



Thomas B. Deck

August 22, 2024

Thomas B. Deck, 65, died Thursday, August 22, 2024, at Penn Medicine Lancaster General Health. Born and raised in Lancaster, he was the son of the late Roy, Jr. and Lois A. Deck.

Tom graduated from J.P. McCaskey High School in 1976 and graduated with an engineering degree from the Florida Institute of Technology in 1981. Tom worked at RR Donnelly for many years.

He was a volunteer firefighter with the Wheatland Fire Company in his early days. Tom loved the beach and spent many happy times in Avalon, NJ. An avid hockey fan, Tom enjoyed watching the Philadelphia Flyers. In his younger days, he loved playing on his street hockey team, the Wombats.

Tom is survived by his daughter Amy Mattox, married to Scottie, and two grandchildren, Graham and Amelia, all of Charleston, SC. He is also survived by two brothers, Roy Deck, III "Trip", husband of Gail, and Ross Deck, husband of Sue.

Services and interment will be private and at the family's convenience. In lieu of flowers, please donate to your favorite charity in Tom's name.

Cemetery Details

Conestoga Memorial Park

95 2nd Lock Rd
Lancaster, PA 17603

Tribute Wall



“ *My condolences to Amy and the Deck family. Tom made everyone laugh. A very smart man he was. He will be missed and remembered forever. Love you my freind and team Captain.*

Garry Smith - August 27, 2024 at 08:48 AM

DR

“ *RIP Tommy! You walk with God now. It's sad that you're true friends and family are not allowed to attend your celebration of life! We will miss you and we love you!*

David Russell - August 27, 2024 at 08:32 AM

PS

“ *Tom was a beloved Captain of our Wheatland Wombats street hockey team. He was hilarious, loved to party and most of all had the biggest laugh. He will be missed. My deepest sympathy to his family.*

Pete Smith - August 24, 2024 at 08:44 PM

RM

Roy, I am sorry for the loss of your brother. I remember the fun we had at the Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania. We were the beginning.

Rosemary Crouse Mohn

Rosemary Mohn - August 25, 2024 at 02:24 PM

AM



Amy Mattox - August 25, 2024 at 05:05 PM

CR

May he RIP my condolences to the family

customer **Pedro Juan Rivera** - August 25, 2024 at 11:47 PM

PS

We also had a blast in Avalon on weekends wearing our Wombats jerseys and convincing teenage girls our age that we were the Russian Olympic Kickball team! Tom would roar.

Pete Smith - August 26, 2024 at 06:21 PM

AM

Pete- thank you for sharing these memories of my Dad ☐

Amy Mattox - August 26, 2024 at 08:01 PM

CA

Trip and Ross - Deepest sympathies to the whole family on Tom's death.

Chris and Kathy Armstrong - August 27, 2024 at 01:33 PM

PS

You are very welcome Amy

Pete Smith - August 31, 2024 at 07:17 PM

RD

Thank you, Chris, for the kind thoughts.

Trip Deck

Roy Deck - September 08, 2024 at 06:47 PM

RD

Thank you for your nice remembrance, Rosemary. I also had great memories of the RR Museum.

Trip Deck

Roy Deck - September 08, 2024 at 06:50 PM

RM

I had tried to get in contact with you Roy because I wanted to tell you that Kermit Baumgartner had passed I shared it with Michael Frey. We still talk through email. Keep in touch if you would like

Rosemary Crouse Mohn - May 31, 2025 at 06:36 PM