



Terry Parker

February 25, 2014

Obituary of Terry Parker

Captain Terry R. Parker, 71, Lady Lake, FL died on Tuesday, February 25, 2014. He was born in Nashua, New Hampshire, He was the son of the late Lunnie H. & Florence Richardson Parker. He grew up and lived in the family homestead in Milford NH and has been wintering in the Villages for four years. He was a retired Captain in the U.S. Merchant Marines. He was a graduate of Maine Maritime Academy in Castine, Maine and Milford High School.

Capt. Parker was a member of both the First Congregational Church in Milford, NH and Congregational Church of The Villages, FL. He was very active in the Masonic order and was a charter member for Souhegan DeMolay (past DeMolay Dad); 50 year member of Penobscot Lodge #4 in Maine; Benevolent Lodge #7, Milford, NH; Scottish Rite Consistory and 32 Degree Mason; a member of the Order of Eastern Star Chapter # 29 in Milford, NH; member of both The Villages Shrine Club and the Bektash Shrine Club in New Hampshire; and member of both the Royal Arch and Jesters. In addition, he was member of the Hamm Radio Operators Club and Segway Owners Club in The Villages, FL.

Survivors include his wife Judith L. Parker, The Villages, FL & Milford, NH; daughter Pauline Parker Brannigan and her husband James of New Milford, CT; brother, Captain Grayson L. Parker and sister in law Natalie Parker, Wilton, NH; a niece, 2 nephews and 2 great-nephews.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Terry Parker*

October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *My sincere condolences to Mrs Parker and Pauline - what a wonderful, caring and loving husband, dad and brother he was and will always be remembered. My interactions with him were brief, but he always was sincere, warm and you could tell really cared about you and those around you. May he now RIP.*

Al Sewell - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sending my thoughts and prayers to the family.*

Sarah Feugill - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *When thinking back about the old days and the first few years at sea after graduation I always smiled when I remembered when Terry and I were working on the same Moore Mac ship in 1966 and we were doing our USNR correspondence courses. I would answer his Engineering section and he would answer my Deck section. Very saddened to learn of his passing. Please accept my families deepest condolences for your loss.*

Sam Rowe - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Judith - Our prayers go out to you at this time. We all have lost a shipmate, classmate and friend.*

Ed Harnes - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ My condolences to Judy and the Parker family. Captain Terry and I are Maine Maritime Academy 1964 Classmates. We did enjoy reliving our MMA experiences while joining other classmates at our quarterly Mini-Musters at DiMillo's in Portland. Terry will be remembered at our scheduled 50th re-union at Castine this coming August. He will be missed by family, friends and classmates. Chuck Sherman Biddeford, ME

Chuck Sherman - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ On behalf of all of us we are very sorry for your lose. The sudden lose of a loved one is painfully sad and leaves such a lingering yearning. We are with you during your grieving and our prayers are with you and all who loved Terry. God bless you all and God bless Terry.

BIW CT Region - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

R'

“ Terry, a great classmate, we had some great times in Castine. To this day I miss our experiences at MMA. You will be sorely missed by all. My heartfelt sympathy to his family.

Russell Wuestefeld '64 - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LD

“ Terry and I were classmates at mma from '60 to'64 and saw each other every five years at reunions. A great guy who will be sorely missed. Our prayers go to his wife and family. Lou and Carol Dunlay

Lou Dunlay - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

NW

“ Kind, gentle and always kind words to say....May God bless Terry and May Judith have comfort .

Nate Whitaker - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Terry and Judy spent a wonderful evening for dinner with my family last summer in Castine, together with Charlie and Lois Weeks, Paul Manning and Dan Mari ('66D). The conversation naturally turned to our shared experiences at the Academy and I now have another memory of Terry and our friendship to keep. We both had brothers who were in the class of '57. My deepest condolences to Judy and the Parker family for their loss. He will be missed.

Gene Silva - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Terry was both a friend and a very gracious host. Larry Wolf and I had the pleasure of spending weekends at the Parker homestead in Milford. The Parker family was always gracious and welcoming and my being from California it was wonderful to get away from MMA and enjoy the good company and beauty of Milford. My deep condolences to Judy. Terry is at peace now, looking down, and watching over her.

Peter Smith - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Sue and I were saddened by Terry's passing. Our MMA class got pretty well scattered but we touched occasionally and had many common memories. The loss of a good person is hard but our world is better for his time here.

Ben Bowditch - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

EF

“ Dear Judy, Pauline and family; Little did we know that you were not only our friends and neighbors in Milford but in The Villages, also. We send you our deepest sympathies and prayers for the loss of Terry and hope that we can reconnect in the near future. Love - Elaine & Mike.

Elaine and Mike Fisette - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ Dear Judy & Pauline - My heartfelt condolences to you both. This is a difficult time for you both but be assured your memories will see you through. Love, Raelene

Raelene Liljeberg - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ Judy- I was sorry to read of Terry's passing last month. I know you and your family will miss him very much. It was good that the two of you had such a full life travelling, to see the world. I just had a knee replacement and am recovering well. Hope to see you sometime this summer Polly Cote

Polly Cote - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM