



Thomas Weisenburger

May 27, 1936 - December 31, 2020

Thomas Edward Weisenburger, age 84, of Maumee, OH passed away Thursday December 31st, 2020 with his family by his side.

Tom was born May 27th, 1936 in Toledo, OH, the son of Robert and Mary Francis Weisenburger. Tom graduated from Central Catholic High School in 1954, attended college at the University of Detroit in 1958, and graduated Law School at Santa Clara University and was admitted to the Ohio Bar in 1961. Tom was an attorney by trade and has been practicing law since getting his Juris Doctor in 1964. He continued to practice law right up until his death. In addition to his law practice Tom served on behalf of many charitable and religious organizations including as Past-President of Toledo Council of Catholic Youth, Serra Club of Toledo, and the Old News Boys. He was a fourth degree in The Knights of Columbus and was on the Institutional Advancement Committee of the Board at Central Catholic. He was a tremendously altruistic man who was charitable with both individuals and organizations who needed help.

Tom had many interests that included travel, bird watching, skiing, and fishing, but Tom mostly relished the time that he spent with both his children and grandchildren. He attended almost every sporting event involving his 21 grandchildren. He organized an annual family ski trip with his kids and grandkids, and regularly organized large family vacations. He also loved taking his sons and grandsons fishing both locally and to the Rockwell Trout Club. He took frequent trips overseas that almost always involved one or more

of his children.

Tom was very religious and loved his Catholic faith. He made Ignatian retreats annually to Manresa for 57 years. He was active member of the St. Joseph Maumee and was a daily communicant. He has imparted his devotion and faith onto many of those around him, including his children. If you ever were greeted by Tom you would know he felt he was truly "blessed, anointed and wonderful".

He is survived by his wife Sandy, and his children Andrew (Pam) Weisenburger of Maumee, OH, Clare Mitchell (Tim Whetro) of Maumee, OH, Dan (Tami St Aubin) Weisenburger of Toledo, OH, Matt (Sara) Weisenburger of Perrysburg, OH, Pete (Stephanie) Weisenburger of Avon, OH, and Therese (Jake) Wilkinson of Toledo, OH; 21 grandchildren Nate, Charlie and James (Andy), Lauren and Jessica (Clare), Thomas, AJ, and Abby (Dan), Isaac, Lily, Alex, Violet, Ethan, and Rose (Matt), Zach, Luke, and Jake (Pete), and Ollie, Simon, Henry, and Louie (Therese); his brother Dick; and many nieces, nephews and cousins. In addition to his parents Tom was also preceded by his brother Robert Phelps Weisenburger.

Visitation will be at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd. on Tuesday, January 5, from 2:00- 8:00 p.m. with a Scripture service at 7. The Funeral Service will begin in the mortuary on Wednesday, January 6 at 10:00 a.m. followed by Mass at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Maumee at 10:30. Burial will be at St. Joseph Cemetery. Masks and social distancing are required. The Mass will be livestreamed on the St. Joseph Church Facebook page.

In lieu of flowers, Tom would have preferred contributions be made to St. Joseph Maumee Catholic Church, Annunciation Radio, or Foundation for Life. Please leave a condolence message at CoyleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

St Joseph Maumee Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Coyle Funeral Home
1770 S. Reynolds Road
Toledo, OH 43614

Tribute Wall

MC

“ *I'm very sorry to hear of Tom's passing. He helped me out during a difficult period. May he rest in peace.*

M. Cherry

Michael Cherry - January 08, 2021 at 01:02 PM

RB

“ *Clare and family,*

I'm so sorry for your loss. Tom was a wonderful lawyer, man of faith, and father. I'm sure your memories and stories about him will last long after the pain of his death diminishes.

Bob Bunda

Robert Bunda - January 07, 2021 at 01:21 PM

SM

“ *Dear Sandy and Family, my deepest sympathies to all for your loss. These last few days I am remembering small things of my interactions with Tom like when he tried to get me to come to the neighborhood rosary recitations. It certainly made an impression on me that he never gave up asking me to join the group. He set a good example with his faith and integrity! My thoughts and prayers are with you. May the peace of Christ be with you. Sally Miedler*

Sally Miedler - January 06, 2021 at 08:57 PM

JR

“ Dear Mrs. Weisenburger and the Weisenburger family,

Our deepest sympathies from the Renz family and the Gast-Renz Families. Tom was a great friend to all of us and fellow Past President of the Old Newsboys Goodfellow Association. He was a dedicated board member and will be missed by everyone in the Newsboys. Tom was kind to all and welcomed any member that wanted to volunteer and get involved. I will always appreciate his support and encouragement as I worked through the chairs. Our family wanted you all to know we are thinking of you at this time of loss. Tom was a great guy!!!!

*Our thoughts and Prayers,
Jack D. Renz and Family.*

Jack Renz - January 06, 2021 at 08:13 PM

JW

“ *Our sincere sympathy to the Weisenburger family. A man of deep faith. May he rest in peace.*

Pat and Joe Walter

Joe Walter - January 06, 2021 at 01:42 PM



“ *Learning of Tom’s passing caused me to reflect on the many times he assisted my husband, who is deceased, to get out of the many scrapes he was involved in during our early married years. Tom always had a smile on his face and he never forgot anyone’s name. It was always good to see him when he came to Mass at Immaculate Conception. He had a wonderful send off at St. Joseph’s this morning. May Tom rest In the peace of Christ.*

Marie Irons

Marie Irons - January 06, 2021 at 11:50 AM



“ *We would like to express our condolences to Mrs. Weisenburger and her family for the passing of Mr. Weisenburger.*



*God's peace,
Dolores Murphy, Theresa Murphy, Kimberly Otting and Susan Gramza*

Susan Marie Gramza - January 06, 2021 at 11:43 AM



“ *I was truly blessed to have known Tom. I will always treasure and remember his faith, integrity and friendship.*

My sincere condolences to his family.

Tom Young

Tom Young - January 05, 2021 at 11:34 PM

KW

“ Sandy - So sorry to hear of Tom passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I so appreciated the visits Tom made to visit my brother Frank when he was in the nursing home - they certainly went back a long time knowing each other.

Kathy (Skeldon) Woodward - January 05, 2021 at 06:25 PM

BW

“ Tom was a true gentleman as a theological opponent; receptive, clear, never demeaning. As a lawyer; diligent, efficient and thoughtful. A loyal friend, helpful and positive. My prayers are for the family. Tom is in the arms of a loving God.

Father Bob Wilhelm

Bob Wilhelm - January 05, 2021 at 03:34 PM

DB

“ Matt and Sara, so sorry to read of the passing of your Dad and Father In Law. I first met him many years ago when we were both coaching CYO grade school basketball...he for St. Joe's of Maumee, me for St. Rose of Perrysburg. He was a nice guy to compete against and was a nice guy to run into many times later when our paths would cross.

The picture in this section looks like the always friendly smiling helpful man I was happy to talk with.

May God Bless you and your family. HE has already blessed Tom.

Denny Barrett

Denny Barrett - January 05, 2021 at 11:54 AM

CV

“ 1 file added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE



COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - January 05, 2021 at 11:47 AM

TE

Such a beautiful video and such a beautiful family.

Terri - January 05, 2021 at 11:30 PM

RL

“ *Dear Sandy and Family, I was sorry to hear of the death of Tom. I considered him a good friend. It was a joy to celebrate Wednesday noon Mass at St. Francis de Sales Church with him. We'll all miss him but also have happy memories. I'll remember him and all of you in my Mass and prayers.*
Sincerely, Fr. Jack Laudick

Rev.Jack Laudick - January 05, 2021 at 10:41 AM

JA

“ *My daughter and I have many fond memories of Tom and Therese. We were in YMCA Indian Princess together and enjoyed many outings. A favorite was a winter trip to lagoon for tobogganing. After a run Tom would put the speed in the back of his car and haul it to the top of the run.*
Tom also hosted pool parties at his indoor pool. Therese also played on the same softball team as my daughter and Tom was active there also.
Tom was a special guy and will be missed.

Jim Ames - January 05, 2021 at 09:57 AM

CV

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COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - January 05, 2021 at 01:03 AM

SF

“ To the entire family that I grew up with and around, I am truly sorry for your loss. Words cannot express how very grateful I was as a young ymca princess to have Mr W in my life and as an adult knowing he was always there for me, Dad and Mom. The giving of himself was so uncomprehendable, yet his fever for it, and bird watching drove his life forward. The assistance he provided as a lawyer and as God's servant will be missed. I know he is up there with dad and the newsboys hamming it up and I wouldn't wish a better place for him to overlook all of you. Thank you so much for sharing him over the years He was a great man who cast a very large shadow. Much Love Sarah Flack

Sarah Flack - January 04, 2021 at 04:37 PM

SS

“ Sandy and family, my sincerest sympathy to you for the passing of Tom. He has left a lasting impression on me - his faithfulness to God, family and friends. God bless you and my prayers are with you.
Sister Kathleen Knueven, SND

Sister Kathleen Knueven, SND - January 04, 2021 at 04:14 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.*



January 04, 2021 at 03:01 PM



“ *We are so very sorry to hear of Tom's passing. Our thoughts and prayers go out to his family and friends during this tough time.*

The Sight Center of Northwest Ohio

Stacey Butts - January 04, 2021 at 02:23 PM



“ *I will always remember our occasional walks to Mass during the weekdays downtown. He always had a good word to say and it made my day.*

Nancy Mayo

Nancy J Mayo - January 04, 2021 at 12:56 PM



“ *Oh my. Somehow I felt that Tom would always be there. So very sorry for your loss. But it is really a loss to the greater Toledo area. Tom seemed to be everywhere doing so many things quietly with a greater impact than even he realized. Many people who did not even know him benefited in ways they will never know or be able to acknowledge. I am so glad to have had the opportunity to know him. Sympathies to Sandy, Andy and all you many Weisenburgers.*
Dave Stratso

David Stratso - January 04, 2021 at 12:41 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.*



January 04, 2021 at 11:35 AM



“ *May Tom rest in peace with our Lord and may His perpetual light shine upon him. I knew Tom professionally many years ago and always appreciated his wit. May the memories of the love and laughter you shared sustain his family and friends.*

David Weaks, Rossford OH - January 04, 2021 at 11:25 AM



“ *To the Weisenburger family,*

I am saddened by the news of your loss, but upon many reflections, was very blessed to have know Tom. He was always willing to listen and give sound practical advice. I always felt like I was a part of the family when I was around Tom and Sandy. Many faith based lessons were gleaned throughout my high school and college days.

His work ethic and faith were unmatched, and are two main qualities that I try and achieve each day. I am a far better person for having known Tom and the Weisenburger family. Please let me know if there is anything the Koz's can do to help.

Love,

Curt, Lisa, Emily, Anna, Nick and Kate Koslovsky

Curt W Koslovsky - January 04, 2021 at 10:27 AM

TS

“ We love you Weisenberger Family! Our family was blessed by Tom’s faith and fellowship! He will be missed here, but we rejoice as He is at home with the Lord!



Todd and Wendy Sabo - January 04, 2021 at 10:27 AM

DM

“ My heartfelt condolences go out to the entire Weisenburger family whom he loved so much. I was blessed to have known him professionally and felt always the warmest sense of friendship whenever we talked. My life is richer for him having been a part of it.

I will miss him and wish I’d called him in the last several weeks. I didn’t realize, I guess, how truly ill he was since I heard he was still going into the office.

Love and prayers to the family, Dayna Mohammadione

Dayna Mohammadione - January 04, 2021 at 08:08 AM

BS

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Weisenburger family. I always enjoyed talking to Tom either about the Old Newsboys or his Catholic faith. He will be missed. Bill Sanford

Bill Sanford - January 04, 2021 at 08:00 AM

CM

“ To Sandy and family. Tom introduced me to TCCY. He also was my referral to my job with the City of Toledo. He enjoyed youth, and recruiting them to TCCY. I recall dancing at your wedding . He. Had a great grin. Very proud of the family. Prayers for your loss, with love

Carl K Metoff. Lafayette, Colorado

carl k metoff - January 03, 2021 at 09:34 PM

BJ

“ Your family has our deepest sympathy. We enjoyed seeing him and getting his big smile, handshake and hearing stories of the family. Matt, you have our very special sympathy. He Loved all of you and his eyes shined when he talked about the grandkids. He was a special man. Berta and Jerry

Berta and Jerry - January 03, 2021 at 09:12 PM



“ Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.



January 03, 2021 at 07:45 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.



January 03, 2021 at 06:25 PM

FC

“ All of us will remember how we would turn to those around him in balcony at Mass and say: "The Lord gives us peace!" during the Sign of Peace. May God give you peace, Mr. Weisenburger!

Father Nathan Cromly - January 03, 2021 at 05:22 PM

JB

“ Jerry Bresnahan lit a candle in memory of Thomas Weisenburger



jerry Bresnahan - January 03, 2021 at 05:06 PM



Pete, So sorry you lost your dad. We are praying for you and your family.

Jerry Jr Bresnahan - January 03, 2021 at 05:08 PM

FC

I will always remember his enthusiasm and his encouraging presence. When you met Tom, you met someone whose Faith in God permeated his smile and presence. He was always interested, always smiling, always ready to encourage what was good and holy. May God welcome him into his final reward. Another true soldier of Christ!

Father Nathan Cromly - January 03, 2021 at 05:20 PM

TL

“ Tom was such a wonderful person. He always would say Hi and ask me about doing my basketball games. I just saw him in the courthouse and a very good conversation with him (even though he was with a clienthe just always made time for everyone) Tom you will be deeply missed. Rest In Peace Matt my deepest sympathy to you and your family. Hopefully you and your family will find peace in knowing your dad touched many hearts over the years

Tracy lindsey - January 03, 2021 at 11:55 AM

WR

Tom was a woundertul man inspired me to go to manressa on retreats

William Reed - January 03, 2021 at 03:14 PM

JT

“ Tom and the entire family are in our thoughts and prayers. We extend our sympathy. Tom was an amazing man and a blessing to not only family and friends, but the entire community. The Inner Vision family

Jane Thompson - January 03, 2021 at 11:10 AM

AS

“ To the Weisenburger family we are praying for you all. Tom is an amazing person so quick to day a joke and put a smile on your face. I loved sitting upstairs at church with family on Sunday. He will be missed very much such an amazing man. We will be praying for him and all of you if you need me please dont hesitate to call. God Bless you all

Andrew Szymanski - January 03, 2021 at 10:17 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.*



January 03, 2021 at 09:57 AM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.*



January 03, 2021 at 08:59 AM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.*



January 02, 2021 at 08:22 PM



“ *Joe, Callan Brayden & Brett Bousquet purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.*



Joe, Callan Brayden & Brett Bousquet - January 02, 2021 at 06:22 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Thomas Weisenburger.*



January 02, 2021 at 05:20 PM