



## Thomas Stuart Cameron

July 12, 1935 - June 21, 2024

It is with deep sorrow that the children announce the passing of their beloved father, Thomas S. Cameron. Tom, as he was affectionately known, peacefully joined his Heavenly Father on June 21, 2024.

The compassionate team at Goldfinch Funeral Home is caring for the family during this difficult time.

Tom's journey began on July 12, 1935, in Jersey City, NJ, where he excelled as a four-sport high school athlete in track, basketball, swimming, and baseball. His basketball skills led him to Clemson University, where he played guard for the Tigers and also competed as a high jumper on the track team. It was at Clemson that he met Jerri Tyler, the love of his life, on a blind date. Their love story unfolded swiftly, and they eloped, celebrating 67 joyful years of marriage.

After graduating from Clemson with a degree in Industrial Management in 1959, Tom embarked on a successful career. He worked at Milliken in Greenville, SC, and Hartsville, SC, before joining Sonoco Products Company in 1964. Tom's dedication to his work spanned three decades until his retirement in 1994. Along the way, he, Jerri, and their four children moved seven times, creating a rich tapestry of memories across South Carolina, Massachusetts, Ontario, and Georgia. When retirement beckoned, Jerri chose Murrells Inlet, SC, as their home base—a place where they could cherish their

roots and enjoy their golden years together.

Tom's devotion to family knew no bounds. He relished spending time with his loved ones, especially during the annual beach trips and Thanksgiving gatherings. Whether watching the kids and grandkids play, engaging in spirited Cornhole matches, or sharing rounds of golf, Tom loved time with his family.

Tom enjoyed sports all of his life, especially golf and tennis, a passion he shared with Jerri. They spent countless hours on the court and course developing lifelong friendships along the way. Once retired at Wachesaw, golf became their focus and they continued to share many hours on the course with family and friends.

In addition to his wife Jerri, Tom was preceded in death by his parents and sister Elanor Backus.

Tom is survived by his Children: Tom Cameron Jr. (Mary) of Myrtle Beach, Cathi Albert (Pete) of Merrimack, NH, Suzy Rizzo (Rick) of Brantford, ON Canada, Scott Cameron (Donna) of Hartsville, SC, Grandchildren: Heather Luce of Lowell, MA, Bridgett Harmon (Matthew) of Scarborough, ME, Chris Hafey of Florence, MA, Erin Koskela (Brent) of Manchester, NH, Scott Cameron Jr (Katrin) of Immenstaad, Germany, Cam Gosine (Mary) of Dracut, MA, Caitlyn Albert (Matthew) of Northwood, NH, Devon Rizzo (Brian) of Brantford, ON Canada, Emily Boyd (Jared) of Rock Hill, SC, Stevie Gosine of Merrimack, NH, Julianna Albert (Shane) of Worcester, MA, Great-Grandchildren: Wyatt, Alisha, Valerie, Cori, Olivia, Easton James, Ariella, Michaela, Great-Great-Grandchildren: Dylan, JJ, Ivi.

The family expresses heartfelt gratitude to the nurses and staff at MUSC in Charleston, SC, for their exceptional care and compassion during Tom's final days.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM, Saturday, June 29, 2024 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Litchfield-Pawleys Chapel. The family will receive friends 1 hour prior at 10 AM at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests donations in Tom Cameron's name to MUSC Hospital in Charleston, SC.

Please use this link =><https://fundraise.musc.edu/fundraiser/5610505>.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **29**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Goldfinch- Litchfield-Pawleys Chapel  
202 Hinnant Lane  
Pawleys Island, SC 29585

## Funeral Service

JUN **29**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

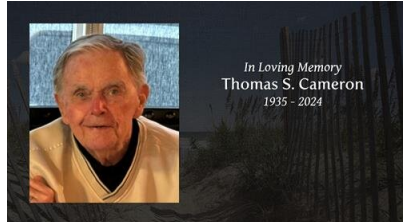
Goldfinch- Litchfield-Pawleys Chapel  
202 Hinnant Lane  
Pawleys Island, SC 29585

*Following the service, the family cordially invites all attendees to a luncheon celebrating the life of Tom Cameron at Pawleys Tap House & Grill, located at, 13089 Ocean Highway, Pawleys Island, SC 29585.*

# Tribute Wall



“ Goldfinch Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Thomas Stuart Cameron



Goldfinch Funeral Home - June 28, 2024 at 09:31 AM

RL

“ Tom and I met a few days after Liz and I retired and moved to Wachesaw Plantation. We became good friends and golf partners for many years. God bless his family.

Richard Landwehr - June 28, 2024 at 10:15 AM

LD

“ Leslie and Tony Doss purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Thomas Stuart Cameron.



Leslie and Tony Doss - June 27, 2024 at 11:39 AM

KA

“ Our sincere condolences for the loss of your loved one. May treasured memories and earnest prayer bring comfort for family and friends at this time. Isaiah 41:10

Kathryn - June 27, 2024 at 11:21 AM

JM

“ *Mr. Cameron hired me on November 1, 1977 at the Lowell, MA plant. He was a great leader and manager most noted for his character, integrity and intelligence. He was admired, respected and beloved by all. I used Tom as the model to follow for the next 45 years. RIP Mr. C.*

Jim Morris - June 26, 2024 at 09:04 AM

JT

“ *Jim & Maureen Morris ~ Lowell Team purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Thomas Stuart Cameron.*



Jim & Maureen Morris ~ Lowell Team - June 26, 2024 at 08:51 AM

JT

“ *Jim & Maureen Morris ~ Lowell Team planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas Stuart Cameron.*

Jim & Maureen Morris ~ Lowell Team - June 26, 2024 at 08:51 AM

SG

“ *Steve & Bernadette Gosine purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Thomas Stuart Cameron.*



Steve & Bernadette Gosine - June 25, 2024 at 09:57 AM

LB

“ *Love, Caitlyn, Matthew, and Brick purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Thomas Stuart Cameron.*



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**Love, Caitlyn, Matthew, and Brick** - June 24, 2024 at 01:37 PM