



Thomas Charles Wooding

September 25, 1931 - March 26, 2019

Thomas "Tom" Charles Wooding, age 87 of Harbor Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Lewes, DE, passed away on Tuesday, March 26, 2019 at Delaware Hospice in Milford, DE. He was born on September 25, 1931 in Upper Darby, PA, son of the late Clark and Ruth Wooding.

Tom started his career at the Philadelphia Gas Works where he met his future wife, Marjorie (Marge) Berryman. They married on October 13, 1956. In 1968, Tom and Marge moved to Greensburg, PA, where Tom was employed by Kennametal, Inc. In 1983, the couple moved to Lewes, DE and were the co-proprietors of Wooding's Beach Deli. Tom was a loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend. He was loved by many and will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

In addition to his parents, Tom was preceded in death by his wife Marge; his brother Clark; and his son-in-law, David C. Shannon. He is survived by his daughter, Elizabeth A. Shannon of McDonald, PA; his son, Henry "Harry" C. Wooding (Laura Scharp) of Wilmington, DE; his daughter Diane L. Vickers (Edwin) of Milton, DE; and his grandsons: Andrew D. Shannon, Eric W. Shannon, Thomas H. Wooding, and Patrick J. Wooding.

All services will be private.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in Tom's memory may be made to Doggone Happy Animal Rescue at www.doggonehappyde.com.

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Comments



“ Our thoughts and prayers to the Wooding Family from John Yore and Family. Peace.

John Yore - May 20 at 10:58 PM



“ Harry and family,
We are so very sorry to hear of Tom's passing. As you know he and Marge were like family to ours and we always felt welcomed in the store as family. I think we even borrowed some pots and pans from time to time.

Although my time working there was brief I will never forget the lessons learned, including how to properly wrap a sandwich. He never raised his voice and calmly walked me through how to make the sandwich "right". He and Marge were my first "bosses" and it was hard to top their patience and kindness.

Even after moving away I could stop in and Tom would stop and ask how everyone was and he made you feel welcome despite the time that may have passed.

Please take comfort in the fact that Tom was more than a "boss", a "merchant" he was a true friend to our family. I think of him often and the lessons he taught me about how a smile and a hello can make the difference in someone's day.

Garrick Weaver - April 01 at 03:50 PM



“ Dear Harry, Elizabeth and family. I was sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. I never met him but anyone who was a friend of animal rescue is to be admired. Deepest condolences to all.

Kerry and Bernadette OHagen

Kerry OHagen - March 29 at 07:30 AM



“ Condolences and prayers to the family. We loved both your folks at the Beach Deli!

Marcia Chupp - March 29 at 07:02 AM



“ Tom, you were an friend and co worker at Kennametal as well as a devoted family man with your dear departed Marge. D.Gibson

Richard Gibson - March 29 at 12:42 AM



“ Harry , So very sorry too hear of your loss. You know how we feel about you and the boys Love you. Bob and Gloria

The millers - March 28 at 01:37 PM