

## Raymond Masson

November 10, 1943 - February 14, 2021

Raymond T. Masson, 77, of Hudson, NH, died Sunday, February 14, 2021 at his residence with his loving wife and his sons by his side. Ray was also able to say good-bye to his son and grandson in Florida and other family members before he left us.

He was born November 10, 1943 in Lowell, MA son of the late Louis J. & Elizabeth A. (Palmer) Masson. He was also predeceased by his brothers, John A. Masson, Donald Masson & Charles Masson as well as by a nephew Randall Masson and a niece Jennifer Hurley.

Ray was the devoted husband of 51 years to Judith (Crowley) Masson, the love of his life.

He was a graduate of Chelmsford High School Class of 1961 and University of Mass. Lowell, Class of 1978. Ray worked for many years for Honeywell, Sanmina & Kinex cappers, his perfect job. He also served his country proudly in the US Army from 1965-1967.

Ray was an avid gardener who loved his flowers & birds. He was also a wonderful photographer. He enjoyed traveling with his wife & friends . He especially loved Cape Cod where he spent many years vacationing with his family. He enjoyed working on his home and was a perfectionist. He love

decorating for Christmas to the delight of his grandchildren.

He enjoyed all things sports, especially his Boston teams and could talk for hours with his sons and grandsons about every team and player. He coached Hudson Little League & Babe Ruth for 16 years, & Hudson Rec basketball. He made sure every player got their time to play. He supported his sons & grandchildren in every activity they took part in.

Ray was an active member of St. Kathryn Church in Hudson and was the Past Grand Knight of Council 5162. His love of church & country was second only to his family.

He also leaves behind his brother Knights of Columbus , Council 5162, his special friends : The Dinner Group, The Eldridges & The Rondeaus, Larry & Shannon Quinlan & his Kinex "Family, and a special little girl Adelynn Bergeron

He died from an insidious disease: Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis (IPF) . He had an active life until 8 months ago when it took its toll on his ability to live the active life style he enjoyed. The family wishes to express their gratitude and appreciation to Knights of Columbus, council 5162, Father Michael Monette, our wonderful friends and neighbors. Home, Health & Hospice. Without them he would not have been able to spend his final time at home with his family.

Besides his beloved wife, family members include his three sons and their families; Thomas R. Masson & Amy (Larivee) of Merrimack, NH, Derek W. Masson & Heather (Walsh) of Litchfield, NH, Keith M. Masson of Lakeland, Florida, three adored grandchildren: Aiden C. Masson of Ft. Myers, Fl, Lyla E. Masson (His princess), Litchfield, & Ronan T. Masson, Merrimack, four brothers: Louis J. (Josie) Masson, Bridgeport, Conn., Robert (Joanne) Masson, Greenville, NH, John Masson (Cheryl), Westford, Mass, James Masson, Westford, Mass, 1 Sister Diane E. Masson, Nashua, NH, two

Brothers-in-law & their families; Thomas L. Crowley & Sally Goodhile, Worcester, Mass, William F. & Maureen Crowley, Reading, Mass, two Sisters-in-law; Laura Masson, Wells, ME, Barbara Davies, Nashua, NH, and many beloved nieces & nephews.

A Walk Through Visitation will be held on Sunday, February 21st from 2pm - 4pm in the DUMONT-SULLIVAN FUNERAL HOME IN HUDSON. A funeral Mass will be held on Monday at 10am in St. Kathryn Church, 4 Dracut Road, in Hudson. All may meet at church. Burial will be private. All those attending any portion of the service are asked to please wear a mask or facial covering and to follow the social distancing guidelines in place. In lieu of flowers the family encourages donations in Ray's loving memory to either Home Health & Hospice Care, 7 Executive Park Dr., Merrimack, NH 03054 [www.hhhc.org](http://www.hhhc.org) or Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation, 230 East Ohio St., Suite 500, Chicago, IL 60611 [www.pulmonaryfibrosis.org](http://www.pulmonaryfibrosis.org)

# Previous Events

## Walk Through Visitation

FEB 21. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Home Hudson, NH  
50 Ferry Street  
Hudson, NH 03051  
(603) 882-9431  
[info@dumontsullivan.com](mailto:info@dumontsullivan.com)

## MASS AT CHURCH

FEB 22. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Kathryn's Church  
4 Dracut Rd.  
Hudson, NH

# Tribute Wall



“ *Raymond Masson*

October 06, 2023 at 08:13 AM



“ *Raymond Masson*

September 27, 2023 at 04:05 AM



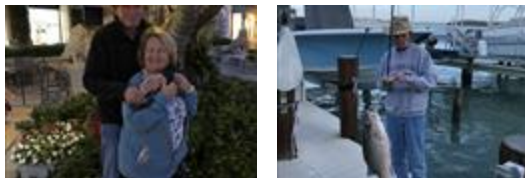
“ *I met Ray (Mr. Masson) when I played little league baseball in Hudson and he was the coach. He was a great man and coach. I am truly saddened to learn of his passing. He was a selfless person that encouraged a team environment. He made sure all of the kids had a chance to play baseball. I recently learned through his son Derek that I was considered one of his favorite players from that time. That truly means a lot to me. He was a special person that I will never forget. He impacted my life, and I'm absolutely certain he impacted many others as well.*

*I will always remember you Ray (Mr. Masson).*

John Lain - February 21, 2021 at 12:16 PM



“ *2 files added to the album Memories Album*



Shannon Quinlan - February 21, 2021 at 10:32 AM

SQ

*Judy and family,  
Ray was one of my favorite people and he will be sorely missed. He was one of the great ones. I know you all have wonderful memories of this beautiful man that will help ease the pain and sorrow. I just have to think of him and I smile. Much love,  
Shannon Quinlan*

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**Shannon Quinlan** - February 21, 2021 at 10:34 AM



“ *Judy, We have such fond memories of our time with you and Ray in Florida last year. Hugs from  
Patti and Jim Pierce*

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**Patti Pierce** - February 21, 2021 at 10:02 AM

MO

“ *Judy, Tom, Derek, and Keith,*

*I am deeply saddened to hear of the passing of Ray. I have such fond memories of Mr. Masson. He will always have a place in my heart. He was such a sincere and caring person with a very kind soul.*

*Sending your whole family much love during this difficult time.*

*With Sympathy,*

*Matt Olsen and Family.*

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**Matt Olsen** - February 21, 2021 at 09:56 AM

RD

“ *Judy & family : So sorry to here about Ray. Please accept our condolences. He and your family are in our prayers. Old neighbors with fond family memories. With all our love.*

*Roger & Janice Desrosiers*

*1 Westgate Way*

*Amherst, NH 03031*

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**Roger Desrosiers** - February 20, 2021 at 11:23 AM

JS

“ *Our deepest condolences Keith. To you and your family.*

*Heyl Truck Lines, Inc.*

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**Joe Swanson** - February 19, 2021 at 09:04 AM

PL

“ *Judy our prayers are with you and your family. May God Bless you all and give Ray eternal Peace.*

*Pam, Jeff, Emily, Bridget Lalmond*

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**Pamela Lalmond** - February 18, 2021 at 10:09 AM

DR

“ *We love you and miss you! We will miss you at our yearly get-together on Cape Cod's Lieutenant Island; eating ice cream while the ladies shop the boutiques of the Cape, table discussions while dining and most of all your friendship. May God bless you, Don and JoAnne Rondeau*

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**Donald E. Rondeau** - February 17, 2021 at 04:16 PM

JC

“ *Dear John and Family,  
Sorry to hear of the loss of your brother Ray.  
May his memory be eternal.*

*With Sympathy,  
Joyce Cahill*



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**joyce cahill** - February 17, 2021 at 03:47 PM

DM

“ *For My Brother Ray: My Heart goes out to You, Judy, Tom, Amy, Ronan, Derek, Heather, Aiden, Lyla and Keith -- Simply Said -- With All My Love, (Aunt) Diane*

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**Diane E. Masson** - February 17, 2021 at 03:17 PM

DM

“ *Diane E. Masson sent a virtual gift in memory of Raymond Masson*



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**Diane E. Masson** - February 17, 2021 at 03:11 PM

DM

“ *Raymond T. Masson: Having You for my Brother meant I never needed to look no further than my own Backyard to find a Friend...the loyalty and friendship has been ours for as long as we have been little -- we shared good times and trying times and Memories by the Heartful.....So Ray on Christmas Day...as You Thanked Me for being your Sister...I Thanked You for being my Brother...a Gift I have always Cherished! Our last visit with each other as I was leaving I said, "So, Ray...Until Next Time" Until Next Time...My Dear Brother...Until Next Time...Your Favorite Sister...Diane E. Masson*

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**Diane E. Masson** - February 17, 2021 at 03:07 PM

LM

“ I so enjoyed working with this wonderful gentleman. He always gave me a smile and a cheery "good morning" - We often exchanged gardening tips. His wonderful sense of humor and gracious manner will never be forgotten - A truly special man.



-Lori Murphy (co-worker at Kinex Cappers)

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**Lori Murphy** - February 17, 2021 at 12:43 PM

DW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this very difficult time. Ray was such a wonderful, loving and funny gift to this world. He will truly always be missed.



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**Deborah West** - February 17, 2021 at 12:34 PM

JL

“ Judy, Ray and you always made us feel welcome, we will keep Ray and you in our thoughts and prayers. John and Fran LeBlanc



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**John and Fran LeBlanc** - February 17, 2021 at 10:49 AM

JR

“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



**Jim and Donna Ross** - February 17, 2021 at 10:37 AM

JR

*Fun times with good friends in Washington DC. Two couples from Dinner Group missing from this picture!*

**Jim and Donna Ross** - February 17, 2021 at 10:40 AM

JR

“ *Our deepest sympathy, Judy, Tom, Derek, and Keith. We will miss Ray at Dinner Group and on walks around the neighborhood. We always admired his garden and enjoyed his company. I never knew anyone with more knowledge of, and enthusiasm for, sports! Ray's dedication to his family set a fine example for his children!*

**Jim and Donna Ross** - February 17, 2021 at 10:35 AM

NJ

“ *Our sincere sympathy to you Judy and your family. Ray was a great man and he loved his family. No more suffering & may you rest in peace, our friend. Nancy & John*



**Nancy & John** - February 16, 2021 at 05:01 PM

FM

*Judy, I was sad to learn of the loss of your husband. My thoughts are with you at this time.*

*With condolences, Fran(Downes) Moore*

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**Frances Moore** - February 20, 2021 at 03:09 PM

SQ

*Everyone at Kinex Cappers will miss Ray's enthusiasm for life and love for his family and friends. He boosted morale whenever he walked in a room. He was talented in so many ways and helped move the company forward on multiple fronts since he joined Kinex 15 years ago. He was a mentor to many of our younger employees and will be missed every day by those who were fortunate enough to know him.*

*~The Kinex Cappers family*

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**Shannon and Larry Quinlan** - February 21, 2021 at 09:38 AM

LQ

*As we travel through life, a person will meet many people but only on rare occasion, and when we are fortunate enough, will we come across a special person, who clearly stands out from the others. Ray was such an individual. I admired the way he conducted his life. Unlike many of us, Ray did not get caught up in the daily stresses and trivialities of life. Instead, he found joy in the routine of daily life, always finding time to make a meaningful connection with everyone he encountered. As I would watch him do this every day, I would smile to myself, and thank my lucky stars that this man was in my life. I will miss him for all time. With love, Larry Quinlan*

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**Larry Quinlan** - February 21, 2021 at 10:19 AM