



Edward M. Dougherty Sr

October 29, 1934 - March 31, 2022

Edward M. Dougherty Sr. affectionately known as Poppy, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on Thursday, March 31, 2022. Beloved husband of the late Claire Dougherty (nee Canning). Loving father of Edward (Joann), Claire (Robert) Davies, Joseph (Denise), Patrick (Margaret), Kathleen and David (April). Cherished Poppy to 16 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. He earned a living as a truck driver for Keystone Wire and Iron in Bethayres, PA for over 30 years. He also worked for United Refrigeration (post retirement). After growing up in Cape May Court House, Poppy lived in various places including Philadelphia, Maple Shade and Atco, NJ. He loved taking trips to Cape May to visit his siblings as well as trips to casinos in AC and Philly. Poppy was an avid Eagles fan and season ticket holder dating back to the days of Franklin field. Poppy was beyond thrilled when they finally won the Super Bowl. Poppy enjoyed watching sports of all kinds with the Eagles and Sixers being his favorites. He often vacationed down the Jersey shore, spending time with his family.

A gathering of family and friends will be held Thursday, April 7th, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Givnish of Maple Shade 600 East Main Street. Funeral Service begins at 11 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in Poppy's name to Disabled Veterans <https://www.dav.org/>

To share your fondest memories of Poppy, please visit www.givnish.com

Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

APR 7. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Givnish Funeral Home Maple Shade
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Givnish Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Edward M. Dougherty Sr*



Givnish Funeral Home - April 06, 2022 at 10:14 AM

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“ Pop, I L♥VE and miss you SOOOO much and I wish you were still here so you could see how GREAT your favorite team, your EAGLES are doing! I hope you have the BEST seat in the house now! I miss hanging out with you, taking you over my friend's houses for parties and BBQS, everyone used to wonder why... because you were one of us! You brought more life to the party! You were the life of the party! We had our ups and downs through the years and I know I made it hard sometimes but we ended up so close and you ended up spending the most time and hanging out with me and I wouldn't have wanted it any other way or changed it for the world! So much fun and so many good times we had! I almost couldn't even believe it but I'm SOOOO glad we ended up that way! I still think about you each and every day and one of the last things you wanted to do was to take me, Caitlin and your gorgeous great granddolls out to eat, sadly and unfortunately you started failing and deteriorating so quickly it was not meant to be but I made sure I told them all that was all you kept talking about and we all remember the times you DID take us out for breakfast, lunch or dinner! I'll never forget the time in Nifty Fifty's when Cami was only about two years old and she kept walking down to you at the end of the booth and taking your hat, then bringing it back, putting it back on, then taking it again and bringing it back and putting it back on and she must've done it nearly a half a dozen times and it was so cute and you loved it and thought it was so funny and it definitely was! I wish you were still here to enjoy them and I know you would be SOOO proud of all of them! I always said I wanted you to live to see the Eagles win the Super Bowl and I was SOOO happy you did and I know you saw them win one again last year and I hope and pray we do again this year and I like to think it has to do with you being up there putting in a good word! L♥VE and miss you my party pal! (I know everyone was JEALOUS!) 😂😂😂 I know more than one of your other kids asked WHY IS HE ALWAYS HANGING OUT WITH KATE? POPPY'S OUT WITH KATE AGAIN? I KNOW IT'S BECAUSE I WAS YOUR FAVORITE! 😂😂😂♥️😭 L♥VE and MISS you



SOOOO much P❤️P🙏, your FAVORITE, Kate.
XOXOXOXOXOXOXOXOXO

Katie Dougherty - January 06 at 03:50 AM



“ Edward M. Dougherty Sr

September 09, 2022 at 01:27 AM



“ Gertie & George Canning purchased the Serene
Retreat for the family of Edward M. Dougherty Sr.



Gertie & George Canning - April 06, 2022 at 06:32 PM



“ Well my dear Uncle Ed.I have loved you from forever. You were just
a boy when I was born.I do not know a time without you.I suppose
that I will have to learn
God only knows
I shall meet you at the Gate someday my dear.

Lin DeLape - April 06, 2022 at 11:15 AM



“ Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family
of Edward M. Dougherty Sr.



April 05, 2022 at 12:33 PM

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“ 9 files added to the tribute wall



Thedocs4 - April 02, 2022 at 05:25 PM

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“ Denise and Family, sorry for the loss of Poppy, Our deepest thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We miss playing poker with Ed at our Senior Building.
Love Rita & Mark

Rita George - April 02, 2022 at 10:25 AM



Thank you! He spoke of you all! He loved playing cards.

Claire Davies - April 02, 2022 at 11:32 PM



Thank you Rita, Poppy will be sorely missed and I know he will miss all of you. ❤️

Denise Dougherty - April 03, 2022 at 06:31 PM

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Thank you! Poppy always spoke highly of all of his card playing crew! I know he enjoyed himself every week and I thank you all for being there for him ❤️

Katie Dougherty - April 15, 2022 at 09:30 PM