



Trung Van Tong

May 10, 1948 - January 30, 2023

FITCHBURG: Trung Van Tong, 74, of Fitchburg died peacefully surrounded by loved ones on 01/30/2023 at 8:10PM.

Mr. Tong was born in Ben Tre, Vietnam on May 10, 1948 a son of Hien Van and Ai Thi (Ho) Tong and has resided in Fitchburg for nearly forty years.

Mr. Tong served his country in the South Vietnamese Military, during the Vietnam War. It was through his bravery and dedication that left him no choice but to relocate out of post war Vietnam to find a better future for his immediate and extended family. Thus embarking on an arduous journey on the South China sea and several years in refugee camps before immigrating to the United States.

He was known to be a hardworking “hands on” man who could fix anything. He was always willing to help those in need and was a well respected member of the Vietnamese community. He especially enjoyed quality time with his close friends and family. His cheerful demeanor and quick witted humor brightened any gathering.

Mr. Tong leaves his wife of 50 years, Binh (Nguyen) Tong; two sons, Tam Tong of Reading, Quoc Tong of Fitchburg; three daughters, Chau Tong of Los Angeles, Trang Tong of Burlington, Linda Tong of Salem; six grandchildren,

Kaylee Tong, Aivy Tong, Evan Tong, Lena Tong, Zachary Yau, Nicholas Yau and Calvin Tong. Predeceased by grand daughter Casey Tong Ta.

Mr. Tong's family will receive relatives and friends at calling hours 4-7 PM Thursday, 02/02 at the Isabelle & Anderson Funeral Home, 316 Clarendon Street, Fitchburg.

A funeral service will be held 10 AM Friday February 3, 2023 in the Funeral Home. A private family cremation service will follow the service.

The family will not be receiving donations or flowers.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

FEB 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Isabelle & Anderson Funeral Home
316 Clarendon Street
fitchburg, MA 01420
brian@andersonfuneral.com

Funeral Service

FEB 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Binh and family, George and I wish that we had met you all earlier in our lives and gotten to know Trung better. He clearly was a man of great courage with strong convictions. We have wonderful memories of the weekend with him and your family at the wedding of Châu and Christopher. Trung, may your spirit rest in eternal peace after a life well lived. Love to all, George and Elizabeth Snedeker

Elizabeth Snedeker - February 02, 2023 at 01:25 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Trung Van Tong.



February 02, 2023 at 09:50 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Trung Van Tong.



February 02, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Trung Van Tong.*



February 01, 2023 at 11:44 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Trung Van Tong.*



February 01, 2023 at 09:32 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Trung Van Tong.*



February 01, 2023 at 08:55 PM



“ *Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Trung Van Tong.*



February 01, 2023 at 08:44 PM

MB

“ *life-long friends*



Mai Barlow - February 01, 2023 at 03:43 PM

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so delightful to know the Tong family.

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chia tay là nỗi buồn ngọt ngào

<3 Mai and Bernie

Mai Barlow - February 01, 2023 at 03:58 PM

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“ *Mai Barlow lit a candle in memory of Trung Van Tong*



Mai Barlow - February 01, 2023 at 03:42 PM

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“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Bernard J Barlow - January 31, 2023 at 02:57 PM

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The Gang on Saturday!

Bernard J Barlow - January 31, 2023 at 07:59 PM

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Bernard J Barlow - January 31, 2023 at 08:01 PM

MJ

Dear Chau and Christopher, I was so sorry to hear of the passing of your father. He was indeed esteemed and beloved by his family and community. He will live in your hearts forever. Look for him as you go through life- in all you do , his favorite activities, his laughter, a beautiful day he would enjoy, a comment you remember that he made. You will carry him with you everywhere and continue to be proud of all he did in his lifetime. He is now part of you. I will be thinking of you in the days ahead. Love, Mary Jameson

Mary Jameson - February 01, 2023 at 03:24 PM

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“ *Mr. Trung was a special friend of the Barlow family for over 50 years. We invited his family into our home when he first arrived in Fitchburg. He quickly set out to assimilate into the USA all while maintaining his cultural heritage and sharing it with friends and family. As a fellow soldier we shared a brotherly bond and maintained the "Work hard/ Play hard" experience. His true humor (rather sleep in an incense factory than a fish factory" was enjoyed but also his sincerety (Mọi người nói rằng thời gian trôi qua; thời gian nói rằng mọi người trôi qua) People say that time goes by; time says that the people go by. Nice Tie Ông. tám Love Barlow family*



Bernard J Barlow - January 31, 2023 at 02:54 PM

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*Actually 40 years
I am still teary eyed*

Bernard J Barlow - January 31, 2023 at 02:55 PM