



Francis K. Beckwith III

July 11, 1951 - December 2, 2015

Hampton, NH – Francis K. “Buddy” Beckwith, III, 64, of Hampton, formerly of Sutton, Mass., died, December 2, 2015 after a sudden illness.

He was born in Worcester, Mass., July 11, 1951 the son of the late Francis K. and Beatrice (Alexander) Beckwith, II. He was raised in Shrewsbury, Mass.

He was employed as a police officer for the City of Worcester in the motorcycle division retiring in 1982. Buddy then took his love and hobby of cooking to begin a career in food services and later served as the manager at Job Corps in Grafton, Mass, as well as teaching culinary courses.

He made his home in Hampton since 2003 and was a member of St. John’s Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Newburyport, Mass.

He shared 35 years of marriage with his wife, Therese E. (Gagne) Beckwith of Hampton.

In addition to his wife, he leaves five children, Francis K., IV of Worcester, Mass., Jacqueline Meninno of Marlborough, Mass., Jean Paul of Hampton, Danielle Beckwith of Brookline, NH and Maria Gagne of Webster, Mass., five grandchildren, his sister, Linda Doyle of Clearwater, FL, as well as many nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by two sisters, Carol Ann Tracy and Lou Ann St. John.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held at 12 Noon, Sunday, December 13, 2015 at the Oceanfront Pavilion Reception Room on Hampton Beach, Hampton, NH. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. John's Lodge A.F. & A.M., 31 Green Street, Newburyport, MA 01950. Assistance with the arrangements was by the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, Hampton.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

DEC 13. 12:00 PM (ET)

Oceanfront Pavilion Reception Room
170 Ocean Blvd
Hampton Beach, NH 03842

Tribute Wall



“ Francis K. Beckwith III

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ My Dear Danielle,
I am saddened to hear of your Dad's passing...
I am so sorry. Prayers of comfort & peace for
you & your family. Love you, Danielle.



Diane Chapman Melville - December 10, 2015 at 01:50 PM



“ Val Murphy lit a candle in memory of Francis
K. Beckwith III



Val Murphy - December 09, 2015 at 03:44 PM



“ A gentle giant has left us. He is now free to fly the oceans waves.
He will always be with us when a soft breeze passes by. I love you
Therese.

Cheryle Doyon

cheryle doyon - December 09, 2015 at 03:24 PM



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Jacqueline Meninno - December 06, 2015 at 07:26 PM



“ *Debbie Kalil lit a candle in memory of Francis K. Beckwith III*



Debbie Kalil - December 06, 2015 at 04:58 PM



Rest in peace my dear friend you will be greatly missed.

Debbie Kalil - December 06, 2015 at 05:01 PM



Our Prayers are with you See you in the Spring

Russ and Donna - December 13, 2015 at 09:48 AM

JW

“ You will be greatly missed Buddy. You and Terry gave e us the scoop on all the beach weather and tides. You two together made a great couple..We will miss that big brown bear. I will look to the clouds when we get back to the beach and say hello to you. May you rest in peace.



Jeannette Wilary - December 06, 2015 at 12:50 PM

KY

“ Karen Young lit a candle in memory of Francis K. Beckwith III



Karen Young - December 06, 2015 at 11:59 AM



“ Joseph Farfante lit a candle in memory of Francis K. Beckwith III



Joseph Farfante - December 05, 2015 at 07:08 AM

LC

“ Lynn Couture lit a candle in memory of Francis K. Beckwith III



Lynn Couture - December 04, 2015 at 09:31 PM

LC

It is all too soon to say goodbye. Rest in peace, Bud.

Lynn Couture - December 04, 2015 at 09:33 PM

LI

“ Love you big brother



Linda - December 04, 2015 at 06:37 PM

DP

“ Love you Uncle Buddy ❤️❤️



Devan Petronsky - December 04, 2015 at 12:08 PM

CD

“ *Coleen Doyle lit a candle in memory of Francis K. Beckwith III*



Coleen Doyle - December 04, 2015 at 11:48 AM

LD

“ *Lisa Doyle lit a candle in memory of Francis K. Beckwith III*



Lisa Doyle - December 04, 2015 at 10:45 AM



“ *Franny Beckwith lit a candle in memory of Francis K. Beckwith III*



Franny Beckwith - December 04, 2015 at 10:15 AM

DB

“ *Bad boys bad boys
Watcha gonna do, watcha gonna do
when they come for you
Bad boys, bad boys
Watcha gonna do, watcha gonna do
when they come for you*

I will never forget running into your bedroom in Sutton and hoping in between you and mom while we waited for cops to come on. As soon as it did we would burst out singing the theme song. You are my daddy and my hero. I love you so much.

Danielle Beckwith - December 03, 2015 at 06:40 PM

TB

“ *The first day we moved to Hampton Buddy and I went down to walk on the beach and enjoy the ocean when we came across a cohaug in the tide pool. We were so excited we took it home and Buddy made a stuffed cohaug for our first diner in our new home. Didn't take much to make us happy, happy for 42 years.*

Therese Beckwith - December 03, 2015 at 05:54 PM

AJ

Al Johnson ,had a lot of good laughs with buddy during the many summer nights at the sea shell,going to miss you buddy!

Al johnson - December 03, 2015 at 07:33 PM

SF

Buddy was a very warm and compassionate man. I am going to miss seeing him at the beach everyday, he was always smiling and pleasant (even in his pain) . He will be certainly missed.

sandy & donald flint - December 03, 2015 at 07:40 PM

DT

Buddy only new you for the wonderful nine years of camryns life,almost ten now,to appreciate how great a person you are. My friend.... rest in piece

Debra tewksbury - December 03, 2015 at 09:03 PM

MA

Love you Buddy RIP

Marcus - December 03, 2015 at 10:26 PM

SG

Buddy and Terry you were the beach. You both always looked like you belong you with your long dark hair andBuddy brown as a big brown bear.He surely will be miss and my heart goes out to Terry god be with you in this bad time xoxo

sandy guyott - December 03, 2015 at 11:31 PM

JE

Me and my dad always had our differences but he loved me more than I could ever know he was my best friend I could tell him anything .i loved watching the ghost shows with him and just chattin with.he is who I wanted to stive to be. I miss you so much dad love you more than you knew.....jeanpaul

jeanpaul - December 04, 2015 at 09:37 AM

KB

I will always remember you thanking me buddy for finally giving you a red headed grand kid. Without you I wouldn't have cam, the purpose of my life. Thank you my friend, and rest easy at the beach... terry will be their for you to keep an eye on 😊

katy beckwith - December 04, 2015 at 09:58 AM

KB

Papa you are my hero.hes a poem for you.i got you and you got me happy we are we are we cause and you got me forever life is like a bowl cherries with you all of the time.I will all ways remember you.....camryn 😊

katy beckwith - December 04, 2015 at 10:06 AM

DV

Buddy, we only recently reconnected on FB after many years since our high school days. I enjoyed our chats, I will miss your remarks to my posts. Terry and family, I am so sorry for your loss. I can see how much he was loved. He will always be watching over you. RIP my friends
Diane Venuti

Diane Venuti - December 04, 2015 at 10:46 AM



Dad you left us too early we all wish you were with us but god had another plan. So I guess I have to wait till I see you on the other side and then well be together and then I will understand.

Franny Beckwith - December 04, 2015 at 02:21 PM

ML

Buddy, the Beach will never look the same again. I'll always think of you sitting there with Terry with your great big smile and always engaging conversations. Terry, Buddy will still be at your side looking over you at your special spot on the beach. God Bless your Family.

mary landry - December 04, 2015 at 03:39 PM

JG

Brother-in-Law, you've always been kind and generous to me. Rest in Peace, Buddy..

Joseph Gagne-Zahn - December 04, 2015 at 04:05 PM

VT

Buddy you were the best and most interesting Brother in law I had will miss you always love you always
Victor Tracy

Victor Tracy - December 04, 2015 at 07:56 PM

BO

We are going to miss the conversation and company of buddy at the Sea Shell every evening. We had so many fun evenings, he will be missed allot.

Linda Thibeault & Bob Bourque

Bob - December 05, 2015 at 05:37 PM



i love you uncle buddy

Lisa Doyle - December 06, 2015 at 12:31 AM