



## Mr. Thomas M. Duffy

June 25, 1931 - June 24, 2026

Thomas Michael Duffy passed away on June 24, 2026, one day shy of his 95th birthday leaving behind a legacy of love, service, laughter, and devotion to family.

Thomas was the beloved husband of Patricia Duffy, whom he married on November 24, 1961. Together they shared more than six decades of marriage until Patricia's passing on December 2, 2025. Their enduring partnership was a source of strength and inspiration to all who knew them.

He was a proud father to four children: Eileen Allen (Michael), Timothy Duffy (Crystal), Bridget Duffy, and Paul Duffy (Bethany). Thomas was also a cherished grandfather to six grandchildren, each of whom brought him immense pride and joy.

A veteran of the Korean War, Thomas served his country with honor and carried that spirit of service throughout his life. For many years, he volunteered with Meals on Wheels, dedicating his time and energy to helping members of his community.

Thomas embraced life with enthusiasm, independence, and more than a little Irish stubbornness. He found happiness on the water sailing and fishing, enjoyed brewing his own beer, spent many enjoyable hours on the golf

courses followed by naps in his hammock, and took his self-appointed role in the quality control tasting of Tullamore Dew very seriously. Known for his quick wit, sharp opinions, and occasionally ornery disposition, Thomas never left anyone wondering where he stood. Those who knew and loved him understood that beneath the gruff exterior was a generous heart, deep loyalty to family and friends, and a willingness to help others whenever they were in need.

Thomas will be deeply missed by his children, grandchildren, extended family, friends, and all whose lives were touched by his kindness and friendship. His memory will live on in the stories shared, the lessons taught, and the love he gave so freely.

A celebration of Thomas's life will be held at St. Michael's Catholic Church on July 14, 2026 at 10:00am.

May he rest in peace, reunited with Patricia, the love of his life.

In lieu of flowers please make a donation to Feeding America. <https://www.feedingamerica.org>

# Upcoming Events

## Memorial Service

JUL 14. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Michael Catholic Church  
542 Cypress Avenue  
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576