



Kevin J. O'Brien

March 2, 1948 - December 12, 2024

Albany, NY-Kevin Joseph O'Brien, 76, passed away peacefully Dec. 12, 2024 at Evergreen Common Nursing Facility. Born in Albany, N.Y. in 1948, he was the son of John T. and Margaret I. O'Brien.

After graduation from Albany High School, Kevin served his country in the U.S. Army as an M.P. Upon his honorable discharge, he went to work for Albany County in the Dept. of Social Services before moving on to a 25- year career with the U.S. Postal Service.

Kevin was a proud member of the Ancient Order of the Hibernians and will be remembered by his friends for his generosity, his sartorial splendor and his quick Irish wit. Above all, Kevin will be remembered by his family for the care and devotion he provided to our mother in her later years. Along with his sister Chrissy, he made sure that our mother's every need was met and that she had a comfortable and rewarding life as a senior.

Survivors include his brothers Dick (Kathie) of Buffalo N.Y., Bob (Mary) of Jacksonville, Fl., and Terry (Denise) of Saratoga, N.Y. Also survived by several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by brother Jack (Karla) of Brooklyn, N.Y. and sister Chris (Jim) Crisorio of Albany, N.Y.

Services will be private at the request of the family. Interment will be at

Saratoga National Cemetery.

To leave a message for the family please visit www.McveighFuneralHome.com

If you would like to remember Kevin in a special way, please make a donation to a favorite charity.

Tribute Wall

DB

“ I just found out about Kevin's passing. I'm so sorry. He was a wonderful person. His family is in my thoughts and prayers.

Donna Bullinger - March 17, 2025 at 07:26 PM

TO

“ Thank You to those who offered condolences on Kevin's Memory Wall. It is much appreciated. Beloved son, brother, uncle, friend.
~ The O'Brien Family

Terry O'Brien - December 21, 2024 at 08:54 AM

JC

“ Bob, Terry & family,

Sorry to learn of Kevin's passing.

Joe Crupi

Joe Crupi - December 16, 2024 at 10:19 PM

JG

“ It seems so long ago and yet as if it was just yesterday. He was such a presence while at VI. Bigger than life for sure. And then the fun loving prankster was gone, to Albany High I guess. I picked up Kevin more than once, taking him to the VA while driving a yellow cab in the early 1970's. He was usually a bit soused and it was always great to see him no matter the circumstances. I remember walking him into the VA very late one night, I think he tried to pay, I said something like "forget it about it man". A very human person. I will miss you man.

Joe Gioco - December 16, 2024 at 08:26 PM

BH

“ Kevin was, with Joe Plantz, one of my oldest friends. He was enormously funny, always ready with a smile and to buy the first round! He was one of the Ushers at my wedding 54 years ago. I'll miss you Kevin and hope that up there in heaven you're sharing old times with my Josie.

Bob Herrick - December 16, 2024 at 04:38 PM

TM

“ Dick and all the O'Brien's, I'll miss "Cling peaches" although I haven't seen Kevin in some time I never knew he was in a nursing home or I would have visited him.

I'll miss running into him at the Fountain, Dick if you come to town please call me. "518-482-1702"

Terry McArdle

Terry McArdle - December 15, 2024 at 07:31 PM

JF

“ Rest in Peace "KO".

John F. - December 15, 2024 at 04:14 PM

PS

“ We are very sorry to hear of Kevin's passing. He was a nice guy and an old friend.

Pete Skinner - December 15, 2024 at 01:05 PM

JC

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with his family. Kevin was a very special person that will be missed by many May he RIP 🙏🙏🇺🇸.
The Clancy brothers

Jack Clancy - December 15, 2024 at 09:39 AM

AB

“ I'm very sorry to hear of Kevin's passing and offer my sincerest condolences to the O'Brien family.
I worked with Kevin at the Albany County Department of Social Services Housing Unit and liked him very much for his friendship, sense of humor and uplifting attitude. I think of those days often and am thankful that they included wonderful people like Kevin.

Arthur Brown - December 15, 2024 at 05:33 AM

KP

“ Sending sincere condolences to Kevin's brothers, their wives and his brother in law. A special thank you to his brother Terry for being his brother's keeper.
Karla Perlman

Karla Perlman - December 15, 2024 at 04:48 AM