



Thomas Gerald Bacon

July 23, 1942 - November 9, 2024

Thomas Gerald Bacon 7/23/1942-11/09/2024

Thomas Gerald Bacon, 82 years old, was born in Ware, MA. He resided with his wife, Gail Holland Bacon, Near Millington, MD.

Thomas retired from the Army as Command Sergeant Major in 1983. During his career, he served with the Special Force's Groups, worldwide, and two tours in Vietnam, a tour in Laos and a tour in Thailand. Mr. Bacon was employed with NASA at Goddard Space Flight Center for 17 years and Northrop Grumman for 15 years. Upon retirement, his passion was shooting trap and skeet.

Thomas was a devoted husband and truly loved his children, grandchild and extended family. He was always so friendly and never met a stranger.

Funeral services are pending. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the American Kidney Foundation, 11921 Rockville Pike, Suite 300, Rockville, MD 20852.

Tribute Wall

DJ

“ I'm surprised that he passed way and I never had a clue or anyone That I know who new him know that he passed away. I worked with Tom for over 18 years at NASA (Flight Dynamic) and he was my Manager. He was a good person and very strict and his leadership was great. I met his wife and his two Daughter Kelly and I don't remember the other daughter name. His wife Gail was also a very nice person. I spoke with him four years ago and I mention I would visit and then COVID came along and I never get the chance. Today I was looking for him and now I found out he passed away in 2024. My appreciation and sympathy goes out to his family. I remember he told me that Knowledge is Power. Again he was tough but fair may you rest in Peace Tommy (he told me me that how his Mother call him) Dennis James

Dennis James - January 22 at 05:44 PM

LO

“ I'm really surprised I didn't read anybody he worked with at NASA replied. All must not have known about his passing. I was only 22 when I started working for Tom at the FDF. Looking back, I'm sure glad he was my boss. He taught me how to mix his leadership from the military into the job as a civilian. After 11 years working for Tom, I moved on and eventually worked my way up the ladder with Lockheed. My one regret was not finding Tom and thanking him for making this possible. And wishing I could remind him about us disagreeing about how many reems of paper his new truck could carry. BTW...my estimate was right and his estimate caused his new shocks to bust...his face was priceless.

LouDiBartolomeo - August 22, 2025 at 10:20 PM

DA

“ Tom was one of the good ones, he will be missed by his friends.
"I will miss him."

Dave Axsom

David Axsom - December 04, 2024 at 07:07 PM

MG

“ Tom always had a friendly kind wood when I would cross over to visit. There were always popsicles in the garage that he would offer when he stopped doing the never ending outdoor stuff. I considered him my best friend in the neighborhood and will miss his laughter and good humor. Mark Gradecak

Mark Gradecak - December 01, 2024 at 08:35 PM

BS

“ Tom was a wonderful person and I loved him dearly. He is the last to carry the Bacon name and I wish I had seen him more often. Tom I was very pro ud of you as a soldier, husband, father and Grandfather. Babara J Bacon Smith

Barbara J (Bacon) Smith - December 01, 2024 at 08:29 PM

EB

“ I so much enjoyed our time together shooting at the club and all the conversations we had which always ended with good advice. My sincere condolences and my thoughts and prayers to all of you at this most difficult time.

Eric Brown - November 27, 2024 at 05:59 PM

RH

“ *Being an old sailor, I enjoyed Tom's recount of his time in the Navy, along with his many other memories. Myself, and all his friends, will surely miss him.*

ronald g huff - November 27, 2024 at 07:54 AM

JB

“ *Tom was a wonderful person and always enjoyed sharing a laugh. He will be dearly missed at the DFGA Shooting Club.*

Jeff and Phoebe Bird

Jeff and Phoebe Bird - November 26, 2024 at 08:08 PM

AM

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of his passing, keeping Mrs. Gail and family in my thoughts.*



Alyssa Redding Matthews - November 26, 2024 at 07:58 PM

DW

“ *Tom was a wonderful neighbor and always willing to help at any time--He even enjoyed Mishka--We will truly miss him--Karen & Dave Van Wyck*

Dave Van Wyck - November 24, 2024 at 07:58 PM

JT

“ We are very sorry to learn of Tom's passing and are keeping Gail and their family in our thoughts. It was a joy to have known Tom and we cherish all of the memories we shared along the way.
Bobby, Justin, Artie & Joe

Justin Taylor - November 20, 2024 at 01:34 PM

DF

“ *Dana Fellows lit a candle in memory of Thomas Gerald Bacon*



Dana Fellows - November 18, 2024 at 09:58 PM

GW

“ *Gene & Gloria Wiest lit a candle in memory of Thomas Gerald Bacon*



Gene & Gloria Wiest - November 16, 2024 at 07:59 PM

EQ

“ *Condolences to the Bacon family and friends.*



Evelyn Quigley - November 16, 2024 at 12:56 PM

RS

“ *Rev. Carol Svecz lit a candle in memory of Thomas Gerald Bacon*



Rev. Carol Svecz - November 15, 2024 at 11:25 AM

MF

“ *Marty Freeman lit a candle in memory of Thomas Gerald Bacon*



Marty Freeman - November 15, 2024 at 09:47 AM

MF

Sending Love and Prayers to Gail and Family Blessings to all

Marty Freeman - November 15, 2024 at 09:48 AM

KH

“ *Our whole family had the upmost respect for Tom. He served his country valiantly, adapted to new careers with ease and was a great brother-in-law, and uncle. We always valued his ready sense of humor. We have a hole in our family now, but we will see Tom on the other side. Tom will always live in our hearts. Our sincere condolences to Gail, Lisa, Kelly & family. Ken, Linda & family*



Ken & Linda Holland - November 13, 2024 at 04:11 PM

SJ

“ *My sincere condolences to the Bacon Family. I am keeping Gail and the children in prayer.* ”



Suzanne Jackson - November 13, 2024 at 09:34 AM

DJ

“ *Darlene & Sam Johnston lit a candle in memory of Thomas Gerald Bacon* ”



Darlene & Sam Johnston - November 13, 2024 at 08:31 AM

FL

“ *I am very sorry for your loss.* ”



Frank Legg - November 12, 2024 at 06:59 PM