



Edward J. Mehan Jr.

April 11, 1932 - January 17, 2021

Edward J. Mehan Jr. passed away peacefully in his sleep on Sunday, January 17, 2021 after a lengthy illness. He was born on April 11, 1932 and was son the of the late Josephine (Czescik) and Edward J. Mehan Sr.

Ed was a graduate of the Holy Name School and Stamford High School, Class of 1949. He then served in the US Army and was stationed in Austria as a mechanic. He also played for the Army's exhibition football team. Ed was a firefighter for the City of Stamford, retiring after 44 years of service. He was a lifetime member of the Ponus Yacht Club and avid weightlifter.

Ed was a longtime member of Holy Name of Jesus Church, to honor his memory, please consider making a donation to the: Holy Name of Jesus Restoration Fund, 4 Pulaski Street, Stamford, CT 06902.

Edward is survived by his longtime partner, Elizabeth Serafin Faski; his daughters, Monica Mehan Bach and Grace Mehan DeVito (Ralph); two grandchildren Ralph J. DeVito III and Gaea Claire DeVito; and by his siblings Maryann Mehan Deary (Paul) and Dr. William Mehan (Ellen Currie).

He was predeceased by his sister Judy Mehan Davidson and his former wife, Patricia Nichols.

His funeral services will be private at this time. A memorial service will be celebrated in the Summer for the public.

If you would like to leave a condolence message online please visit the family guestbook to share memories with his family at www.bosakfuneralhome.com or www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome.

Tribute Wall

PM

“ Edju was always there for as long as I can remember. A wonderful Godfather and a true friend to my parents. God bless him and keep him.

Paula Maciolek Marchese

Paula Maciolek Marchese - May 13, 2021 at 09:41 PM

AK

“ We always enjoyed seeing Ed at Mass at Holy Name Church. We was a wonderful person and will be missed by many.

Pat & Al Koproski

Al & Pat Koproski - February 01, 2021 at 03:25 PM

AL

“ As I reflect on my childhood memories there are so many that include our families together, The Mehan's. My Uncle Ed such an amazing, inspirational, strong, kind person. He reminded me of my grandpa and was always around to lend a hand. As a young girl he was willing to take me on the fire truck and as I got older collected cans for me from the fire house crew. I admired him for his strength, kind words and love for going to polka festivals with Betty. He really touched my heart when he traveled to Montana in 2018 to be with all of his siblings. I have cherished memories of experiencing Uncle Ed and his siblings enjoying each other. Life is a circle, meant to be lived and it is the memories we have that keep us going. Uncle Ed, love you, miss you and Rest In Peace!

Amy James Linton

Amy James Linton - January 24, 2021 at 07:55 PM

KO

“ Sorry to hear of Eddies passing ,Ed was a good friend and great guy to work with at 4 Co
May he rest in peace
Kieran and Una O'Connell

Kieran O'Connell - January 24, 2021 at 03:38 PM

JC

“ We were saddened to hear of Ed's passing. Our deepest condolences to your family. May Ed rest in peace.

Joe & Chris Czescik

Joseph Czescik - January 24, 2021 at 12:28 PM

MD

“ Dearest Betty, Monica and Grace,

I was so extremely blessed to have Edziu as my “big” brother. He was such a kind, gentle, strong person who influenced many lives, including mine and my family. When my children were very young, they always wanted to visit Uncle Eddie at the fire house, where they could sit in the fire truck and blow the loud horn. I have such fond memories of Edziu’s joy of polka dancing and loved to dance with him. I will always cherish the wonderful memories of my beloved brother and he will forever be in my heart.

Mary Ann Mehan Deary

Mary Ann Mehan Deary - January 22, 2021 at 12:49 PM

LP

“ To Betty, Monica, Grace and their families, from my heart, please accept my deepest, deepest condolences.
Ed was an incredible man and I had tremendous respect for him. For as long as I have been friends with Monica, many, no most, of our conversations never concluded without an update about how “Ed and Betty” were doing. I say this with a smile on my face. I thank you for treating me as part of your family over the years. Please know that Ed will continue to be the bright spot of our conversation because I know how much Monica loved him and how special he and Betty are to her. As they are to me. Much love and peace to you all. Lynda Pasquarella

Lynda Pasquarella - January 22, 2021 at 10:51 AM

EM

“ St. Florian, Patron of Firefighters, pray for Ed.
I had a great time working with Ed at Fire Station #4 many years ago.
My sincere sympathy to the family.

Ed Malarkey - January 21, 2021 at 09:17 PM

JT

“ I'm saddened by the passing of my friend Ed, what a pleasure working with him on the job at 4 co. Great guy and always easy going.,I will never forget the time on the we needed a hand lifting this large person on the long board to get her out of the her apartment.,We could'nt lift her,Ed picked her up,like it was nothing. We put her in the bus and I thanked Ed over and over, he just said he was happy to help,that's the kind of guy he was. RIP you will missed.John T

John Telesco - January 21, 2021 at 09:04 PM

FJ

“ Our Uncle Ed was a man’s man – big, strong and a man of few words. He was also smart, well-read, humble and caring. My neighborhood pals and I spent a great deal of our teenage years and beyond in his garage (“Ed’s Gym”), where we were always welcome. In addition to keeping us out of trouble, Ed’s Gym created life-long friendships, memories, and commitments to fitness. Uncle Ed was one of the most impactful people in my life and I will miss him. God bless Uncle Ed, as well as Betty, Monica, Grace, Mary Ann (Mom), Bill and our entire (extended) family. Love, Freddy

Fred James - January 21, 2021 at 05:20 PM

GD

Thanks Fred, I know my father was very fond of you. He really enjoyed having you and the neighborhood guys working out in his gym. He was a very kind and unassuming man who will be missed greatly.
Grace

Grace Devito - January 23, 2021 at 07:42 AM

WM

“ Uncle Ed was such a great man. As a child, I was in awe of Ed being a fireman and I really looked up to him as a hero. He was always so kind and generous. I cherished the times that he visited us in NH or when we went down to CT for the holidays. My fondest and most recent memory of Ed was sitting on the deck at the Ponus Yacht Club, drinking beers and just chatting about everything. Betty, Monica and Grace, I'm so sorry for your loss. Love, Will Mehan

Will Mehan - January 21, 2021 at 03:16 PM

RM

“ I'm so sorry to hear of Ed's passing. i knew him for the Edge of which he was there everyday for many years. What a great man. He always had nice things to say. First time i meant him he asked my name and said i may forget it so remind me. Well that was 15 years ago and he never missed. Will always miss you Ed!

Ronald N Montross - January 21, 2021 at 02:08 PM

AS

“ My Uncle Ed was so extremely kind and generous, and my memories with him will always warm my heart. My family and I loved him dearly, and he will be greatly missed. Betty, Monica and Grace, I am so sorry for your loss. Love, Anne Mehan Scola

Anne Mehan Scola - January 21, 2021 at 01:51 PM

DM

“ My brother was the most admired person in my life . He was well-read , smart , humble and generous . I will surly miss his friendship and always support

Dr William A Mehan - January 21, 2021 at 11:25 AM

JO

“ ED was one of the most pleasant good natured man i ever had the pleasure to have met i will remember him always rest in peace my friend JOHN O'CONNOR

John O'Connor - January 21, 2021 at 10:49 AM

RW

“ Betty, Monica, Grace
Sally and I pass along our condolences on the passing of Ed.
Rich and Sally Wolk

RICHARD WOLK - January 21, 2021 at 06:08 AM

DC

“ *Such a great guy and a great Firefighter. Rest in piece my friend. My condolences to the Ed's family. Donald Corrigan*

Donald Corrigan - January 20, 2021 at 02:52 PM

TG

“ *Tom Gloersen lit a candle in memory of Edward J. Mehan Jr.*



Tom Gloersen - January 20, 2021 at 10:51 AM

TG

Always a pleasure to work with Eddie--a good man!

Tom Gloersen - January 20, 2021 at 10:53 AM

CK

“ *I am very sorry for your loss, Ed was second to none, one of the nicest guys I have ever known. I met Eddgu as my father called him when I was a young man, he was good friends with my father, they used to tell stories of weight lifting car axles because they didn't have money for a weight set, that story has always stuck with me. I then started working for the city of Stamford fire department and got to know him on a more personal level. I saw Ed a few months ago at the Ponus Yacht Club when he stooped down for a quick visit, it was always nice to speak to him, he will be missed by all who's life he touched.*

May he rest in peace.

Chester J Koproski

Chester Koproski - January 20, 2021 at 10:51 AM