



Theobald Paul Omlor Jr.

November 18, 1940 - January 15, 2020

Theobald Paul Omlor Jr., age 79, of Wilmington, DE passed away on January 15, 2020. Ted was born in Philadelphia, PA to the late Sara and Theobald Paul Omlor Sr. He was proud to have served in the U.S. Navy from 1957-1961 on the U.S.S. Eaton. Ted worked as a boiler and pressure valve inspector for the State of Delaware and several insurance companies. He also enjoyed spending time building beautiful furniture in his workshop, which was amazing since it was all self-taught. Ted was an accomplished chef, gardener, and an avid golfer. He loved spending time sitting on the front porch he built, soaking up the sun. Ted was characterized as a diligent, determined, person who always believed anything was possible. Even after his Parkinson's Disease diagnosis, he stayed positive and strong through attending physical therapy with Neuro Fitness Therapy. He especially loved the therapists who helped him "fight back" against the numerous challenges Parkinson's patients face. Ted was always willing to lend a helping hand to others. He did everything with excellence, charm, and humor with his trademark baby blue Omlor eyes always twinkling. His quick smile and contagious laugh will be deeply missed. Another trademark of Ted's was the navy hat he wore everywhere. Often a stranger would see the hat and surprise him by paying for his coffee or a meal in honor of his service. In light of how special Ted thought that was, his family suggests that others continue that practice for the veterans they may encounter.

Ted is survived by his daughter and faithful caretaker, Jodi Lynne Omlor; his

brothers: David (Patti), Thomas (Lynn), and George (Lee) Omlor; his sisters: Shirley Masturzo (Bill) and Annie Street (Henry); brother-in-law, John Esch (Vicki); numerous nieces and nephews; special friends, Fay McCall, Dan and Sandy Conner; and his granddog, Ella. Ted was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 39 years, Marianne, as well as his parents. Family and friends are invited to attend a visitation from 2-3 PM on Thursday, January 23 at the Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home, 635 Churchmans Road, Newark, DE 19702. A memorial service with military honors in celebration of Ted's life will follow at 3 PM. Burial will be private at Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery. For directions or to send an online condolence visit www.stranofeeley.com

Strano & Feeley
Family Funeral Home
302-731-5459

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 23. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Strano & Feeley Family Funeral Home
635 Churchmans Rd
Newark, DE 19702
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Service

JAN 23. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

DM

“ *David Miller purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Theobald Paul Omlor Jr..*



David Miller - January 22, 2020 at 07:57 PM

LO

“ *Jodi,*

Our most sincere sympathy and love to you on the passing of your Dad. Perfectly worded was your description of his twinkling, blue Omlor eyes! May he now rest in peace with your mom.

You have been the most perfect daughter to both your mom and dad. I'm sure they are both smiling down on you with such love and pride. You surely have no regrets.

With Love and Sympathy,

Lee Omlor

Lee Omlor - January 22, 2020 at 03:54 PM

DD

“ *Ted was always a great friend and co-worker. I'm going to miss him.*

Dennis DeBacker - January 22, 2020 at 01:03 PM

FM

“ Frank M. purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Theobald Paul Omlor Jr..



Frank M. - January 22, 2020 at 09:20 AM

KV

“ Thoughts and prayers to Jodi and the Omlor family.

Kemp Vye - January 20, 2020 at 11:55 PM

SV

“ Our thoughts and prayers sent to Jodi and the family. Steve and Louise Voorhees

Stephen Voorhees - January 19, 2020 at 01:57 PM

TO

“ So many fun times we had with Teddy and Marianne. It was always an adventure with lots of laughs. Teddy was a talented man who always mastered whatever he was doing. There are many beautifully crafted pieces of furniture in our house and my daughters homes as well. So many stories to tell about of times together with Teddy. We will miss him dearly. Rest In Peace Ted and give Marianne a hug from us. Xoxoxo
Love from Tom, Lynn, Lauren, Joanna, Alissa and their Families. ❤️

Tom and Lynn Omlor - January 19, 2020 at 10:37 AM

BF

“ *Barry Lory & Family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Theobald Paul Omlor Jr..*



Barry Lory & Family - January 18, 2020 at 01:29 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Theobald Paul Omlor Jr..*



January 18, 2020 at 12:42 PM



“ *I first met Ted and Marianne in 1978, when Barry and I bought our first house in DE. An amazing couple, who always called each other "Pal". He helped us learn to make renovations to our house, and friendship was immediate. Jodi, was the first of us couples to be born, and she has grown into a beautiful young woman. Ted's humor and guidance in life will always be win me. Ted and Marianne, together again, in Heaven, watching over us. I will always remember this wonderful family. Mimi Owen in Millheim PA.*

Mimi Owen - January 18, 2020 at 10:02 AM

MS

“ *We will miss Ted very much. He was such a wonderful person with a great sense of humor. Our heartfelt condolences to Jodi and the Omlor family.*

Margie Schwartz - January 17, 2020 at 05:08 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses* was purchased for the family of *Theobald Paul Omlor Jr.*



January 17, 2020 at 05:07 PM