



Al Thomas

January 8, 1931 - April 3, 2013

Arthur Allan "Al" Thomas, 82, Topeka, passed away Wednesday, April 3, 2013. Al was born January 8, 1931, in Chicago, the son of Arthur and Florence Logan Thomas. He spent most of his life in Topeka. Al attended Topeka High School and graduated from Wentworth Military Academy. He attended Kansas University and was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. He served our country in the US Navy in Pensacola. On April 16, 1955, Al married Jean McDonald in Topeka. She died September 1, 2004. Al had a career in sales and retired five years ago. He was an avid sports fan, especially KU, enjoyed traveling and fine food. He was a longtime member of Most Pure Heart of Mary Church but most recently was a member of Christ the King Church. Survivors include his daughters, Cinnie McFarland (Kevin) and Julie Thomas (Gary Schreiner), Topeka and son-in-law, Jeff Draffan; grandchildren, Allison Kaufman (Chris), JT Draffan, Michael Draffan, Scott McFarland, Katie Schreiner, Allan McFarland, Karaline Schreiner; and his dear companion, Charlotte Pittman. He was also preceded in death by his daughter, Susan Draffan and his infant son, Michael. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, at 1 p.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Inurnment will be at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to Midland Hospice Care, sent in care of the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Al Thomas*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Julie, I'm so sorry for your loss. To be absent from the body is to be present with The Lord. I haven't seen you in forever but I think and Pray for you daily. You still have a family with us Haydenites and I will say Let the perpetual light shine upon your dad. Remember Isaiah 55:7-8 You r precious to Jesus and he Loves you! Amen! Let the Love of God embrace you and the Peace of God surround you and your family. I lost my dad January 31,2012. We still have a place in Heaven when we believe in Jesus! Love remains.*

Connie Fouraker Christenson - April 18, 2013 at 09:40 PM



“ *Cinnie, Julie, and Charlotte,*

*We knew Al was not doing well from some other cousins. It is difficult to see your parents, loved ones pass on. But the memories will always be with you and all those who knew Al.
God Bless you all.*

David and Cathy Logan

David Logan - April 08, 2013 at 09:19 PM



“ *Dear Cinnie and Kevin, We are sorry to read of your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Jan & Ed Jenkins*

Jan & Ed Jenkins - April 08, 2013 at 08:30 PM

EB

“ I certainly enjoyed working with Al on the SCT board. My sympathies to Char and the family
Elizabeth Beutler-Topeka

Elizabeth Beutler - April 08, 2013 at 09:03 AM

RS

“ Julie, Cinnie, and family ...

I am extremely sorry to hear about your dad's passing. I have a lot of fond memories of your parents and your families -- both at Fireside and TCC. Although I haven't seen you in many years ... I was deeply honored that your dad came to my wedding back in 2005 -- it was great to see him then !!

Robbie Sears - April 07, 2013 at 08:38 PM

RH

“ Charlotte, my thoughts & prayers are with you and the family.

Rita Hulsing - April 06, 2013 at 02:28 PM

TD

“ Char, so sorry to learn of Al's passing. My deepest sympathies to you and all of Al's family. I am glad I got to meet him.
(Friend of Dale Schuette's)

Theresa Douthart - April 06, 2013 at 02:08 PM

PM

“ Julie, Cinnie and family, I'm so sorry to hear of your Dad's passing. If there is anything at all I can do for you please let me know. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.

Peggy Morrissey - April 05, 2013 at 01:15 PM

JM

“ *Julie - I am so sorry for your loss and thinking of you all.*

Janine Mohan - April 05, 2013 at 12:46 PM

DF

“ *So sorry to hear of Al's passing. We had some great times over the years. Lot's of fun , and some heart break too through out our time together. Dick Finke*

Dick Finke - April 05, 2013 at 09:53 AM

MG

“ *So many fond memories from long, long ago...of both Al and Jean. My thoughts are with you. Love, Marcene*

Marcene Grimes - April 05, 2013 at 09:23 AM