



Mr. Thomas Francis Maier

January 1, 1927 - April 25, 2019

Tom was born in Brooklyn, NY on January 1, 1927 to Lawrence Maier and Clara Rickert, and died April 25, 2019. He was the youngest of four children; John, Al, Helen and Tom, who was often called “Sonny” by his older siblings. He left high school at 17 to join the Merchant Marines and served from 1944 to 1947 in both the European and Pacific Theater on the transport ship USS Thomas H. Barry. The Barry transported war materials, nurses and war brides. His father died on Father’s Day, 1945, when both Tom and his brother Al were overseas. After Tom’s tour of service, he obtained his GED and did odd jobs in carpentry. He also worked as a window dresser for Sears Roebuck before joining Eastman Kodak.

Tom met the love of his life, Dorothy (Dotty), at a dance in Bay Ridge, NY. They were married in September 1952. He was employed by Eastman Kodak for 37 years, first in the repair department and then as a Technical Sales Rep in the tri-state area. Tom and Dot started their ever-expanding family in Brooklyn, and then moved to Pompton Plains, NJ in 1966. They lived there until 1985 when Tom was transferred to Atlanta. They made their home in Roswell, Ga. Tom retired in 1987 and spent his time woodworking and working on his latest home improvement project. He was also an avid surf and fresh water fisherman, a passion he shared with his sons and sons-in-law. He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Dorothy B. (nee Cole) Maier. He was preceded in death by his oldest child, Clare Maier Aquino. He is survived by his remaining eight children; Lawrence Maier (Lucia) of Madison, Tenn., Mary

Liotta (Ray) of Hillsborough, NJ, Peg Odenthal (Joe) of Leonardtown, MD, Thomas Maier (Pat) of Ocean Township, NJ, James Maier (Ann) of Pompton Plains, NJ, William Maier (Madeline) of Pompton Plains, NJ, Dorothy Gould (Terry) of Marietta, GA, and Michael Maier (Katharine) of Middletown, CT, nineteen grandchildren and one great grandson. Tom and Dot were founding members of St Peter Chanel Catholic Church in Roswell, Ga. The family would like to thank the amazing caregivers and staff of Skilled Nursing at St. George Village for their compassionate care over the last 18 months. In lieu of flowers, please send contributions to Habitat for Humanity or North Fulton Charities.

Cemetery Details

Georgia National Cemetery

1080 Scott Hudgens Dr
Canton, GA 30114
(770) 479-9300

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 30. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Peter Chanel Catholic Church
11330 Woodstock Road
Roswell, GA

Mass

APR 30. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Graveside Service

MAY 1. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Thomas Francis Maier*

October 08, 2022 at 11:37 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier.*



April 29, 2019 at 07:23 PM



“ *With Distinction was purchased for the family of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier.*



April 29, 2019 at 11:54 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier.*



April 29, 2019 at 10:22 AM



“ Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier.



April 29, 2019 at 09:58 AM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier.



April 29, 2019 at 09:26 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier.



April 28, 2019 at 02:51 PM



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Peg Maier Odenthal - April 27, 2019 at 01:15 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier.*



April 27, 2019 at 11:52 AM



“ *Mike lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier*



mike - April 27, 2019 at 11:03 AM



“ *Our hearts are with you all and especially you, Dotty. Our first and lasting impression of Tom was a humble, gentle, loving man when he quickly enfolded Katharine into his heart with so many of you already there.*

Please know you are in our prayers as you lay your dear Father to rest and as you gather together to remember the joyous times and as you mourn your great loss.

Love to each of you,

Jim and Kathie Owens

Owens - April 27, 2019 at 10:06 AM

MC

“ *Mary Lou Carter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier*



Mary Lou Carter - April 27, 2019 at 08:25 AM

MC

My condolences to the Maier family. You all will be in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time and in the days to come. Special hugs and love to your mom.

Mary Lou Carter - April 27, 2019 at 08:27 AM

MM

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Mike Maier - April 26, 2019 at 09:43 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier.*



April 26, 2019 at 07:55 PM

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“ *Peg Maier Odenthal lit a candle in memory of Mr. Thomas Francis Maier*



Peg Maier Odenthal - April 26, 2019 at 07:17 PM