



Rev. Thomas Downs Hughes

August 16, 1933 - October 3, 2024

Rev. Thomas D. Hughes, 91, passed away on Thursday, October 3, 2024.

Ordained an Episcopal priest in 1958, Tom showed great love as he served in Hawaii, Minnesota, Iowa, and North Carolina as a priest and also as a professional financial planner in hospitals in Cedar Rapids, Iowa and Asheville, North Carolina.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Ora and Frank Hughes; his sister Peggy; and his first wife, Peg.

He is survived by his wife Elizabeth Hughes; his son, David Hughes; his daughter, Meg Sherman and her husband Ed; and a grandson, Matthew.

A Memorial Service will be held in Grace Chapel in Health Care at Deerfield on Saturday, October 19, 2024 at 10:00 am, 29 Highbridge Crossing, Asheville, NC.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Deerfield Foundation, for the Residents' Fund, c/o Michelle Wooley, Deerfield Episcopal Retirement Community, 1670 Hendersonville Road, Asheville, NC 28803.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **19**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Grace Chapel
29 Highbridge Crossing
Asheville, NC 28803

Tribute Wall

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“ Tom was a dear friend and we mentored each other for the 17 years we were a team at St. Luke's Hospital in Cedar Rapids and at Mission in Asheville. He touched thousands of lives during his life via both the ministry and his wonderful pastoral skills in raising millions of dollars for programs at both hospitals he served. Thank you Tom for your friendship, patience, understanding and wise counsel. Bruce Thorsen

Bruce Donald Thorsen - October 16, 2024 at 10:57 AM