



## Thomas M. Smith

April 27, 1955 - January 5, 2014

Thomas M. Smith, 58, resident of Eatontown passed away January 5, 2014. Tom was born in Jersey City on April 27, 1955 the son of the late Margaret L. Smith, Eatontown, and Walter R. Smith, Spring Lake. He attended Eatontown Public Schools and graduated from Monmouth Regional High School in 1973. Over the past years, Tom worked as a lifeguard for Gateway National Park Service, Sandy Hook and U.S. Virgin Islands. Also, he was a captain for Sea Tow and was a contract scuba diver. For a period of time, Tom worked for Eatontown Public Works Department.

Tom will be remembered for sharing his life stories, his love for the beach and water, his gentle kind nature, the playfulness he gave to his nephews and nieces, and for the loving care he provided to his mother, Marge.

Tom is predeceased by his mother, Margaret Lydon Smith and sister, Kathy Ann. Tom is survived by his father, Walter R, Smith and his wife, Marie, of Spring Lake. Three brothers; Charles, Walter Jr. of Eatontown, Richard and his wife, Andrea of Tinton Falls. Two sisters; Peggy Macdonald and her husband Kevin, of Fairbanks, Alaska and Anne Marie Lodato and her husband, Frank of Tinton Falls. Six nephews and nieces; Miles and Wesley Macdonald, Danielle and Megan Lodato, Andrew and Catelyn Smith. Two uncles; Martin Lydon and his wife, Dorothy of Laguna Niguel, CA, and Thomas Lydon of Hackensack, NJ. Great Aunt, Margaret Ahearn, Bayonne, NJ and many cousins.

The family will have a private service. Donations in the memory of Tom Smith

can be made to the Community YMCA, 170 Patterson Ave., Shrewsbury, NJ 07702, to assist financial needed families to join the YMCA.

# Tribute Wall

BH

“ *Charlie, Peggy, Walt, Ann and Richie-*

*I was so sad to hear of Tommy's passing. Our family sends its condolences to all of you. I'm sure Tommy's in a better place and enjoying his endless summer surfing or riding his bike. Our prayers also go out to Mom Smith...didn't find out until reading Tommy's obituary. Take care.*

*-Brian*

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**Brian Hovendon** - January 23, 2014 at 11:14 AM

RG

“ *Rest in peace my friend. I'll never forget our fun times together living in the Monmouth Beach house you found for Ken Walker and me. I know you'll be life guarding the big pool in heaven. Your friend, Rich Gillette*

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**rich gillette** - January 22, 2014 at 08:56 AM

LF

“ *Lots of love, peace, and prayers for all of you.*

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**Lockwood family** - January 17, 2014 at 08:10 PM

IG

“ *So sorry for your loss !! The entire Smith family is in our thoughts and prayers !!! Ilene and Bill Guzzi*

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**ilene guzzi** - January 15, 2014 at 12:36 PM

RF

“ *God be with you.*  
*Rose and Daniel Fletcher*



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**Rose and Daniel Fletcher** - January 14, 2014 at 10:41 AM

WS

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Walter & Marie Smith** - January 14, 2014 at 10:06 AM

WS

*Rest in Peace. We will miss you. You are in our hearts and daily prayers. Love, Dad and Marie*

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**Walter & Marie Smith** - January 14, 2014 at 10:14 AM

TF

“ *The Festa Family lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**the festa family** - January 13, 2014 at 01:24 PM

DE

“ *Debbie lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Debbie** - January 13, 2014 at 12:46 PM

AR

“ *Albert Rescinio lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Albert Rescinio** - January 13, 2014 at 11:48 AM

TF

“ *The Planey Family lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**The Planey Family** - January 12, 2014 at 10:17 PM

AP

“ *Annette, Ava And Zachary Planey lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Annette, Ava and Zachary Planey** - January 12, 2014 at 10:16 PM



“ *We love you uncle Tommy,*

*Love*

*Andrew & Catelyn*

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**Andrea Gataroska Smith** - January 12, 2014 at 08:23 PM



“ *Andrea Gataroska Smith lit a candle in  
memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Andrea Gataroska Smith** - January 12, 2014 at 08:21 PM



“ *Andrea Gataroska Smith lit a candle in  
memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Andrea Gataroska Smith** - January 12, 2014 at 07:51 PM



*WE WILL MISS YOU TOM. LOVE RICHARD ANDREA ANDREW AND  
CATELYN.*

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**Andrea Gataroska Smith** - January 12, 2014 at 07:57 PM

MM

“ *Miles And Wesley Macdonald lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Miles and Wesley Macdonald** - January 12, 2014 at 09:37 AM

PM

“ *Peggy And Kevin Macdonald lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Peggy and Kevin Macdonald** - January 12, 2014 at 09:37 AM

BP

“ *Beth,Ed,Eddie And Paige lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Beth,Ed,Eddie and Paige** - January 12, 2014 at 08:33 AM

DL

“ *Danielle & Megan Lodato lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith*



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**Danielle & Megan Lodato** - January 12, 2014 at 07:41 AM

AL

“ Anne Marie And Frank Lodato lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith



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**Anne Marie and Frank Lodato** - January 12, 2014 at 07:39 AM

BH

“ Bongarzone Funeral Home lit a candle in memory of Thomas M. Smith



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**bongarzone funeral home** - January 11, 2014 at 01:27 PM