



Mr. Allan J. "AJ" Howie

August 7, 1931 - October 26, 2022

Allan J. "AJ" Howie passed October 26, 2022 quietly at his daughter's home in Longmeadow, MA. A long-time resident of Lenox, MA and Oviedo, FL he spent his childhood years in the Bronx, NY.

If you'd met him, you'd remember. Always the first to offer the helping hand. This kind, hardworking, generous man was the guy everyone wanted to call friend. We were the lucky ones, we just called him dad.

In 1989, After 37 years he retired from his "real" job at GE Ordnance. Jack of all trades, Master of ALL, we stopped counting the many hats he wore a long time ago. He was a Navy man during the Korean War, serving on the USS Buckley, alongside his brother Doug. He loved his 40 years as a Lenox Fireman, serving in many roles, he always said his first car was a 37 Chevy. But his first truck? Engine #2.

In 1999, Allan lost his wife Marie, they were married in July 1957. In the years since, his brother Doug, wife Dottie and his great grandson Jax Steinberg.

Where would you like to be dad? Outside! IN THE SUN!

We love you. As you did, we'll continue to pay it forward.

Joey, Patty, Danny, Katye, Scott, Jillian, Eric, Robert, Susie, Sarah, Allan II, Elisabeth, Matthew, Emily, Cheryl, Gage, Jax, Claire, James, Matthew, Thomas, Scarlett and Elaine, Emily, Lisa, and Scott. Friends and family
When you walk outside today with the warmth of the sun on your face. You'll know.

The funeral mass for Mr. Allan J. Howie will be held on November 1, 2022 at

11:00am in St. Ann's Church. Calling hours will proceed the service from 9:00am-10:30am at the Roche Funeral Home, 120 Main Street, Lenox, MA 01240

In memoriam, donations may be made in AJ's name to the Lenox Fire Company in care of the funeral home.

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 1. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Roche Funeral Home
120 Main Street
P.O. Box 152
Lenox, MA 01240
(413) 637-0699
eroche120fh@gmail.com

Service

NOV 1. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (ET)

St. Ann's Church
134 Main Street
Lenox, MA 01240

Burial

NOV 1. 11:45 AM - 12:15 PM (ET)

St. Ann's Cemetery
1 Ore Bed Road
Lenox, MA 01240

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Patty and Joe. Larry and I just want to say how sorry we are for the loss of your dad. He was beyond a wonderful person and neighbor. He and your mom were always available for us to call on them if needed. Often your dad had to run over to our house to help the girls with our naughty dog when they got off the school bus.. Oh the stories I could tell you, and I would love to share the stories with you. We were sad that we could not make the services today due to our work schedules. Please know we keep you both and your families in our prayers, and thank you for sharing your dad with us on High Street.

Most sincerely, Teresa and Larry Decker

Teresa Tanner Decker - November 01, 2022 at 06:55 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Mr. Allan J. "AJ" Howie.



October 31, 2022 at 01:52 PM



“ Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Allan J. "AJ" Howie.



October 31, 2022 at 12:41 PM

CQ

“ So sorry for your loss. Sincerely, Jim and Carole Quinn

Carole Quinn - October 30, 2022 at 01:00 PM

DG

“ David and Michelle Glidden purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Mr. Allan J. "AJ" Howie.



David and Michelle Glidden - October 30, 2022 at 09:23 AM

YF

“ Your Liberty Bank Family purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Mr. Allan J. "AJ" Howie.



Your Liberty Bank Family - October 28, 2022 at 04:16 PM