



Peter E. Tomkiel

October 8, 1949 - July 22, 2013

TOMKIEL, PETER E.

Age 63, a resident of Albuquerque since 1990, died Monday, July 22, 2013. He is survived by his spouse, Kathleen of Albuquerque; children, Wendy Benes and husband, Chris of Peoria, AZ, Laura Anderson and husband, Larry of Albuquerque, and Christine Dulaney and husband, Mitch of Olathe, KS; grandchildren, Ellen, Ashley, Cole, Taylor, Peter, Wade and Brody; and step-father, Roger Thompson of Meriden, CT. Peter was preceded in death by his mother, Teresa; father, Edward; brother, Eddie; and granddaughter, Kaitlyn. Peter retired from the United States Air Force in 1990, serving his country proudly from Vietnam through the Persian Gulf. A family burial will take place at the National Cemetery in Santa Fe, NM on Friday, August 16, 2013. There will be a Celebration of Life Reception for friends and family at FRENCH – Westside following the burial from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Please visit our online guestbook for Peter at www.FrenchFunerals.com.

FRENCH - Westside
9300 Golf Course Rd NW
505-897-0300

Cemetery Details

Santa Fe National Cemetery

Santa Fe, NM

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG **16**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (MT)

FRENCH Funerals - Cremations (Golf Course)

9300 Golf Course Rd NW

Albuquerque, NM 87114

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Tribute Wall

PJ

“ Dear Kathy and Family:

You are all in my thoughts and prayers, I am sorry for your loss. I never spend a Christmas Eve without remembering my Mother, Father, Terry and myself setting up the Christmas tree for Peter. Terry wanted Peter to think that Santa Claus put the tree up, so, we would wait until he was asleep before we put it up. Then Terry would put all his presents under the tree. The joy on his face was wonderful to see.

May you find peace and comfort in your memories of Peter, and knowing that he is in heaven with his family.

Love,

Patricia Johnson (Petie)

Patricia Johnson - August 14, 2013 at 06:56 PM

DL

“ Dear Kathy and Family

On behalf of the LeGrand family we wish to express our deepest sympathies. We have many fond memories of the fun we had with Peter when we were younger. He always took the time to have fun with us. We very much enjoyed the time he stayed with us, although us waking him up with a bugle call may not have been fun for him. Again our deepest sympathies to all of you.

*Dan & Doreen
Ellen & Charlie LeGrand
and Charlie LeGrand Jr.*

Dan LeGrand - August 13, 2013 at 01:59 PM

DS

“ Kathy, Laura and family. I am so very sorry for your loss. I hope your memories will bring you comfort in these difficult times. I know Peter will continue to live in your hearts. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Dianne Sutton

Dianne Sutton - August 13, 2013 at 08:48 AM



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“ Dear Kathy, Children and Grandchildren, The Davitt family will be thinking and praying for you all. It seems like just yesterday, I would spend some summer weeks babysitting for Peter at the Short Beach cottage. He would always ask me to make pancakes for him, since I was only 2 years older and really did not know how to cook, I would make him 1 pancake that was enough to feed a family. I remember Grandma Shea and Peter's mother, we called her Aunt Sissy, always telling that story with a big laugh. Jimmy (my brother) and Peter always had a lot of fun together discovering things in the water. For fun, Peter, Jimmy and I would dig for clams, pack them in a wagon and sell them to Nellie Greens restaurant. I bet Jimmy and Peter are having fun again in heaven. May you find comfort and peace in the days ahead and remember many joyful memories of your loved one. Love, Kathy Davitt Raccio

Kathy Davitt Raccio - August 10, 2013 at 07:41 PM



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“ *On behalf of the French Family of Companies, we express our deepest condolences.*

Kristian Schmidt - August 06, 2013 at 04:33 PM