



## George F. Emmons

June 22, 1945 - January 18, 2018

George F. Emmons, age 72, of Stamford, died suddenly at home on Thursday, January 18, 2018. Born June 22, 1945 in Endicott, NY to George and Natalie Emmons, he grew up primarily in Rye Brook, NY. After graduating from Archbishop Stepinac High School in White Plains, NY, he earned a Bachelor's degree in History from the College of the Holy Cross and a Masters in Communications from Syracuse University. George was drafted into the U.S. Army and served in the Vietnam War as a motor pool clerk until his honorable discharge in 1970. George spent his career in advertising sales for both radio and television. He moved to Connecticut in 1975, living in Bridgeport for 19 years and Stamford for 22 years. George was an avid golfer, history buff, movie quoter and New York Mets fan, George was very engaging and kind to everyone he encountered. He was a man of simple needs, treasured his family most, and was the most wonderful, caring, and doting father. He is survived by his two sons, Michael G. Emmons of Stamford and Christopher T. Emmons of Bridgeport; sisters Mary (Neil) Tergesen of Rye, NY and Anne (Edward) Murphy of Winnetka, IL; four nieces and three nephews; fourteen grand-nieces and nephews, many extended family and friends. A memorial service celebrating his life will be held 2 p.m. to 4 p.m, on Saturday, February 3, 2018 at Bosak Funeral Home, 453 Shippan Ave, Stamford. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Greater Opportunities for Adults with Learning Disabilities (GOALD), P.O Box 363, Fairfield, CT 06824. The family has entrusted George's final arrangements with Bosak Funeral Home, 453 Shippan Avenue, in Stamford, CT. If you care to leave an online condolence message you may visit the family guestbook at [www.bosakfuneralhome.com](http://www.bosakfuneralhome.com) or on Facebook at [facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome](https://facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome).

# Comments

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“ My wife and I met George and his son Michael long ago as neighbors in the apartment building where we rented. Mike would sit on the stairs at the end of our hallway with one of our cats on his lap.

George and I met routinely and discussed everything under the sun, from politics to sports to broadcasting and entertainment. These conversations and phone calls continued when we moved elsewhere in Springdale, and both George & Mike would join us for summer cookouts, holiday dinners, and Super Bowls.

I was saddened to learn recently of George's passing, having not seen him or heard from him in almost one year. Our condolences go out to his sons Mike and Christopher, and to his family at large.

George, you were like a second pops and you are missed!

-Chris and Denney K.  
Springdale

**Chris K.** - June 21, 2018 at 05:26 PM

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“ I am sorry for your loss. George and I volunteered together on Tuesday mornings at the New Covenant Center food pantry. We will miss his company and assistance. He will be remembered for his long service to the pantry and the people he helped.

**Carl Funch** - February 04, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ George, I will never forget your welcoming me back to Saint Gabriel Church, sitting with me at mass every week for the last two plus years. You were a real help to me in coming back to Christ. I will pray for you every week, but I know you snapped up to heaven in record speed. A new angel awaits all of us and is looking down with help to us all until we get there to see you again. You will be missed in the fourth aisle, but will never ever be forgotten. My sincere condolences for your family whom I know you loved so dearly

**Ginny Vicinus** - February 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Your friends from Holy Cross days...and afterwards...will miss you, George. Starting with me, my dear friend. Even as I write, I know you're training those heavenly choirs to sing those old Crusader fight songs. Give another hoya and a choo-choo rah-rah, a choo-choo rah-rah for Holy Cross! Fight on as knights of old, kiddo!

**Jim Higgins** - February 03, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Sadly, I missed the opportunity to get to know George personally at the College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, MA. I am very pleased to learn of his devotion to being the best father of which he was capable - such dedication to that vocation is most highly admirable in my view. I am also glad that he did survive what must have been a terrible war time experience for any human being in Southeast Asia in those harsh and inhumane years of senseless conflict. I am sure that his time on the golf course was thoroughly enjoyed - that last putt on each hole is a perfect one since it does find the bottom of the cup! I know that this most worthy classmate of mine will be sorely missed by those who were far luckier than I (since I never had the privilege of getting to know him while he was here on the planet with us). He has left far more than a footprint on this earth. May he rest in peace throughout eternity.

**Holy Cross Classmate** - February 02, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Bon voyage et bon atterrissage, Georgie. We'll all be there with you when the last b-ball goes swish & the last pigskin crosses the line. I see your face.

**Tom Venus** - February 02, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ George was a gem of a guy I gladly remember as a friend at Holy Cross. My sincerest condolences to his family and loved ones.

**Peter Esposito** - February 02, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Good Bye Dear Friend. I extend my sincerest condolences to the entire Emmons family. He was truly a wonderful man beloved by many of his friends. Most surely, many of us are smiling through our tears. He may be gone but he is not forgotten.  
Mike Muccigrosso

**michael muccigrosso** - February 02, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ So sorry for your loss of George. He'll be missed on the golf course.

February 02, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Good bye dear friend. My sincerest condolences to Michael, Christopher and the entire Emmons family. He is gone but not forgotten, ~Mike Muccigrosso

**Michael Muccigrosso** - February 02, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ I give my condolences to the Emmons family.The short time I knew George was of him Volunteering at the New Covenant Center.He was stern but he had a kind heart if you get to know him.May he Rlp George.

**Joy Poteau** - February 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Thank you for serving our country.A grateful American

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