



Thomas Franklin Fee

August 30, 1928 - December 29, 2012

Thomas Franklin Fee was born on August 30, 1928, in San Francisco, CA, and passed peacefully from this life on December 29, 2012, in Bend, OR. He lived a full and rich life of 84 years. Tom is survived by his beloved wife of 64 years, Ruth; eight children and their spouses, Mark (Nicky), Lorena, Bonnie, Becky (John), Jonathan (Shelly), Mary (Monte), Kelly (Misty), and Patrick (Jeanna); 23 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren, and many extended family members and beloved friends. Tom was preceded in death by his parents, Josephine Springer and Jess Fee; his brother, Gary Fee and his sister, Eileen Handel. He will be missed deeply and dearly by all who loved him and were loved by him. After graduation from Lowell High School, Tom served in the US Army and participated in the rebuilding of Japan at the end of WWII. In the Army he served as an instructor and educational advisor for enlisted men. Tom returned home to marry his high school love on November 27, 1948, at Star of the Sea Church in San Francisco. He later attended the University of San Francisco. Tom began his working career in the brokerage business at the San Francisco Stock Exchange. He was a partner at Shuman Agnew and Co. and later was a founding partner of Van Kasper & Company. In 1988, Tom and Ruth moved from the San Francisco area to Sunriver, where they resided for 24 years. Tom and Ruth were advocates for the sanctity of life as he served for 11 years on the board of Oregon Right to Life and also served as President for the Central Oregon Chapter. Tom was a regular contributor to the opinion page of The Bulletin. A memorial mass will be held January 2,

11:00 a.m. at St. Francis of Assisi Church, 2450 Northeast 27th Street in Bend. A fellowship meal and private interment will follow. Memorial gifts in his honor may be given to Grandmas House of Bend, a local faith-based outreach for young mothers. Messages:

Funeral Home:

Niswonger-Reynolds Funeral Home New

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