieu of flowers or gifts Tim wished for donations to be made to: Kuemper Catholic High School Foundation and St. Anthony’s Regional Hospital Cancer Center.

Comments



“ Ryan,
I'm so sorry to hear about your dad. You and your family are in my thoughts.
-Megan Fernholz

Megan Fernholz - July 22, 2019 at 11:39 PM



“ Barb
Our condolences to you and your family.
Steve and Sue Seidl

Steve Seidl - March 12, 2019 at 08:51 AM



“ Barb, Shannon and Ryan,
I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. Tim was always such a nice guy to be around many years ago and I hear not much changed. God bless you guys!

Scott Greving - March 11, 2019 at 06:00 PM



“ Heavenly Sentiments Spray was purchased for the family of Timothy Toohey.



March 11, 2019 at 01:49 PM



“ Although we only met Tim a few times, he was so warm, funny and welcoming that we looked forward to getting to know him better. Thanks to Shannon and Doug, we knew we were becoming part of a wonderful family. Our hearts go out to the whole family.

- Douglas Beach & Lynne Carlson

Lynne Carlson - March 11, 2019 at 01:18 PM



“ Barb and family: We were so sorry to learn of Tim's passing. He was a kind and gentle man who had a smile for everyone. May happy memories help heal your broken hearts.

Wes & CJ Niles

Wes & CJ Niles - March 11, 2019 at 12:30 PM



“ Claudia Christensen lit a candle in memory of Timothy Toohey



Claudia Christensen - March 11, 2019 at 10:13 AM



“ Barb, Shannon and Ryan, You know how important you all are to me. I was shocked when Mom called me with the news. I adored Tim as I love and adore all of you. My heart just breaks with this news. May God be with you and bless you during this difficult time. Love to all, Toddie

Claudia Christensen - March 11, 2019 at 10:12 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Timothy Toohey.



March 10, 2019 at 05:52 PM



“ Barb and family you have my sympathy, Lou Leiting



Lou Leiting - March 10, 2019 at 05:45 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Timothy Toohey.



March 10, 2019 at 03:00 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Timothy Toohey.



March 10, 2019 at 11:38 AM



“ Kristi-Schuler Jorgensen lit a candle in memory of Timothy Toohey



Kristi-Schuler Jorgensen - March 09, 2019 at 02:52 PM



“ Sorry to hear Tim passing ! Tim was a friend and a great guy played lots of softball KCs with us! Barb you have our sympathy.
Jerry n Reen Rupiper

jerry rupiper - March 09, 2019 at 12:44 PM



“ Matt, Mary Catherine, Jim and families purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Timothy Toohey.



Matt, Mary Catherine, Jim and families - March 09, 2019 at 11:29 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy to your entire family. We are former classmates of Tim. We attended pre Cana instructions with you and Tim 45 years ago. May you have the love and support of family and friends at this time.

Joann Ehrecke - March 09, 2019 at 11:19 AM



“ Barb, Shannon & Ryan & Toohey Family ~ I am so very, very sorry to hear about Tim. My deepest condolences to all of you. That mischievous grin, those 'sparkly' blue eyes of his, the shenanigans, Baby Blue, Finnegan, your wedding, St Patrick's Day get-togethers... My heart goes out to all of you.

He will be missed. But oh the memories he gave us! Hold them close to your heart. He was one of a kind. You were his pride & joy. RIP, my friend.

Marianne Engelmann - March 09, 2019 at 12:27 PM



“ Barb, Shannon, & Ryan: Our sympathy to you during this difficult time. Jerry and Sheryl Frehse

Sheryl Frehse - March 11, 2019 at 04:10 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Tim's passing. I met his father Jack at a family reunion a number of years ago. My sympathy. Mary Toohey Garrison

Mary Toohey Garrison - March 13, 2019 at 01:52 PM



“ The Doyle Cousins purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Timothy Toohey.



The Doyle Cousins - March 09, 2019 at 10:30 AM



“ Barb and family,
So sorry to hear of Tim's untimely death.
What a good guy, a crazy "fun-loving" guy, a quite but gentle man that brought smiles to one's face.

What a privilege it was to know Tim. He will be missed.

A "faithful servant" has been called "Home".

May the God of comfort and healing embrace you and hold you close.

Peg Scheidt/Joleen Mooney

Peg Scheidt - March 09, 2019 at 08:06 AM



“ Brian Conrath family, Chris, Jen, Dustin and kids purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Timothy Toohey.



Brian Conrath family, Chris, Jen, Dustin and kids - March 08, 2019 at 05:07 PM



“ Barb and family,
We are so sorry to hear of Tim's passing. Tim was a great supporter of all New Hope events and mission. We will certainly feel his absence. We are thinking of you and your family and sending you our prayers - New Hope Governing and Foundation Board and New Hope staff.

Rhonda Mart - March 08, 2019 at 04:30 PM



“ Sorry to hear about Tim's death. He was a classmate of Tom's and mine at AHS class of 1969. Thoughts and prayers are with your family. Patty Klee

Patty K Schmitt - March 08, 2019 at 03:13 PM



“ Hi Barb---My sympathy to you and your family. Your family and you will be in my prayers during my weekend masses. You and Tim were such a great pair and did so much for the community and Kuemper. His Lent has ended and he has found the Resurrected Lord. May he now be at peace as we continue our Lent. God Bless Fr. Merlin

Fr. Merlin Schrad - March 08, 2019 at 01:44 PM



“ Tim Toohey Toohey, things wont be the same without your smiling face and bright eyes when talking "dog" . May you RIP. Barb Shannon and Ryan find peace in the days ahead- God Bless. Darcy Dailey

Darcy - March 08, 2019 at 01:22 PM



“ Dear Barb, Shannon, and Ryan,

We were saddened to hear the news. Although I was the youngest Toohey on Oak Lane, I have many memories of Tim, his siblings and his parents. May the many great memories of Tim help comfort you during this difficult time. You continue to be in our prayers and thoughts.

Jim, Cathy, Erin and Andrew Toohey

Jim Toohey - March 08, 2019 at 01:10 PM



“ Tim and I were very close in age and appearance. Tim often came to Farley in the summer when we were kids. One day he's walking down the street by himself and met some guys from town who thought he was me. He assured them he was not, but they wouldn't accept his word and wanted to beat him up! Unfortunately for them, Tim whipped some Davenport moves on them. My friends became his friends and our town and family was forever changed for the better by Tim's friendship.

Prayers and deepest sympathy to Barb, Shannon and Ryan on your untimely loss.

Love, Michele and Pat Greenwood and family

Michele and Pat Greenwood and family - March 08, 2019 at 11:41 AM



“ Dear Barb, Shannon, and Ryan,

Just heard the news about Tim!! Our deepest condolences and our hearts go out to you in your time of sorrow. As I reflect back on our memories... I always loved our family get togethers when Ryan and my brother, Tim, were wrestling in high school and we all went to State for the Wrestling Championship. What fun that was!! Tim will greatly be missed!! Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers!! Sending love and hugs to you all!!

Love,
Deborah Matthys Reschke

Deborah Matthys Reschke - March 08, 2019 at 11:10 AM



“ Dear Barb Shannon and Ryan,

Our deepest condolences to all of you. I have many happy memories of times spent with Tim, especially the "Oak Lane years". I am so sorry I can't be there for the services, but I am keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers. May the deep love he had for you bring you comfort during this difficult time. Rest in peace, dear Tim!

Love,
Mary Catherine and family

Mary Catherine Gerlach - March 08, 2019 at 10:20 AM



“ Barb, Shannon and Ryan

We are saddened to hear of Tim's passing. Having spent my formative years living on the same block I have many fond memories of Tim, his brothers and his parents. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of grief. May fond memories provide you with strength and comfort. May God grant you peace.
Matt Toohey and family.

Matt Toohey - March 08, 2019 at 09:29 AM



“ The Rogers Family purchased the Divine Light for the family of Timothy Toohey.



The Rogers Family - March 08, 2019 at 09:23 AM



“ Barb, Shannon, and Ryan

You are in our thoughts and prayers. I always enjoyed running into Tim and listening to his words of wisdom. He was my first golf partner for Men's golf on the Bush Hog team. I think we had the highest handicaps in the league. Our deepest condolences.

Paul and Tam Milligan

Paul - March 08, 2019 at 09:04 AM



“ Barb and family,

I am sincerely sorry for your loss. Tim and I worked together out at Schenkelberg's. He always had words of wisdom and great stories! He loved telling me about your trips and I loved his smile and bright eyes. Such a great guy and great memories, may the Lord be with you and your family during this time of sorrow.

Randi Myer

Randi Myer - March 08, 2019 at 08:51 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Timothy Toohey.



March 07, 2019 at 07:48 PM



“ Randy Boell lit a candle in memory of Timothy Toohy



Randi Boell - March 07, 2019 at 06:09 PM



“ Barb and family,
I'm so deeply sorry for your loss. Right now I have no words to ease your pain, but know that I am thinking of you. May God give you the strength and encouragement to get through this difficult time. I am praying with and for you. I am always here for you if there is anything I can do.

Deepest sympathies,

Randi Boell & family

Randi Boell - March 07, 2019 at 06:28 PM



“ Barb, Ryan, Shannon, our thoughts to you and family. What a nice man. We always enjoyed a chuckle or two while together. And a cigar!
Bob and Brenda Rausch

Bob Rausch - March 07, 2019 at 06:08 PM



“ Barb and family-
Very sorry to hear of Tim's passing. As you know, Tim and I went to high school together, only to find out later, that he married a Carroll girl and I married a Carroll boy. I remember his great sense of humor and he always had a story to tell. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.
Debbie Dobesh Wille

Debbie Wille - March 07, 2019 at 04:09 PM



“ Tim, you dirty dog you...we are sure going to miss you and that personality of yours. I was so blessed to work with you for many years; after Schenkelberg's you just couldn't help but follow me to the hospital :) We had so many laughs and good conversations. You were the Steve Martin lookalike. May you Rest in Peace my friend.

Barb, Ryan, & Shannon – my heart aches for you. Tim loved being a husband and father. He was one of the best storytellers I know. I pray God wraps his loving arms around you and comforts you. I pray he gives you the strength to endure the days, weeks, and months ahead.

Murph, you are definitely "Barb's dog" now, take good care of her.

Deepest Sympathies ~ April & Ben Tigges

April Tigges - March 07, 2019 at 03:03 PM



“ I just had the honor of meeting Tim recently. He always had a sparkle in his eyes and a smile on his face. Barb and family, you have my deepest condolences. Cindy Lawler

Cindy Lawler - March 07, 2019 at 12:25 PM



“ Praying for you all. I will remember Tim's laugh and sense of humor. May God restore comfort, peace, and joy to your family.

Sara Skinner

Sara - March 07, 2019 at 11:10 AM



“ April Tigges lit a candle in memory of Timothy Toohey



April Tigges - March 07, 2019 at 11:00 AM