



## Mr Thomas James Cadorette

February 26, 1945 - October 7, 2020

Thomas James Cadorette, 75, of Lenox died Wednesday, October 7th at Berkshire Medical Center following a brief illness.

Tom was born in Pittsfield MA on February 26, 1945 to the late Henry and Catherine Street Cadorette and attended Lenox High School. Tom enlisted in the United States Army in 1962, completed the Airborne course Infantry School in Hawaii in 1963 and served in the Vietnam War in 1965. Tom served in the US National Guard until his honorable discharge in 1968.

Tom was a member of the Local 473 Laborers Union as a plasterer/taper and later in life was self-employed in the same, until he retired in 2013.

Tom loved spending time with family and friends telling stories, canoeing, painting landscapes or still life's; collecting turtles and watching the antique roadshow. He was a wonderful man and made everyone who knew him laugh and smile. He especially loved being with his daughters, son in law and grandsons.

Tom is survived by his 2 daughters. Jayce M. Hall, her husband Erik Hall and 2 grandsons Ian T. Oliver J. Hall, of Plymouth, MA; Mireille Cadorette her boyfriend Eric Bombard and his 3 children of East Greenbush, NY. His sister Cathleen Nolan and her husband Joseph of Lenox, MA. Tom was especially close to so many nieces, nephews, cousins, "adopted" kids and a huge number of friends. He will be missed dearly.

Besides his parents, Tom is predeceased by his brother, Henry Cadorette and sister, Pamela Sweeney.

Calling hours for Mr. Thomas J. Cadorette will be Sunday, October 18th from 1pm-3pm. A burial at Mountain View Cemetery Monday 19th to be announced. In lieu of flowers, donations in Tom's memory may be made to Elder Services of Berkshire County, 877 South Street Suite 4E, Pittsfield, MA 01201.

# Cemetery Details

## Mountain View Cemetery

Housatonic Street  
Lenox, MA 01240

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **18**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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

## Burial

OCT **19**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Mountain View Cemetery  
Housatonic Street  
Lenox, MA 01240

# Tribute Wall

DD

“ Tom was my best buddy in the Service. Did time in the field together, enjoyed each others company. Great guy...  
Denny from Chicago 🤘

Dennis WP Davis - April 03, 2023 at 04:09 PM

DD

I remember when we where in the barracks goofing around. From our bunk beds was steps to the outside Lanai leading to the latrine. The floors looked like terrazzo but old. The latrine had swinging doors like the old time cowboy bars. Tom and I where goofing and I was taking a shower in the latrine. He was sneaking up on me and was going to scare me when I came out..... Inside the latrine the floor was the perfect height of about one inch, Tom was in the doorway waiting for me and out on the lanai, the funny thing about it was both doors had small windows and swung both ways..... Tom's foot was just at the right location and his Big Toe was situated just right , so when I opened the door I swung the door and it caught his Big Toe Nail and pushed it up and tore off his nail. He was hurting and we both laughed like heck as I took him to the infirmary. I still tell that story about his nail today....  
Love ya buddy Den 🤘

Dennus WP Davis - May 26, 2023 at 04:00 PM

MC

Dennis this was very moving to see and read my dad was my best friend and so unusual I ended up here I have not looked at this in over a year , it just popped up on my phone. He talked about you and Joe all the time. You call any time 518-857-0067 Mireille

Mireille Cadorette - July 28, 2023 at 09:49 AM



“ Tom was one of a kind! I have many fond memories of him stemming from my time in Lenox. We think of him often with happiness....always giggle and smile when his name is mentioned. "But you can't stay here!" ....My deepest condolences to the family.



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**Margaret Day** - October 22, 2020 at 11:20 AM

PH

“ My deepest condolences Mireille and your family. Mireille I enjoyed the times with you when you talked about your dad and shared stories. I would of loved to have met him. I'm sure him and I would of gotten along fine. Even on our political differences. Lol  
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much love from Eric's mom.

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**Penny Horrocks** - October 17, 2020 at 10:45 AM

JM

“ I'll always remember you, my friend. You were just the BEST!!!  
My condolences to your family and friends.

*R.I.P.*

*Jean MacGowan*

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**Jean MacGowan** - October 15, 2020 at 05:57 PM

RM

“ Jayce and Family,  
I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time.  
Gina MacDonald and famiy

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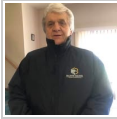
**Regina MacDonald** - October 14, 2020 at 12:47 PM

JL

“ *Your dad was a good person/friend and I have fond memories and wild stories.*

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**Jane Lefkowitz** - October 14, 2020 at 06:49 AM



*Was in the service with your dad, great guy.. We where in the same squad in Hawaii*

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**Dennis W P Davis** - April 27, 2022 at 02:34 PM

EZ

“ *To Jayce and Mireille and their families: I remember your dad as a young father, dropping off or picking up you two at your grandparents' home on Melrose Avenue in Pittsfield. He always had a great sense of humor and struck me as a wonderful father. So sorry to see him go before his time. May he rest in peace and his memory comfort you and your families. With love, from the Zarek Family.*

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**Ellyn Zarek** - October 13, 2020 at 07:10 PM

JR

“ *Tommy Cadorette: The Fonz well before there ever was a "Happy Days".*  
*-John Roche-*

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**John T. Roche** - October 13, 2020 at 01:22 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Mr Thomas James Cadorette.



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October 13, 2020 at 12:59 PM



“ *With sincere sympathy to your family, John Breen & Denise Coughlin Breen*

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**JOHN BREEN** - October 13, 2020 at 11:36 AM