



## Roland Theberge

January 15, 2021

Roland E. Theberge of Hudson, NH died on January 15, 2021 at St. Joseph's Hospital, fortunately not a Covid victim.

Roland was born in October 1931 to Ernest and Leona (Paquette) Theberge in Lawrence, Massachusetts.

He graduated from Central Catholic High School in 1951 and from the University of Massachusetts Amherst in 1961, as a methods engineer. Between high school and college, Roland served as an Airedale for over four years in the Navy. Upon college graduation, he went to work at Sprague Electric Company in Nashua. He rose through the ranks to become Comptroller before retiring in 1989. During these years, he served as facilitator for Junior Achievement. He was a leader of Boy Scouts of America Troop 252, then based out of St. John the Evangelist Church for fourteen years. He also called bingo at St. John's for many years, sacrificing many golfing opportunities.

Roland was a life time gardener and an investment guru, generously sharing the bounty of both fields with family and close friends. In his retirement, Roland spent much of his time researching the genealogy of the Theberge family. He was a devoted alumnus of Central Catholic, and took much joy in following its basketball team. Until 2010, Roland was a world wide traveler

with his wife.

He leaves his wife of 60 years, Joan, his daughter, Paula Smith and Gary Sullivan, his son, Jay Theberge and his wife Kami Phillips, and his son, Neil Theberge and his wife Sharron Theberge, and his sister JoAnn Troisi. Roland leaves his much loved grandchildren Craig and Deryn Smith, Douglas, Nadine, Audra, Grace and Regan Theberge.

A Walk Through Visitation will be held on Wednesday, January 20th from 4:00pm - 6:00pm in the Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Home, 50 Ferry St., in Hudson. Those attending are asked to please wear a face mask or facial covering and to follow the social distancing guidelines in place. A private graveside service with military honors will be held in the NH State Veterans Cemetery in Boscawen, NH. Anyone wishing to honor Roland's memory can make a contribution to: Montagne Project, Central Catholic High School, Lawrence, MA 01841 or online at [www.centralcatholic.net/support-cchs/giving](http://www.centralcatholic.net/support-cchs/giving)

# Previous Events

## Walk Through Visitation

JAN 20. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



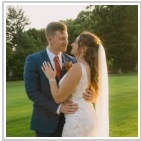
“ *Roland Theberge*

October 06, 2023 at 08:13 AM



“ *Roland Theberge*

September 27, 2023 at 04:05 AM



“ *I was lucky enough to meet Roland (or as the family called him, Da) recently, before he passed. He is the grandfather of my wonderful girlfriend, Deryn, and welcomed me into his home with nothing but a warm heart, and a kind gesture of offering a drink when I arrived. I was told after leaving his house from Deryn that he was looking forward to handing me that refreshment, as it meant good offerings and a sign of respect in a way. Da meant a lot to this family, as I got to see first hand and experience for myself. And it's no wonder as he was very welcoming right away, has a special charisma, and had stories for every occasion it seemed. It was an honor to meet Da, and I am grateful for my short time with him. I hear of all the wonderful things he did and meant to his family and I know he will be dearly missed. May you rest in peace Da, and my thoughts and prayers continue for your family.*

Nicholas Ayres - January 31, 2021 at 09:37 AM

FM

“ *One of Roland's proudest moments! Dr. Smith and Da. Peace and love to you all!*❤️



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**Fiona Moran** - January 19, 2021 at 10:57 PM

AE

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**Abe & Edith** - January 19, 2021 at 05:16 PM

LB

“ *Wishing my Aunt Joan and cousins peace and comfort during this difficult time.*

*Please know you are in our thoughts, and in our hearts.*

*Lisa and Andre Betit*

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**Lisa Betit** - January 19, 2021 at 11:21 AM

MA

“ *Dear Joan and family.  
Please accept our deepest sympathy for the recent loss of your dear husband, Roland.  
My thoughts and prayers will continue to be with you, Joan.  
I will not be able to attend the walk through tomorrow as my immune system is compromised.  
Love, Margo and Arthur*

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**Margo Andrew** - January 19, 2021 at 08:35 AM

MC

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**Mary Veilleux Crump** - January 18, 2021 at 04:54 PM

MC

“ *My deepest sympathy to Joan and the Theberge family. Mr. Theberge was a great friend to my dad and they shared many great times together and always had a good story to tell. They were life long friends. He truly enjoyed life, the people around him and had a great sense of humor. I'm sure he is in heaven swapping basketball stories with my dad right now and raising the roof! May God Bless him and keep him in his care. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Mary Veilleux Crump** - January 18, 2021 at 09:46 AM

SG

“ *He was my friend and I will miss our conversations. The world seems diminished without him. Via con Dios Ro! My love and sympathy to aunt Joan and my cousins. Courage.*

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**Stephen J Goulet** - January 18, 2021 at 09:41 AM

NT

“ *The Umass Squad*❤️



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**Nadine Theberge** - January 17, 2021 at 05:31 PM

JT

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**Jay THEBERGE** - January 17, 2021 at 05:27 PM

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**Paula smith** - January 17, 2021 at 05:23 PM

NC

“ *I made crepes this morning and thought about Uncle Roland. Hugs to you Aunty Joan and family.*

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**Nancy Clover** - January 17, 2021 at 05:20 PM

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**Jay Theberge** - January 17, 2021 at 05:15 PM

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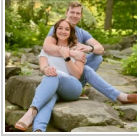
Nancy Clover - January 17, 2021 at 05:14 PM

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Jay Theberge - January 17, 2021 at 04:51 PM



“ *Da was the best grandfather a girl could possibly ask for! He showed us that strength, perseverance, hard work ethic, and a little stubbornness can take us far in life. I love looking back at these photos and seeing that big smile of his. Thanks for all the laughs Da, we love you!!*



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**Deryn Smith** - January 17, 2021 at 04:21 PM

LB

“ *I am so lucky to have had Roland as a neighbor for the past 32+ years. His booming voice, his mischievous laughter, and words of wisdom- especially when gardening. We will miss our "produce fairy" who left packages on our doorstep. I will forever be grateful to have had the honor of his friendship. Our deepest sympathies to Joan, Jay, Neil, and Paula and the rest of the family.*

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**Linda and Dana Brennick** - January 17, 2021 at 03:04 PM

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**Neil Theberge** - January 17, 2021 at 02:26 PM

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**Neil Theberge** - January 17, 2021 at 02:17 PM

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**Neil Theberge** - January 17, 2021 at 02:10 PM

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**Paula smith** - January 17, 2021 at 01:21 PM

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Paula Smith - January 17, 2021 at 12:44 PM

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Paula Smith - January 17, 2021 at 12:26 PM

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