



Henry Aloycius McGough

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Henry A. McGough left us March 31st to be with his Lord. He was surrounded in love with his family and dear friends by his side. He was born December 19, 1949 in Abington, PA, the sixth child of seven. His parents were Francis J. and Inez (Rhodes) of Philadelphia. He has been a resident of Sussex County for over 20 years.

His joy was his grandchildren and crabbing adventures with them in his boat, "McGoofy". He was a family man, loved cooking, playing board games and shuffleboard, and telling funny stories to his grandchildren. He was so proud of his four children, Lisa, Michael (Stefanie), Adam Schmidt and Michelle (Chris) Simrak. His grandchildren, Thomas, Abigail, Alexandra, Alicia, Jessica, and John.

He loved his job at the Boys & Girls Club and was responsible for the safety, maintenance and compliance for 45 buildings in the state of Delaware. He worked his job up to the final moments worrying about loose ends not completed.

He is survived by his wife, Ann, which he loved to the moon and back. He loved traveling with her. He is also survived by his sister, Francine Felton. Deceased brothers Leo, Frank, Gerry McGough and sisters Inez Brown and Barbara McElhaney.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to his favorite charities, Wounded Warriors, USO or Paralyzed Veterans of America. The family would also like to thank very special friends, Michelle and Dave Ebbeson for being there for Henry and all of us during this difficult time.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Tuesday, April 15, 2025 at 11:00 AM at St. Jude the Apostle Church, 152 Tulip Drive, Lewes, DE, where friends may visit beginning at 10:00 AM. A celebration of his life and luncheon will follow the mass in the church hall. Interment will be private.

Please sign the virtual guestbook located on the tribute page.



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FLORIST NOTE: PLEASE DELIVER ALL ARRANGEMENTS BY 3:00 PM ON MONDAY, APRIL 14, 2025, TO OUR LEWES LOCATION.




Events


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Visitation

 **Tuesday**, April 15, 2025

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET


 **St. Jude The Apostle Catholic Church**
152 Tulip Drive, Lewes DE



Mass of Christian Burial

 **Tuesday**, April 15, 2025

 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET

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TW

Tony Windsor lit a candle in honor of Henry.

Henry was a true warrior for Boys & Girls Clubs of Delaware. He was able to manage the maintenance needs of our many sites across the state and provide valuable insight on capital projects and grant applications. I had the honor of working with him on several projects and he was nothing less than a professional, extraordinarily gifted gentleman. Thank you to the family for sharing Henry with us at B&G Clubs. His legacy will be evident for years to come. Prayers and condolences to Henry's family.



April 15 at 6:38 AM

TP

The Palmers planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Henry.



April 14 at 6:48 AM

TP

The Palmers sent an Enchanted Cottage to the McGough family.



April 14 at 6:48 AM

RF

Res Family lit a candle in honor of Henry.

Dear Ann, It is hard to find the words right now, but please know that your Rehoboth Elementary School family is praying for you and honoring memories of your beloved Henry. Some of us only saw him a few times, but we all recall the daily telephone check-ins that he made to his beloved Ann. Your love story was inspiring. We recall the gentle care that he provided when you were not feeling well. He was just a phone call away. We also recall the care and concern that you gave right back to him in his time of need. May God provide strength as you honor his beautiful life story and the days to come. Hugs.



April 13 at 11:32 AM

SM

Shawn, Joanne, Bryce & Lucas McGough sent a Beautiful Dreams to the McGough family.



April 13 at 9:08 AM



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Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Henry.

April 11 at 9:48 AM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the McGough family.

April 11 at 9:48 AM



Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Henry.

April 8 at 5:15 PM



Anonymous sent an Arrive in Style to the McGough family.

April 8 at 5:15 PM



Anonymous planted a grove of 3 Memorial Trees in honor of Henry.

April 8 at 4:30 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the McGough family.

April 8 at 4:26 PM





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AS

Araceli Stack lit a candle in honor of Henry.



April 5 at 8:47 PM

KB

Kevin Burns posted:

Rest in Peace Uncle Hen.You put up with a lot of our cr*p as kids. It's been alot of years since we last saw each other, but you were always remembered. Love you man.Kevin Burns

April 4 at 2:11 PM

MA

Mary Beth D'amico lit a candle in honor of Henry.



April 2 at 2:58 PM

SM

Shawn Mcgough posted:

I have many fond memories of Uncle Hen. I can remember when he made a batch of homemade soft pretzels for us. It was at his house by the train tracks, maybe 30 years ago. He was so proud when we liked them. I thought he was a baker! That day stuck with me. It's how I'll always remember him—kind, warm, and happy to share something special.

April 2 at 9:12 AM

VH

Valerie Hufnagle posted:

You were an amazing Uncle. Always fun. Fond memories of you and Aunt Deen taking Gery, Denise and I to Expo 67 in Canada, my Dad taking the Uncles hunting upstate at Grammy and Pappy's, Friday night card games with your friends at Mom mom's. I will miss you.

April 2 at 4:02 AM

KM

Kevin Monaghan lit a candle in honor of Henry.



April 1 at 5:50 PM



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Doris Person lit a candle in honor of Henry.



April 1 at 1:20 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Henry by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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