



Thomas E. Dorman, Jr.

April 4, 1931 - May 31, 2012

PITTSBURG, NH-- Mr. Thomas E. Dorman, Jr., 81, of Pittsburg, NH, passed away unexpectedly early Thursday morning, May 31, 2012, at his home.

He was born in Pittsburg, NH, on April 4, 1931, a son to the late Thomas E., Sr. and Evelyn (Haynes) Dorman. He attended the Danforth School for six years and then the Pittsburg School.

From 1947-51, Tom farmed with his father on Hill Road, and he learned a carpenter's trade from him, knowledge and skill which he used for the rest of his life.

Tom married Ervena M. Hicks on June 15, 1951, and together they raised five children, as well as four nephews.

Tom entered the U.S. Army in May of 1952, and served as a truck driver hauling supplies, ammunition and prisoner exchanges during the Korean conflict. He was honorably discharged in March, 1954.

After returning home from Korea, he was self-employed as a logger until the mid-1960s. He was widely known for his carpentry skills, and he also served as Pittsburg's road agent for 29 years. Tom's greatest achievement, however, was his devotion to his family and especially his grandchildren. He will be dearly missed by all of his family and friends.

He is survived by his loving wife of 61 years, Ervena (Hicks) Dorman of Pittsburg; his sons, Wayne Dorman and wife Beverly of Pittsburg, Wendell Dorman and his wife Barbara of Laconia, NH, Winston Dorman and his wife Sherry of Londonderry, NH, and Walter D. Dorman and wife Brenda of Pittsburg; his daughter Wanda Patnaude and her husband Steve of Pittsburg; two sisters, Gloria Bunnell of Lemington, Vt., and Betsy Little of Lisbon, NH; nine grandchildren, Erica Welch and husband, Michael, Angela Dorman, Courtney Plamondon and her husband Corey, Mark Dorman, Stacy Hicks and her husband Ronnie, Lance Dorman, Blaine Dorman, Emily Bernhardt and husband Bill, and Brian Dorman and wife Kim; eight great-grandchildren, Katherine and Jacob Welch, Austin and Dustin Plamondon, William and Connor Bernhardt, and Cole and Arlyn Dorman.

Tom is preceded in death by two brothers, Sherman and Benjamin Dorman.

Calling hours will be on Sunday, June 3, 2012, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home in Colebrook. A funeral service will be held at the Farnham Memorial United Methodist Church in Pittsburg on Monday, June 4, at 11 a.m., with The Rev. Rick Boyden officiating. Burial, with military honors, will immediately follow at the Pittsburg Hollow Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy may be made in Mr. Dorman's memory to a charity of one's choice.

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

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

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 3. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home
103 Main Street
Colebrook, NH

Visitation

JUN 3. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Jenkins & Newman Funeral Home
103 Main Street
Colebrook, NH

Service

JUN 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

Farnham Memorial United Methodist Church
Main Street, US Route 3
Pittsburg, NH

Tribute Wall

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That Dorman Family are members of the little yellow church in Columbia Nh and i went there a few times and that topic came up and i can attest that they said same things, I figured its easy for people to judge others when they all have job security in a family owned business handed to them and don't have to enter into the real world to work the only jobs around here that do not pay that well.

Brian Deadham - September 11, 2024 at 08:26 AM



“ *Dear family of Tom,*

I am truly sorry for your loss~~~ I found out from Sharon Rodrique he died and just read his obituary . May he rest in peace. He was a very strong man and worked a hard life~~~ Sincere sympathy to the entire family ~~~

Deb & Ray##imported-begin##Deb & Ray Bonenfant##imported-end##

June 11, 2012 at 02:20 PM

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Brian Deadham - September 11, 2024 at 08:27 AM



“ To the Dorman family, we were so sorry to hear about Tom he was a good man, my dad (Dobby) thought alot of him as well. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this sad time. Our deepest sympathy Janice Dobson and Dee.##imported-begin##Deanna Waryas / Janice Dobson##imported-end##

June 10, 2012 at 06:51 PM



“ Our sincerest condolences to the wonderful Dorman family. You have lost a great man and the North Country has lost a real icon. John & Sue Morrissey##imported-begin##John & Sue Morrissey##imported-end##

June 08, 2012 at 09:00 AM



“ Our condolences on your loss and our prayers are with you at this time.##imported-begin##Haven & Peggy Haynes##imported-end##

June 06, 2012 at 05:39 PM



“ My deepest condolences to the Dorman family.##imported-begin##Nicole Dube Morissette##imported-end##

June 03, 2012 at 09:58 PM



“ To the Dorman family,

We send our deepest condolences to all of you. You will be in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Wayne and Rita Griffin##imported-end##

June 03, 2012 at 05:17 PM



“ Our deepest condolences to the wonderful Dorman Family on the loss of your loved one. Although our knowing "TD" was brief; we do know he set a fine example of how to raise a proud and neighborly family which lives on through all of you. God Bless!!

Roger & Kate Lemire##imported-begin##Roger & Kate Lemire##imported-end##

June 02, 2012 at 10:53 PM



“ To Uncle Toms family,he will be greatly missed and know you are all in our prayers and thoughts.Uncle Tom was so proud of his big family and especially grandchildren and great grandchildren so glad he got to see them all!!##imported-begin##Sharon and Sheridan Rodrique##imported-end##

June 02, 2012 at 08:09 PM



“ Our prayers & thoughts are sent to the whole Dorman family. Tom was a great man, He could set you right on just about anything. Glad we had the chance to know him. May god be with you all. Judy & Levis Boutin

June 02, 2012 at 01:44 PM



“ we are so sorry for your loss.. Tom was a good man..."irving & rose hicks

June 02, 2012 at 09:23 AM



“ Dear Vena and family,
My heart goes out to all of you.I would be up to see you, but my wrist prevents me from driving.I will see you on Sunday.
My dear Vena, know that you are in my prayers. Tom was a Prince among men.
Love, Leatrice

June 01, 2012 at 05:54 PM



“ to wayne and all his family my sympathy .serge beloin

June 01, 2012 at 05:52 PM



“ Wayne & Gloria and family - many thoughts and prayers at this time of the loss of your father and brother. May he rest in peace.

June 01, 2012 at 04:27 PM



“ After many years of knowing Tom we have alot of good memories. I pray that the love and prayers of family and friends help you through this difficult time. He will always be with you in your heart.

With Deepest Sympathy,
Dick and Joni##imported-begin##Richard and Joni
Hicks##imported-end##

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