



Thomas E. Quinn

October 30, 1939 - April 7, 2022

Schenectady-Thomas E. Quinn, 82, entered Eternal Life Thursday, April 7, 2022. Born in Natick, MA he was the son of the late Edmond and Florence Redman Quinn.

Tom graduated from Worcester Polytechnic and went on to a 39 year career at NYS Dept. of Environmental Conservation. His lifelong commitment to service included Little League Coach, Scoutmaster, Red Cross Instructor, EMT and many roles as volunteer for Christ the King Church. He was deeply involved in Prison Ministry.

He was the husband of the late Pauline Lambert Quinn; father of Christopher Quinn (Ginny), Erin Quinn Gery, and Sandra Quinn; grandfather of Ryan Gery and Kevin Gery; pre-deceased by first wife Terri; fmr. brother-in-law to Judith Farrell and uncle of Eric Baumes, Eileen Gilmartin, Amy Lamitie; unofficial adopted patriarch of the Vadney-DeBoom extended families.

All are invited to visit with Tom's family Sunday, April 10, 2022 4:00-6:00 pm at McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany, NY. Please enter from the rear parking lot entrance only.

Funeral services Monday, April 11, 2022 at 9:00 am at Blessed Sacrament Church, 607 Central Ave., Albany, NY 12206 where his Funeral Mass will be celebrated.

The Rite of Committal will immediately follow at Our Lady of Angels Cemetery.

Those wishing to remember Tom in a special way may send a contribution to Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Albany.

Cemetery Details

Our Lady of Angels Cemetery

1389 Central Ave
Albany, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **10**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.
208 N Allen St
Albany, NY 12206
(518) 489-0188
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<http://www.McveighFuneralHome.com>

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas E. Quinn*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *Tom Quinn was the Scout Master of Troop 49, which met weekly in the basement of the former St Teresa's Elementary School on New Scotland Avenue. Thanks to him many boys had a chance to participate in the Boy Scouts of America. I can't stress enough how much he was a positive influence on my life. He was instrumental in helping me achieve my Eagle Scout Award, I really won't have completed without his guidance and encouragement. I've been out of Albany for years and just happened to find his obituary when I was looking for one of my friends who passed recently. I had lost touch with Tom so many years ago and I regret not getting back in touch with him. Chris was in the troop and it wasn't always easy for him to have a Dad who was also the Scout Master, but Tom and Chris did their best to make it work. I guess I'll have to wait to thank Tom until I see him in another life, but know this, that at a time when scouting often is in the news for bad things, you can know it from me that there were good men like Tom, and his wife Terri, and others, who helped bring such adventure, such development, and such joy to the lives of so many Boy Scouts. Thank you Tom! And may you rest-in-peace until we meet again. I'll remember your laugh and your mentorship for the rest of my life.*

Chris and family, please accept my deepest condolences on the loss of your Dad.

*Joseph Sullivan Colonel, U.S. Army Retired
Eagle Scout 1980, Troop 49
Tom Quinn, Scout Master*

Joseph Sullivan - May 03, 2022 at 11:34 PM

PK

“ I was blessed to meet Tom through Residents Encounter Christ and serve with him as we shared our Faith with the men at Green. I will remember Tom with his cheerful attitude even when he was experiencing rough, painful times with his health. His love of Mother Mary was shared through the rosary at each team meeting when he would invite us to join him. Tom May you Rest in Our Heavenly Father's Arms now, You have been a faithful servant. I will pray Tom's family and friends will feel the love of Christ in their hearts.

patti kennedy - April 10, 2022 at 02:25 PM

RV

“ My brother in Christ, I shall miss our daily phone conversations. Your friendship to Cathy and I and after Cathy's entrance into Heaven you continued as my friend and brother. give my Cathy a hug for me in heaven. Untill we meet again I love you my brother. Bob

Robert E Vitullo - April 10, 2022 at 12:51 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Thomas E. Quinn.



April 09, 2022 at 10:01 AM

BF

“ My condolences to Tom's family on his passing. I was fortunate to work with Tom for many years at NYSDEC. I worked as the Regional Spill Engineer in Avon, New York and Tom worked in Albany. Tom always cared about the people that he oversaw and provided the support that we needed in the Regions. I will always remember Tom's sense of humor and the ability to get things done- he was a man of action. In 1993, I became very ill and Tom visited my wife and me at our home and reassured me that I would be back to work and did everything to allow me to work from home until I was healthy enough to actually return to work. I respected Tom and the "The NYSDEC Spill Family" who worked with him and knew him including me, will miss him immensely. God Bless you Tom and Rest in Peace.

Bruce Finster, Retired Region 8 NYSDEC Regional Spill Engineer

Bruce Finster - April 08, 2022 at 10:33 PM