



Thomas Howard Cox

May 15, 1946 - November 16, 2023

Thomas Howard Cox, age 77, peacefully passed away surrounded by his loved ones on Thursday, November 16, 2023. Tom was born on May 15, 1946, in Cleveland, Ohio and was preceded in death by his father, Clarence "Pete" Cox, mother Beatrice Cox and brother Doug Cox.

He is survived by his loving wife of 53 years, Linda Cox (Calarco), and daughters Lisa Cappetta, Michelle Cappetta, Jamie (Greg) Wilson and Patricia (Mark) Kovacevich. He was the proud papa to his four grandchildren Michael, Samantha, Allie and Abby. He was a caring uncle and cherished friend to all who will be greatly missed.

Tom was a U.S. Navy veteran who served during the Vietnam era. He was stationed in many locations around the world, but talked most about his time in Greenland and Iceland. Upon returning from the military he took a job with General Electric in Cleveland and retired after over 30 years. After retirement, Tom and Linda spent their golden years at their beautiful home overlooking Lake Erie. Tom enjoyed being active and outdoors with his favorite pastimes being golf and fishing, but his most treasured moments were spent with family and friends. He was a patient, kind, thoughtful and funny man who brought a sense of love and security to everyone he met.

Visitation for Thomas Cox will be held on Monday, November 20, 2023 from

11 am - 1 pm with services immediately following at Monreal Srnick Funeral Home, 35400 Curtis Blvd., Eastlake, Ohio. Burial to follow at Willoughby Memorial Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Alzheimer's Association, Cleveland Area Chapter, 23205 Commerce Park Rdd., #300, Beachwood, Ohio 44122.

Previous Events

Burial

NOV **20** (ET)

Willoughby Memorial Gardens
38650 Lakeshore Blvd
Willoughby, OH 44094

Tribute Wall

PB

“ So sorry to hear of Tom's passing. I worked with Tom for 13 years at Nela Park. His sense of humor made going to work fun! I'd heard many stories from him about his family and lake house, thank you for sharing the video.

Peter Brown - January 19, 2025 at 09:24 AM

JM

“ Devasted to hear of Tom's passing. 6 years of memories that inspired me to buy their Lake home. Tom and Linda's love was beautiful and unbreakable. I always joked that Tom would outlive us all.... I own their best friend's, Mike and Jean's, lake home, as well as Tom and Linda's. I imagine Mike, Jean and Tom are sitting on the Lake having a party and waiting for Linda to join them one day. I bet that will be a glorious party! Rest well , Tom.



Jenna M.Catrone - January 19, 2024 at 04:17 PM

RW

“ This is a wonderful obit so loving. I feel the terrible loss for the family.
Linda is my first cousin . Her Mom (Frances)and my Dad (Joseph Cuccia) were brother&sister.
Your Dad Tom was always regarded as a great family man. Now all these memories can be cherished forever. Please accept my real sorrow . Xo Rosalyn Cuccia Worthing

Rosalyn Worthing - November 27, 2023 at 07:09 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Memory Video*



Monreal Srnick Funerals & Cremations - November 19, 2023 at 05:21 PM

RK

“ *Our deepest sympathy, Patty. Rick & Cheryl. I knew your dad from Nela Park*

Rick Kastelic - November 19, 2023 at 03:01 PM



“ *Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Thomas Howard Cox.*



November 19, 2023 at 10:31 AM

TN

“ *To the Cox family, I am sorry to hear about your loss.*

Tony Ozello, Doug & Lindy's neighbor - November 18, 2023 at 07:19 AM

LM

“ *I was so sad to see this and I'm sorry for your loss. Hugs thoughts and prayers to all. RIP Tom, thank you for everything to make our childhood great.*



Lyn Merz - November 18, 2023 at 04:56 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas Howard Cox.*



November 17, 2023 at 03:20 PM



“ *Trillium Driver Solutions planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas Howard Cox.*

Trillium Driver Solutions - November 17, 2023 at 03:20 PM