



Col. Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson

October 14, 2012

THOMPSON, Reynold J. "Tom", 74, of Plant City, Florida, entered into eternal rest on October 14, 2012. He was a Veteran of the United States Air Force having retired as a Colonel after 30 years of service, and a contractor for the defense industry. He enjoyed playing tennis and golf, and gardening with his wife, and he loved his family. He is survived by his wife of 22 years Grace H. Thompson; children Lisa F. Crudo (Joseph) of Denver, Colorado, Anthony J. Thompson (Pamela) of Albany, New York, Jin Y. Kim of Los Angeles, California, and Jin B. Kim of Tampa; brothers Dean J. Thompson, D.C. (Anna) of Novato, California and Thomas James Thompson (Judy) of San Rafael, California; sister-in-law Ellis Thompson (Michael) of Ft. Washington, Maryland; grandchildren Trisha Fournier, Amanda Fournier, Deanna Thompson, and Aaron Thompson; and nephew Joseph Thompson. The family will receive friends on Thursday, October 18 from 6-8:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 CR 39 S, Plant City; where a Celebration of Life will be held on Friday, October 19 at 11:00 A.M. Interment with full military honors at Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia. Expressions of condolence at www.hopewellfuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Arlington National Cemetery

Arlington, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **18**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Hopewell Funeral Home
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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Col. Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson



Hopewell Funeral Home - October 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Thinking of Ron as our kids follow his military path. Blessings to all of his family. Wonder what he is doing in Heaven..pat t



Pat Thompson - February 05, 2023 at 06:36 PM



“ Pat Thompson lit a candle in memory of Col. Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson



Pat Thompson - February 05, 2023 at 06:32 PM

LC

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Lisa Crudo - October 20, 2012 at 08:41 AM

HB

“ *Tom, you touched so many lives with your smile and your easy manner. It was our honor to know you, to work with you and to share our lives with you; you are sorely missed. Virginia and I, learned of your passing while on our pilgrimage to Fatima, Lourdes and Paris and we were able to pray and lit candles for the repose of your soul at Notre Dame, the Church of the Miraculous Medal and Sacré-Cœur. Our condolences to Grace and family. Sincerely, Virginia and Howard Baum*

Howard Baum - October 19, 2012 at 05:37 AM

DR

“ *Tommy*

During my too short two years of knowing and working with you, I am honored to call you my friend. There has never been a time that you were too busy to assist anyone and go above and beyond.

In the words of another, God had something he needed fixed and has called upon the best to work it for him. You will be sorely missed by oh so many. We love you.

D.

Donna Rose - October 18, 2012 at 08:11 AM

DR

“ Donna Rose lit a candle in memory of Col.
Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson



Donna Rose - October 18, 2012 at 08:00 AM

TH

“ Tom,

I will ALWAYS remember your humble and quiet professionalism and most importantly your sincere friendship and unselfish devotion to anyone who had the pleasure of calling you friend and cohort. Words can't convey how much you'll be missed and how many lives you blessed.

Tony Hartman

Tony Hartman - October 18, 2012 at 05:37 AM



“ Tommy,

I personally owe so much to you. You selected, trained, and mentored me as your replacement after 13 years from (1986 until 1999) of being the Korea Combat Operations Intelligence Center (KCOIC) Facility Manager. You put your heart and soul into this facility and I hope I have made you proud. I think of your guidance and the precedence that you set often as I walk through the blast doors to the KCOIC corridors. I remember your departing momentoes to commanders, your "KCOIC Fast Facts" (which I still use), and your invaluable advise and experience on how to deal with our host nation friends, leadership, and outside agencies. You will always be Mr "T" and I hope some day I can be thought of as Mr "H" in your honor.

Respectfully always

Mike Hauter



Michael Hauter - October 18, 2012 at 12:59 AM



“ *Michael Hauter lit a candle in memory of Col. Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson*



Michael Hauter - October 18, 2012 at 12:29 AM

EG

“ Tommy,
We will miss you, a true friend, co-worker, leader among leaders;
your Team at Tampa Commons “SAIC” will forever cherish the
memories of our adventures together over the last few years. You
always had a special way of ensuring the “troops” were taken care
of. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.

Eric, John, and Gail - October 17, 2012 at 09:55 PM

LF

Tommy, my time working for you in Hawaii were without question some
of my best days. Add to this, our times on the tennis courts in Hawaii
and Osan make for memories of a working and personal friendship that
will be remembered and cherished always. Over the years I have often
thought of these times and thought how fortunate to have known you
and shared a part of your life. You will be missed. Len Frank

Leonard Frank - October 18, 2012 at 09:43 AM

EG

“ Eric & Jennifer Garland lit a candle in memory
of Col. Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson



Eric & Jennifer Garland - October 17, 2012 at 09:51 PM

PP

“ We will miss you Tommy, you were always a
great neighbor. Grace , know that we are here
for you if you need anything.



Pete and Tonya Perez

Peter Perez - October 17, 2012 at 04:57 PM

DK

“ Dennis And Judy Klispie lit a candle in memory of Col. Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson



Dennis and Judy Klispie - October 17, 2012 at 04:14 PM



“ Howard And Lynne Yim lit a candle in memory of Col. Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson



Howard and Lynne Yim - October 17, 2012 at 01:12 PM



Tom was a wonderful neighbor he will be missed and remembered by all. I will miss seeing him every morning working in the yard and riding his bike around. Grace and family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Howard and Lynne Yim - October 17, 2012 at 01:18 PM

JG

“ How very sad it will be not to see Tommy riding his bike around & wishing us "good morning ". He will be missed & our love & prayers go out to Grace.
Jan & Lloyd Gordon.

Jeanette Gordon - October 17, 2012 at 12:17 PM



“ *Don Valerie Wendt lit a candle in memory of Col. Reynold J. "Tom" Thompson*



Don Valerie Wendt - October 17, 2012 at 08:19 AM



Words cannot express how sad we are to have lost such a wonderful neighbor; it is still hard to believe that we will not see him out in his yard tending to his lawn and plants. Tommy was such a wonderful neighbor; someone you could rely on to do anything for you. We will continue to lift Grace and the family up in prayer during this difficult time. We are blessed to have gotten to know Tommy and the family!

Don Valerie Wendt - October 17, 2012 at 08:21 AM

JR

A comment you will undoubtedly here again and again, Tom treated everyone who came through his office as if they were the most important person who would ever pass through. An old school gentleman who will be missed by the many people he touched with his good humor and numerous acts of kindness. I recall laughing with him that he was commissioned as an officer the year I was born! US Army Lt Col (Retired) James "Jamie" Rodgers.

James Rodgers - October 17, 2012 at 12:17 PM