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Thomas L. Hitchcock, 64 of Newark died Tuesday October 16, 2018 at Mt. Carmel East Medical Center. He was born October 7, 1954 in Dayton to James and Dorothy (Fletcher) Hitchcock.

Tom was employed many years at Holophane/JM. In recent years he also was employed by Schwebel Bakery. He was a 1972 graduate of Heath High School and attended The Ohio State University, Newark Branch and received an associate of arts degree. He was active in the Phi Alpha Beta Fraternity where he had many lifelong friends.

He enjoyed watching all sports. He was a diehard OSU Football and Cleveland Browns Fan. Although he had played co-ed softball for the Bar Rats in Columbus and Heath Eagles where he is a member, his favorite activity was golf. He would play in several leagues during the week.

He is survived by his daughter, Susan Hitchcock of Newark; grandchildren, Hannah Bond, Abigail Bond, Preston Luckeydoo, Alyxandra Luckeydoo all of Newark; great-granddaughter, Sofia Bond; fiancé, Cindy Veatch of Newark; her extended family, Jessica and Christy Luthi Green of Newark; Isaac Luthi; sister, Janis (Rick) Wetmore of Jacksonville, FL; brothers, Paul (Gini) Hitchcock of Jacksonville, FL, Steve (Debbie) Hitchcock of Seattle, WA; Fraternity brothers, Jim Harrop of Heath, John Randall, Dan Brown, Howard Andrews, Fred Bretz all of Newark, Rod Phillips of Granville, Dave Rico of Columbus, several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brother, Martin Hitchcock and fraternity brother, Keith Beatty.

In accordance with his wishes, a celebration of life service will be held at a later date.

The family requests memorial contributions to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105



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HA

Howard Andrews posted:

Sorry to hear you have gone without getting a chance to talk and share stories .

May 2 at 1:19 PM

DB

Donald Beougher posted:

RIP BROTHER TOM

May 2 at 1:19 PM

KR

Kelly Randall posted:

Tom was a long time friend of my dad and our family. He always had a very open, generous, and hospitable nature about him. Part of the reason he always had the best parties. We will miss you Tom.

May 2 at 1:19 PM

MB

Megan Beatty posted:

I'm so sorry for your loss Susan. He was a great friend to my dad and I always liked him.

May 2 at 1:19 PM

TP

Terry Petty posted:

See you later my friend.

May 2 at 1:19 PM

PB

Phil And Sandy Blackstone posted:

Tom lived on the same street as Sandy and they graduated from Heath High School, they were in band and life guards at the Heath Pool. Tom was a true Brother to Phi Alpha Beta and loved by us all. Tom will be greatly missed Rest in Peace Friend and Brother. Sincerely, Phil and Sandy Blackstone

May 2 at 1:19 PM



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Rod Philipps posted:

Tom was my "best man" at my 4/4/82 wedding. It was a fight to get him to wear a pink carnation, but he came through! Having just retired and relocated to the area, I was looking forward to many more years of friendship. I will settle instead for fond memories. Rest in peace, Tom.

May 2 at 1:19 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Thomas by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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