



James "Thomas" Rafferty

February 21, 1928 - October 2, 2020

James "Thomas" Rafferty, 92, of Fishers, passed away October 2, 2020. He was born February 21, 1928 in Fort Wayne, Indiana to the late Rex N. and Helen Broadstreet Rafferty. Thomas proudly served his country in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He received his Bachelor's Degree from Butler University, and his Masters from Indiana University. Thomas married Barbara J. Fark, and was employed as a pharmacist for Methodist Hospital for 15 years. He was a longtime member of Christ the Savior Lutheran Church.

Thomas is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Barbara Rafferty; children, Beth Rafferty, Thomas W. (Kris) Rafferty, Marcia Zgirta, Charles (Peggi) Rafferty and John (Stephanie) Rafferty; 10 grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. A grandson, Jamie Zgirta; and a brother, Charles P. Rafferty, preceded him in death.

Memorial contributions in Thomas' name may be made to the American Heart Association and/or Riley Children's Hospital and/or Autism Speaks. Final care and arrangements are entrusted to Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel.

Tribute Wall

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“ Tom was a good soul to come visit us at the farm all these years always the life of the party. I think it has been about more than 65 years since Barb first brought him here. All the kids we traded back and forth made life more interesting. He was a special person to allow us part of his time of life. God bless your alone time Barb and all the family. Love you, Romaine

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