



Thomas F. Spadel

October 14, 1981 - April 26, 2020

Thomas F. Spadel, age 38, of Royersford, PA, passed away on Sunday, April 26, 2020. Born on October 14, 1981 in Meadowbrook, PA, he was the beloved son of Maria T. McAuley of Hamburg, PA.

Tommy was a longtime and valued employee of Sears Logistic Services in Limerick, where he worked as a production supervisor. He was a huge Philadelphia Eagles fan and loved spending time with his family and friends. Tommy was a bridge between people. He defined what it is to love and support his family and friends in all things. The joy that resonated from him in the company of those whom he loved was contagious and can be seen on the many faces of those of us who have had our pictures taken by him, or with him. Tommy always took pictures, and while we remember him forever, we keep in mind that this was his way of remembering us. A light in the world has gone out, but its strength is reflected strongly in the spirit of those who hold his memory.

In addition to his mother, Tommy is survived by three brothers, Alex Spadel of Philadelphia, PA, Jonathan Spadel of Collegeville, PA, and Robert "Bobby" Spadel, Jr. of Denton, TX. Great-nephew of Carmella McAuley of Philadelphia, PA, and Edward McAuley of Mount Laurel, NJ. Uncle to Amelia Marie, Maleena, Steven Jr., Brandon, Dominick, Madelyn Rose, Eleanor Jane, and Godfather to Colette Jean. He was preceded in death by his Nana and

Gramps, Bernice and Ronald McAuley.

Due to current guidelines, funeral and burial services will be held privately at the convenience of the family. However, the family wishes to acknowledge all those who shared their love for Tommy. A celebration of life will be held at a later date to allow all those whose lives were touched by Tommy to properly and safely gather. Condolences may be made by visiting www.RoyersfordFuneralHome.com. Arrangements are being handled by the Cattermole - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Royersford, Pennsylvania.

Tribute Wall



“ *It still hurts. A lot. I lie awake some nights staring at the walls, still in disbelief. It's still not real to me, that we'll never speak again. I'll never again get to make fun of Jon with you, or talk Eagles ever again.*

I am so sorry that my stubbornness meant you never got to meet Amelia. I know you wanted to. I couldn't just bury the past. And now I have to live with that for the rest of my life. I miss you, Tom, and I'm sorry.

A - December 05, 2020 at 08:38 PM



“ *You were tough to get through to at first but you became the most fun, reasonable and understanding boss in that whole place for me. We had some complications because of changes in the company and other things but we worked through it and eventually became a really great team! After a change in management its never been the same, especially after you left. This is slightly off topic but I beleive that position should have been given to you, Tommy. I'm on your side. I remember that day and how upset you were and I wish things didn't turn out the way they did over there.*

Sears Worker - August 13, 2020 at 02:50 PM

SU

“ Just heard a song about not feeling the pain of loss , but that would mean missing the "dance". Lord knows we danced in the seventeen or so years we worked together, I recall a bug someone had left for you on your keyboard,Susan can you get the bug ? yes Tommy.Those baggy pants hanging off your butt ,,the smile that ment you were up to something ,Hauling you to work with the broken foot. I will miss you. Susan

Susan - May 02, 2020 at 09:30 PM

CW

“ I remember Tommy as a little boy. His mother and I worked at Olney Federal together. We were both Tellers. His grandpa “Uncle Ronnie” would bring him into the bank and Tommy would yell Aunt Cathy! Aunt Cathy! I think Tommy was 2 years old. I was the last Teller down the row and by the play area for children. I had a huge box of taffy’s that we gave to the kids. I always set him up w/1 for each hand. He was adorable and beautiful little boy. My heart goes out to my cousin Maria and her boys and all of Tommy’s nieces/nephews and extended family.

Cathy Welsh
Seattle, WA

Cathy Welsh - May 02, 2020 at 08:21 PM



Oh my, Cathy. I was just saying to Melonie this morning how Tommy always came in 'Aunt Cathy, Aunt Cathy!' I hadn't seen your post yet.



May 03, 2020 at 09:46 AM

NH

“ Nancy Harrigan lit a candle in memory of Thomas F. Spadel



Nancy Harrigan - May 02, 2020 at 01:11 PM



“ Cheeseboard Complete was purchased for the family of Thomas F. Spadel .



May 02, 2020 at 08:08 AM

JR

“ JB JR BH JP KDt RX MK DRs MRa RV purchased the Memories to Treasure for the family of Thomas F. Spadel .



JB JR BH JP KDt RX MK DRs MRa RV - May 01, 2020 at 04:18 PM

AF

“ Amanda Frymoyer lit a candle in memory of Thomas F. Spadel



Amanda Frymoyer - May 01, 2020 at 03:14 PM

BB

“ *Barb Barba lit a candle in memory of Thomas F. Spadel*



Barb Barba - May 01, 2020 at 03:12 PM

JS

“ *Been a long week organizing things for you. At first, I wasn't able to consider how I felt at all. There were others who had to feel before me. But with each detail arranged it has begun to sink in what not having you around means. Most people have been telling me how hard this must be, but it's not. From the obituary, to your last outfit, to the cemetery, to the plot, to the casket; there hasn't been any decision made that was very hard to make. That's because I knew who you were, and so did so many others. I knew what shoes to have put on your feet because of how many times I stole your shoes when I was a kid. Mom knew to make sure you were wearing Eagles gear. Your co-workers knew to make sure your walkie-talkie was in with you. Your best friend knew to make sure you were wearing your favorite watch, and your roommate knew what to fill your eagles flask with in case you get thirsty in there. There are many people who were your age who can say that they made more money than you, drove a nicer car, had a better house... But not a single one of them will ever be able to say that they were more honest about who they were to their family and friends than you. So, Tommy, tomorrow we lay you down the right way, and we can put our minds at ease knowing what that is. That's just one more thing you did for us. I love you big brother, and I will never be the same without you.*

P.S.

Being around you when I was a kid made me feel cooler than anyone else who ever lived. That's the only thing I never said.

Jonathan Spadel - May 01, 2020 at 02:18 PM



May 02, 2020 at 06:43 AM



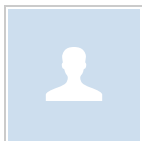
Cathy Welsh - May 02, 2020 at 08:10 PM



“ **Tommy**
Words can't express the way everyone is feeling right now. You were just an awesome person. I have only known you personally for a while but have heard of your helpfulness and great spirt for a long time. I remember when I met you in person for the first time I said Tommy Spadel the legend, and you laughed but later asked Bowen what I meant by that. Funny Stuff. Bless you Tommy you will be missed, Bless your family and Rest In Peace my friend.



Chris Veal - May 01, 2020 at 01:45 PM



“ **Country Basket Blooms** was purchased for the family of **Thomas F. Spadel** .



May 01, 2020 at 12:41 PM

CT

“ *Cerritos PDC Team purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Thomas F. Spadel*



Cerritos PDC Team - May 01, 2020 at 10:39 AM

KL

“ *Rest In Peace Tommy! We love you*



ken lock - May 01, 2020 at 06:03 AM

JD

“ *I'm writing this as tears are rolling down my face because I have to say goodbye to one of my best friends. Tommy was more than a friend, he was like a brother to me and my family. My heart breaks for his family. They welcomed us in their home every day as we were growing up... oh the memories!!!! Tommy meant the world to the DeAngelo family and thank you for being there every step of the way. Words can't explain how broken I feel right now but all I can say is.... I LOVE YOU BROTHER*

Jeff DeAngelo - April 30, 2020 at 09:01 PM



Thank you, Jeff

Maria McAuley - May 01, 2020 at 05:18 AM

JK

“ Tommy :
*Our journey started approx. 4 years ago . Walking in the door at Sears after orientation I was assigned to your area. There were many days we butted heads and that was how we worked together. It has been strange not seeing on the floor or the way you would popup behind me and say are you done yet. The whit would go into hurry up old man we have a lot to do.
To young to be gone, take care
JK*

John Kelly - April 30, 2020 at 07:40 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas F. Spadel .*



April 30, 2020 at 02:23 PM

PN

“ *This is so very raw. I can only say how much I love you. PIA of course but you know that you were so very special. You went from an 18 year old with some black and blue eyes to such a respected, integral, intelligent part of us. I will miss you so much it is almost debilitating. God has to have his arms around you so will have no pain any longer. That thought is the only thing that keeps me going here. Every where I look it is you.*

Pam Norcia - April 30, 2020 at 01:05 PM

SL

“ We’re going to miss you so much Tommy. You were such a great friend and an integral part of our family. I am heartbroken that I will never see you hold one of my girls again, never see their faces light up when you walk through the door because they know without a doubt that you’re the type of uncle that gets down on the floor and plays with them, will run around out back with them until you’re totally out of breath, then run some more just because they’re having so much fun. I love you and don’t know what we’re going to do without you.



Stephanie Lock - April 30, 2020 at 12:27 PM



Maria McAuley - April 30, 2020 at 12:56 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas F. Spadel .

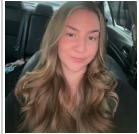


April 30, 2020 at 12:02 PM

AF

“ Going to miss you so much Tommy. Work is so different without you coming into the office a million times a day for coffee or just to say hi. Going to miss your loud keys everyone knew where you were lol. I miss your smiling face. R.I.P.

Amanda Frymoyer - April 30, 2020 at 11:50 AM



“ Miss you so much



Maddie Campbell - April 30, 2020 at 11:35 AM

PN

“ Pam Norcia lit a candle in memory of Thomas F. Spadel



Pam Norcia - April 30, 2020 at 11:33 AM

PN

That is for his "Beagles" team....:)

Pam Norcia - April 30, 2020 at 11:34 AM

HS

“ His work family at Sears. purchased the Bountiful Memories Casket Spray for the family of Thomas F. Spadel .



His work family at Sears. - April 30, 2020 at 11:28 AM

SD

“ Love you more than you will ever know big guy.



Steven DeAngelo - April 30, 2020 at 10:05 AM



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Maria McAuley - April 30, 2020 at 09:56 AM

CW



Cathy Welsh - May 02, 2020 at 08:31 PM

KA

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kayte - April 30, 2020 at 08:43 AM

NH

*Dear Maria,
We are deeply sorry to hear the news about Tommy. I will cherish the memories and grateful for the times we shared together. Tommy was such a beautiful person and I will keep his memory near to my heart always. Our deepest condolences to you and your family. God rest his soul.
Nancy and Rich*

Nancy Harrigan - April 30, 2020 at 09:39 AM



Thank you, Nancy and Rich

Maria McAuley - April 30, 2020 at 09:48 AM

MB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Mark Bowen - April 30, 2020 at 05:32 AM

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“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Mark Bowen - April 30, 2020 at 05:00 AM



Maria McAuley - April 30, 2020 at 08:34 AM



Tommy- You will always be in our minds with your sweet smile in your face.

For as long as we leave, because you were a part of us.. You will always be remembered.

Rest in Peace my good friend!!

Valbona Kadiasi - April 30, 2020 at 09:44 AM