



## Sanford "Sandy" P. O'Brien

April 16, 1943 - February 13, 2009

PITTSBURG, NEW HAMPSHIRE – Mr. Sanford “Sandy” P. O’Brien, 65, of Pittsburg, New Hampshire, passed away at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center in Lebanon, New Hampshire, on February 13, 2009, surrounded by his wife and children.

Sandy was born April 16, 1943 in Far Rockaway, Long Island, New York, the son of Sanford James O’Brien and Ruth (Helene) O’Brien.

Sandy attended Bryant High School in New York. He served in the United States Army, First Division, as a marksman, and his military service ranged from the Bay of Pigs, the Berlin Wall, and Vietnam. He worked for the New York City Sanitation Department in Harlem. He lived in Richmond Hill, NY, and after retirement moved his family to Pittsburg where he has resided since 1984. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus and a past president of the Northland American Legion Post #47 of Canaan, VT. He enjoyed cooking and a good game of golf. He also loved barbecuing for family and friends.

Sandy is survived by his loving wife of 36 years, Joanne (Filauro) O’Brien of Pittsburg; two daughters, Jeannie (O’Brien) Masters, and son-in-law, Kyle Masters, of Henniker, NH, and Kimberly O’Brien of Bedford, PA; a son, James O’Brien of Old Orchard Beach, ME; a grandson, Reece Masters; and a granddaughter, Arlyn O’Brien.

Sandy is preceded in death by his father, Sanford James O'Brien.

At his family's request, there will be no calling hours. A celebration of Sandy's life with military honors will be held on Tuesday, July 7, 2009, at his home on 177 Spooner Road, Pittsburg, at 11:00 a.m. with The Reverend Roland Cote officiating

# Tribute Wall



“ To Joanne, Jeannie, Kimberly and James

*My deepest condolences on your loss. I lost my mother several years ago and I know how hard it is to lose someone so close and that you love so much!*

*I did not know Sandy well, what I do know is he had a great family and home, It looked liked he was in heaven already. That's all any of us can ever ask for.*

*God bless all of you,*

*Joe Marinelli###imported-begin##Joe Marinelli ###imported-end##*

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July 31, 2009 at 03:09 PM



“ Dear Joanne and family-sorry to hear about Sandy. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time of sadness. Remember the good times and cherish the precious memories. Take care of each other.

*Love Edna###imported-begin##Edna Coffin###imported-end##*

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February 20, 2009 at 06:00 PM



“ Joanne and family,  
*Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. We have many fond memories of Sandy and his wonderful meals and taking Zach fishing. He will be missed. Love,*  
*The Goodridge Family###imported-begin##The Goodridge Family###imported-end##*

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February 20, 2009 at 11:00 AM



“ *Joanne and family,*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time. Your memories will give you all great comfort.*

*Love Diana & Ken##imported-begin##Ken & Diana  
Lundberg##imported-end##*

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February 19, 2009 at 07:19 PM



“ *Dear Joanne and Family,*

*We are so very sad to hear about Sandy he was such a wonderful man. Please let us know whether there is anything we can do to help during this difficult time. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Love Don and Karen##imported-begin##Don and Karen  
Filauro##imported-end##*

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February 19, 2009 at 07:20 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. Rest assured that your constantly in our thoughts.*

*Love, The Guilmette's##imported-begin##Ann  
Guilmette##imported-end##*

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February 18, 2009 at 01:08 PM



“ Dear Joanne and family,

*My heart goes out to you all and my prayers are lifted up every day. I pray for your comfort during this very sad time. God be with you all.##imported-begin##Ann Gray##imported-end##*

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February 17, 2009 at 10:25 AM



“ Joanne and family, was so sorry to hear about Sandy, I remember when he was Commandor of The Legion. Was a pleasure to have known him Also you Joanne being our President. Wanted you to know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Love Keith and Billie Brockney##imported-begin##Keith and Billie brockney##imported-end##

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February 17, 2009 at 09:39 AM



“ Sandy, we will miss you, thanks for 25 years of great memories. Judie and Bob##imported-begin##Bob & Judie##imported-end##

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February 17, 2009 at 09:20 AM



“ 65 years is too young. Wish it were different.##imported-begin##Anthony Filauoro##imported-end##

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February 17, 2009 at 08:53 AM