



## Edward J. O'Neill

September 4, 1940 - August 17, 2025

Edward J. O'Neill, 84, of Stamford, CT passed away on Sunday, August 17, 2025.

He is survived by his loving wife of 59 years, Marie O'Neill (Tassitano), his daughter and son, Kimberly and Eddie O'Neill, and his two grandchildren, Charles Edward O'Neill and Ella Jayne O'Neill and his beloved cat, Captain Jack.

Edward was predeceased by his beautiful mother, Rhoda Fitzsimmons O'Neill and his father, Edward O'Neill of Sarasota FL and his four older siblings: Charles O'Neill of Frankfurt, Germany, Rhoda Futterman of Stuart, FL and Albert O'Neill of Walterboro, SC.

Edward proudly served his Country enlisting in the US Navy, spending a majority of his four years on the aircraft carrier, USS Saratoga. Shortly after his service time, Ed met and married his wife of almost 60 years, Marie. Together, they moved their family to Darien where they resided for many happy years with a myriad of wonderful memories.

In addition to his family and grandchildren, Edward considered his sobriety one of his greatest blessings. Throughout his more than 50-year journey in AA, Edward became a pillar of strength and hope to many; welcoming and

helping those in need of a healthier path in life was his mission. He remained stern to the principles and practices of what was taught to him, because all of this is what helped him be a man of great ethics, love, and honor. He has made many, many friends over the last 50 years, spreading that kind of message.

Ed was a very successful and talented craftsman and General Contractor for more than 45 years. He was a gentleman, who was fair and honest with everyone who had the pleasure of doing business with him.

He will be missed by many.

Visitation hours will take place on Monday, August 25th from 4pm to 6pm at Bosak Funeral Home & Cremation, 453 Shippan Avenue, Stamford, CT followed by a Prayer Service at 6pm at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers please donate to: <https://autismsociety.org/> or The American Heart Association.

If you wish to make a remembrance for the family, you may sign the family guestbook at [www.bosakfuneralhome.com](http://www.bosakfuneralhome.com) or [www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome](http://www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 25. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Bosak Funeral Home & Cremation  
453 Shippan Avenue  
Stamford, CT 06902

## Prayer Service

AUG 25. 6:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

JC

“ Ed shared the gift of sobriety with so many over the years, freely and joyfully. One of our most treasured "old timers," he will be sorely missed.

Jacquie Carlsen - August 25, 2025 at 10:25 AM

SG

“ Sincere condolences to Cousin Marie and family during this difficult time. May it comfort you to know that Ed made a difference while he walked his path in life.  
He made sobriety attractive,, because he lived it so well. He walked the walk & talked the talk and helped so many people. He did it one day at a time.  
Much love and respect,  
Sally Goldstein

Sally Goldstein - August 22, 2025 at 07:20 PM



“ Welcoming Kim and Eddie's friends with open arms. A father to all us teens back then!  
So happy to have known your father and to have heard his message of sobriety.  
An angel on earth and now an angel among us  
Sending love and strength to you all

Karen Nilsson - August 21, 2025 at 03:17 PM

SB

“ My sincerest condolences. May his memory be a blessing

Steven Blum - August 21, 2025 at 01:00 PM

EB

“ *a true treasure.He will be missed.  
May he memory be a blessing.*

*Ed Buckley*

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**Ed Buckley** - August 20, 2025 at 06:52 PM

JJ

*To the wonderful and lucky family of his none of us will find a better friend do not miss a memory my thoughts are with you stay strong.  
Jimmy ienner*

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**jimmy ienner** - August 22, 2025 at 07:25 PM

LR

*Marie Ed and Kim we are sorry to hear of ed passing larry spent much fun times with ed and I with msrie memories of dear Rhoda too much love larry and ginger rhodes blessings*

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**Larry rhodes** - August 23, 2025 at 09:01 PM