



Neil J. Malloy

February 28, 1944 - March 14, 2016

COLEBROOK – Neil Jordan Malloy, age 72, died peacefully in his home on March 14, 2016, in Colebrook, NH, after a lengthy illness.

He is survived by his loving wife of 43 years, Janice Malloy of Colebrook, NH; a son Brian Malloy of Colebrook, NH; a son Neil William Malloy and his wife Marycia Malloy of Colchester, CT; 3 brothers – John Malloy and his wife Maureen Malloy of Colebrook, NH; Edward Malloy and his wife Christine Malloy of Windham, NH; Joseph Malloy of Colebrook, NH; 1 sister, Barbara Horton and husband Albert of Bellingham, MA; 4 grandchildren – Lily Malloy and Mark Backus of Bedford, NH; Jordan Malloy and Neil K. Malloy of Colchester, CT. He is also survived by his father, Neil B. Malloy, of Colebrook, NH.

He is preceded in death by his mother, Rita (McAvoy) Malloy of Watertown, MA.

Neil was born on his parents' wedding anniversary, February 28, 1944, in Waltham, MA, and grew up in Watertown, MA. He graduated from Watertown High School and then attended computer school at Northeastern University in Boston prior to enlisting in the Army. He completed basic training and special operator training at Fort Devens, MA, in 1965. Neil then served in combat in Vietnam and in Europe for 4 years supervising mobile operations and

specializing in international Morse code. He was proud of playing soccer and also boxing while stationed in Europe.

Neil was honorably discharged in September, 1968, and was recruited to work for multiple government agencies, including the CIA and the Department of Justice's Immigration & Naturalization Service (INS). He worked as a federal officer in Boston based out of the John F. Kennedy Federal Building and in 1978 he successfully completed training with the INS. He moved to Colebrook, accepting a position as an Immigration Officer and served with distinction for 33 years at various north country border crossings until retiring in 2000.

Neil was dedicated to his family and to the north country. He played for many years in the Canaan Men's Softball League and loved sports and the outdoors, including Colebrook sporting events, watching his sons play basketball, baseball, and soccer. He also enjoyed working in the yard, planting trees, and training his dogs.

There are no public calling hours scheduled. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, May 21, 2016, at 11 a.m. at St. Brendan's Catholic Church in Colebrook, NH, with The Rev. Craig Cheney as celebrant. A graveside committal, with military honors, will immediately follow at St. Brendan's Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of Neil may be sent to Memorial Donations, c/o Shelly Shaw at the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital, 181 Corliss Lane, Colebrook, NH 03576.

Condolences may be offered to the family on-line by going to www.jenkinsnewman.com.

Funeral arrangements in NH are under the direction of Jenkins & Newman
Funeral Home in Colebrook.

Cemetery Details

St. Brendan's Catholic Cemetery

South Main Street
Colebrook, NH

Tribute Wall



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Neil J. Malloy.*



May 17, 2016 at 10:23 AM



“ *Jan, My condolences to you and your family. So very sorry to read about the passing of Neil. The both of you made an awesome team.*

Joanne O'Brien - March 26, 2016 at 08:52 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. Our thoughts are with the entire family.
Michele and Rick Johnsen*



Michele Johnsen - March 25, 2016 at 03:47 PM



“ *Sincere condolences to the entire family.
Clayton & Michelle Hinds*

Clayton & Michelle Hinds - March 22, 2016 at 09:40 AM



“ *Neil was great to work with and will be hard to forget. Please accept our sincere sympathies, David & Suzanne Cook*

David Cook - March 19, 2016 at 03:14 PM

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“ Dear Jan. Neil and Brian,

Paul and I are so sorry for your loss. Neil was a great husband, a wonderful father and I am sure a great grandfather!!! I know that he was a great cousin! Who would not love him? He had a great sense of humor ... he was the best. (I loved the picture you chose of him)..... it brings a smile to my face to see it!

I have some fond memories of things we did as young kids. Lots of laughs when we had our "Cousins on vacation at Lake Blaisdell" up somewhere in NH --- our families joined together in cottages beside each other -- and we all had a wonderful weeks vacation - in small cabins that would sleep probably 3 --- The Rae's and Malloy's packed 8 kids all together --- (Barbara and Johnny were not born yet) and 4 adults. It was a very loving family. One thing that sticks out in my mind is when Neil was sick one summer and was supposed to stay out of the water..... so what do you think??? - yes... he fell in. We laughed together at so many things. I remember also his dad and the 4 boys coming to Needham to visit and get my brother Johnny's hair cut by his uncle Neil --- the hair was always cut down cellar ... and when the job was done, everyone that was down there, came up from the cellar with fleas! -- we had a dog!! Again --- we laughed and laughed. - Other fond memories are us coming to Colebrook to spend a week-end with the four of you! What great skiing all of our kids had--- We as parents could hardly keep up with them.

So dear Jan, Please know that our hearts are full of sorrow for you and your boys ... please know that we will always love Neil and always keep him and all your family in our prayers.

God Bless all of you!

Patty (Rae) and Paul Magee

Cousin Patty (Rae) Magee - March 17, 2016 at 04:07 PM

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“ *My sympathy to the entire family.*

Sue Miller - March 16, 2016 at 06:39 PM

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“ *Deepest sympathies to Mrs Malloy, Neil, Brian and families. Pamela Howe - Smith*

Pam Smith - March 16, 2016 at 06:26 PM

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“ *Our deepest condolences go out to the family on your loss.*

Haven & Peggy Haynes - March 15, 2016 at 11:53 PM