



Thomas Neil "Tom" King

December 10, 1949 - February 26, 2023

Thomas Neil "Tom" King passed away peacefully Sunday morning, February 26, 2023 at the Copper Ridge Health and Rehab Center. He was born in Butte Saturday, December 10, 1949 to Arthur Neil and Maxine (Meiners) King.

Tom attended public schools in Butte and graduated from Butte High School where he played trumpet in the Butte High Band. He attended Montana Tech and later went to work for the State of Montana at the Harrison Avenue Liquor Store until his retirement.

Tom donated his time to the Butte Sheltered Workshop and the Red Cross, helping people that were handicapped, especially the legally blind. He also belonged to the Toastmasters Club. He was a true Butte native where he lived his entire life. He loved the M&M for lunch and of course for St. Patrick's Day festivities. He loved western books and history, which he listened to on "talking tapes". He liked western cowboy hats and boots and had a large collection of western belt buckles that he constantly wore. He will be missed by his family.

Tom is preceded in death by his parents, Arthur and Maxine and his sister, Darlene Murphy. Survivors include his sister and brother-in-law, Pauline and Ray Nelson of Sun City, AZ, his brother-in-law, Steve Murphy, his nephews, Roy Nelson and wife Dore, nieces, Rayleen Murphy and Rus Hichen, Charlene McKenzie and husband Don, Barbara Ward, Kathy Sullivan and Terry (Rich) Redoran along with numerous great-nieces and nephews.

A special thank you go to his great niece, April Angove who checked on him daily and oversaw his care along with the great nurses and staff who gave him

great care at the Copper Ridge. Also, a special thank you to Dr. Shawna Yates and the hospice care givers.

Cremation has taken place. A memorial service will be conducted Tuesday morning, March 7th at 11o'clock in Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home. A reception will follow in Wayrynen-Richards Community Center. Express condolences at www.wayrynen-richards.com .

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 7. 11:00 AM (MT)

Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home
1800 Florence Ave
Butte, MT 59701
(406) 723-3221
<https://wayrynen-richards.com/>

Tribute Wall



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Thomas Neil "Tom" King.



March 07, 2023 at 02:45 PM



“ Roy Nelson and Family purchased the Days of Sunshine Bouquet for the family of Thomas Neil "Tom" King.



Roy Nelson and Family - March 03, 2023 at 08:43 PM



“ Kathleen S. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Thomas Neil "Tom" King.



Kathleen S. - March 02, 2023 at 12:13 PM



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Wayrynen-Richards Funeral Home - March 01, 2023 at 04:11 PM