



Mr. Pat Collins

April 27, 1938 - May 3, 2013

Pat Collins of Pontoosuc Lake, Pittsfield died Friday night, May 3, 2013, as the result of a heart attack. Born April 27, 1938 to Maurice and Mary O'Sullivan Collins in New Haven, CT, Pat went to St Francis School of Fair Haven and Notre Dame High School of CT before receiving his bachelor's degree from Boston College and his MBA from the University of Massachusetts. He worked for most of his adult career at the Ordnance Division of General Electric/Martin/Lockheed/General Dynamics of Pittsfield. In New Haven, he met Albertus student Marion "Mamie" Hunt who became his wife of 50 years and with whom they made their family with children Agnes, Brian, Kevin, Patrick and Maurice and their spouses Roy, Sara, Carrie, Lynn and Michele. Pat's grandchildren are Thor, Paddy, Fiona, Brendan, Aidan, Maeve, Olivia, Gabrielle, Siobhan, and Grace.

Pat served as President of the CYC, where he was volunteer of the year in 1981-82, The Berkshire Parochial School Association and was a volunteer Downeside of Berkshire County. He was most recently a volunteer at the St. Joseph's food pantry.

Funeral Notice:

Funeral services for Pat Collins will be Wednesday, May 8, 2013 at 9 a.m. from the Dwyer Funeral Home, 776 North St., Pittsfield MA 01201 with a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph's Church, celebrated by the Msgr. Michael A. Shershanovich, pastor and concelebrated by Rev. Geoffrey Deeker, CSS Priest in Residence. Burial will at the convenience of the family,

at a later date. Calling hours at the funeral home will be Tuesday, May 7, 2013 from 4 to 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the Collins family has asked that people support one of Pat's favorite charities; UNICEF, The Jimmy Fund, St. Francis School of Fair Haven CT and the St. Joseph's Food Pantry. Donations may be made, care of the Dwyer Funeral Home, in his memory. DONATIONS CANNOT BE MADE ONLINE, but may be made through the Dwyer Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall

ML

“ We are saddened to learn of Pat's passing. Please accept our thoughts and prayers for your family. Best to you all David, Alan and Maurice Leavitt

maurice leavitt - May 12, 2013 at 08:11 PM

JD

“ Mamie, please except my condolences on Pat's passing. The "physics major" were a particularly close group but Pat was one of three or four of us who were especially close. I now particularly regret having to miss our 50th reunion in 2010. The last time I saw you and Pat was at Maurice's baptism (where if I remember correctly, Pat had to tell the priest several times that the baby's name was not "Martin").

Again, my deepest condolences.
Jim Daly
Littleton, NH

Jim Daly - May 09, 2013 at 09:03 AM

CH

“ I am so sorry for your loss, Mo. One of the best dads in memory...

Charlie - May 08, 2013 at 06:59 AM

JD

“ Pat was a classmate at Notre Dame HS in West Haven. and was well liked and respected by all. As I recall, he and I were roommates at the Passionist Retreat Center in Farmington during Holy Week of our senior year. I was sorry to read of his passing and will keep him in my thoughts and prayers. My condolences to his family. ---
Jack Dolan, NDHS '55 - Wallingford, CT.

Jack Dolan - May 07, 2013 at 05:23 PM

LB

“ I am very saddened to hear of Pat's passing. I remember his great smile and hearty laugh from his days of courting Mamie, a courting which led to a wonderful marriage. The Collins family is in our prayers. Howard and Linda Kenworthy Bonavia



Linda Bonavia - May 07, 2013 at 12:43 PM

SC

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Pat, Mamie.
Sally Casper

Sally Casper - May 07, 2013 at 11:01 AM

SD

“ Dear Mamie & Family,
I was so sorry to hear of Pat's death. Please accept my condolences.

Shirley Mazotas Davis AMC '61

Shirley Mazotas Davis - May 07, 2013 at 10:19 AM

C(

“ Christine Rossi and Kim McLaughlin (EMC) purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Mr. Pat Collins.



Christine Rossi and Kim McLaughlin (EMC) - May 07, 2013 at 08:37 AM

PW

“ Paddy McNally & Catherine Ware purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Pat Collins.



Paddy McNally & Catherine Ware - May 07, 2013 at 03:15 AM

CC

“ Pat you were a fabulous person who was so kind to my son and daughter. You will be missed but never forgotten. Chris Canning



chris canning - May 07, 2013 at 01:51 AM

YC

“ Your family at Louis Vuitton Century City purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Pat Collins.



Your family at Louis Vuitton Century City - May 07, 2013 at 12:14 AM

FN

“ With our deepest sympathy and prayers.
Francis, Sharon, Connor & Liam
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Francis Neeley - May 06, 2013 at 08:26 PM

JC

“ John and Lisa Curran purchased the Beautiful in
Blue for the family of Mr. Pat Collins.



John and Lisa Curran - May 06, 2013 at 03:19 PM



“ Celestial Love was purchased for the family of
Mr. Pat Collins.



May 06, 2013 at 02:16 PM

YS

“ Your friends at State Street purchased the Beauti
ful in Blue for the family of Mr. Pat Collins.



Your friends at State Street - May 06, 2013 at 12:06 PM

DS

“ I am so sorry to hear of Pat's passing. I've known Pat for a number of years and always found it a pleasure to work with him. Unfortunately I'm out of town on business this week and won't be able to attend the funeral. My most heartfelt condolences go out to his family. I will always remember Pat.

Donald Sensus

Doanld Sensus - May 06, 2013 at 05:54 AM