



## Thomas A. Diehl

August 16, 1948 - January 28, 2024

Thomas A. Diehl, 75, of Evansville, passed away on Sunday, January 28, 2024 at St. Vincent Hospital.

Tom was born August 16, 1948 in Evansville to the late Albert A. and Mary Louise (Hooper) Diehl. He was a 1966 graduate of Rex Mundi High School. Tom worked as a maintenance supervisor at Bootz Manufacturing for many years before retiring and owned and operated The Corner Bar. He was a veteran of the United States Air Force serving during the Vietnam War. Tom loved sports, playing golf and participating in spot shoots, but more than anything loved spending time with this family and two granddaughters.

Surviving Tom are his wife, Kathleen Godeke-Diehl; son and daughter-in-law, Brian and Courtney Diehl; stepson, Clinton Godeke; sister, Shirley Ubelhor; brother and sister-in-law, Rick and Teresa Diehl; sister-in-law, Pam Diehl and two granddaughters, Evelyn and Eleanor Diehl.

In addition to his parents, Tom was preceded in death by a brother, Albert James "Jack" Diehl.

Funeral services for Tom will be held at 6:00 PM on Thursday at Pierre Funeral Home, Rev. Theodore Tempel officiating. Burial will take place in St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery.

Friends may visit with the family from 3:00 PM until 7:00 PM on Thursday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street.

Condolences may be made online at [www.pierrefuneralhome.com](http://www.pierrefuneralhome.com).

# Cemetery Details

## St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery

2500 Mesker Park Drive  
Evansville, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 1. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home  
2601 West Franklin Street  
Evansville, IN 47712  
(812) 423-6471  
info@pierrefuneralhome.com  
<https://www.pierrefuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

FEB 1. 6:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Pierre Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Thomas A. Diehl



Pierre Funeral Home - January 31, 2024 at 12:44 PM

RU

“ Kathy, I am so sorry for your loss. I came today to pay respects but found out I was a week late. The newspaper was a little vague on the date and since I found Tom's obit when I was looking for someone else, I assumed it was today. Again you have my condolences. Ron Unfried

Ronald Unfried - February 08, 2024 at 05:30 PM

CA

“ I'm so sorry to hear this Tom was a good decent guy and I have nothing but respect for him and again I'm very sorry

Candis - February 02, 2024 at 10:15 PM

JE

“ Tom was also a hoot always asked how we was doing but he knew we always worried about him he is a regular at our store farmboy we will surely miss ya sweetheart love ur farmboy girls



Jessicashadrick - February 01, 2024 at 12:42 PM

SM

“ Stephen and Heather Miles purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Thomas A. Diehl.



Stephen and Heather Miles - February 01, 2024 at 11:23 AM

SM

“ Stephen and Heather Miles planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas A. Diehl.

Stephen and Heather Miles - February 01, 2024 at 11:23 AM

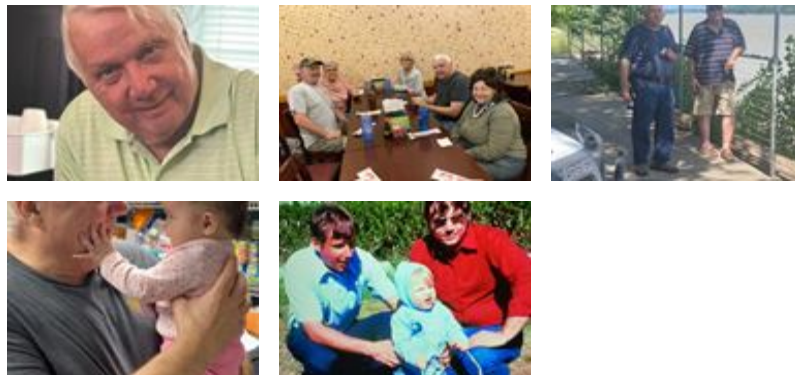
BN

“ I worked for Tom before Zenith left town. He was a Grade-A person to work for. Tom was a fair man to deal with. I couldn't have asked for more out of a supervisor. He always had a good sense of humor and I never saw anything really get under his skin. Tom, leave the light on.

Blain Newman - January 31, 2024 at 11:41 PM



“ 56 files added to the album Life Tributes



Pierre Funeral Home - January 31, 2024 at 12:45 PM

RM

“ I meet Tom in the mid-90’s when I offered to help him with the Electrical work for the St. Joe in the City Summer Social & we were like brothers ever since! What a GREAT guy! I miss you already & yes....whether it is a Michelob Ultra or a shot of Maker’s Mark, I’ll always say a toast to you with the first one.



Rick Mayo - January 31, 2024 at 11:37 AM

JP

“ My sincere condolences to all of Tom's family. I've known him for many years and spent many long conversations with him over the years - always enjoyable! He will definitely be missed by all who knew him. RIP and God Bless you, Tom!

Jim (JP) Polizzi - January 31, 2024 at 09:55 AM

RM

“ Smokin’ for the Corner Bar fundraiser! It's good to have friends!



Rick Mayo - January 31, 2024 at 09:20 AM

RM

“ Tom posing under the new sign at The Haircut he and I installed. We did quite a few modifications to this place.



Rick Mayo - January 31, 2024 at 09:18 AM

RM

“ Father & Son chilling on the porch.



Rick Mayo - January 31, 2024 at 09:16 AM



“ 1 file added to the album Life Tributes



Pierre Funeral Home - January 30, 2024 at 07:42 PM

JC



Jill Cape - January 30, 2024 at 08:28 PM

MD

“ *Marcia D. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas A. Diehl.*

**Marcia D.** - January 30, 2024 at 02:34 PM

CF

“ *My condolences to Thomas' family and friends.*

*Eternal rest grant unto Thomas, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen*



**Cathy Funkhouser** - January 30, 2024 at 11:52 AM

GS

“ *Kath, Brian, and family. Please know you will be in my thoughts and prayers as you go through this difficult time. I am thankful that I was able to spend a little time with Tom on Christmas Day. He will be missed.*



**GREG SONDGEROTH** - January 30, 2024 at 11:33 AM

GS

“ *Gregory S. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas A. Diehl.*

**Gregory S.** - January 30, 2024 at 11:30 AM

JM

“ Tom was a wonderful person. He had a heart of gold and was always kind. He was always ready to lend a hand. He will be missed. Tom earned his wings on this Earth, now he is Heaven with the angels.



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**Jill and Molly Mayo** - January 29, 2024 at 09:05 PM

CK

Tom was a great friend and a buddy. i will miss him very much and he will be miss by everyone that knows him Rest in piece my friend Carlos K

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**carlos king** - January 30, 2024 at 01:17 PM

JJ

Tom, was a great friend and coworker at Bootz we worked together and play golf for many years together. Always looked into my problems at work and fixed the problem. He will be missed by many a good man.

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**Jimbo** - February 01, 2024 at 04:36 PM