



Terry Romaniak, Esq.

December 25, 2009

Terry Joseph Romaniak, Esquire, 55, of Holyoke, died unexpectedly on Christmas evening, December 25, 2009, at Holyoke Hospital.

He was born in Adams, MA on October 29, 1954, a son of Florence (Zabek) Romaniak and the late Anthony J. Romaniak. He attended Adams schools, and graduated from Hoosac Valley High School in 1972. He graduated from the former North Adams State College in 1976, and then graduated from Western New England College School of Law in 1985.

An attorney for over 20 years, he practiced for several firms in the area of real estate law, and was currently working as the Branch Counsel for Old Republic National Title Insurance Corp. in Springfield.

He was a member of the Massachusetts Bar Association; the Real Estate Bar Association for Massachusetts; and the Ludlow Country Club.

He loved the outdoors, and was an avid golfer and skier. He was a dedicated single father.

He is survived by his mother, Florence Romaniak, of Adams;

2 sons, Eric James Romaniak, of Maynard, MA and Adam Joseph Romaniak of Longmeadow, MA;

A brother, Gary A. Romaniak of Bend, Oregon;

A sister, Nancy J. Solari of Clarksburg; and 2 nieces and 2 nephews.

A Memorial service will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 30th, at 2:00PM in the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St. Adams, MA 01220.

Rev. David Raymond, Pastor of St. Mary of the Assumption Church, Cheshire,

will officiate. Relatives and friends are invited.

Burial will be at a later date. There are no calling hours.

Tribute Wall



“ *As a fellow attorney, I worked with Terry a lot. I also played golf with Terry many times. I got to know the man. Like all of us, he had issues in his life but his is a story of triumph over his issues. Terry the person was forward looking, happy, and a devoted father. He sent me a Christmas e-mail which made me laugh! He knew how to enjoy his day, especially on the golf course. His is a life worth celebrating and he will be missed. I am shocked and saddened by his sudden passing. Sorry for your loss.*

December 31, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the Romaniak family, we heard the sad news yesterday of Terry's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. We spent many happy times together when our children were babies and toddlers, and we know that Terry cherished his family and adored his boys. In love and light, Sheila, Tony Nicholas and Libby Magalhaes, East Longmeadow, MA.*

December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mrs. Romanmiak
I was shocked to hear of the untimely death of your son Terry.
You and yur entire family are in my thoughts and prayers
Paul Szetela*

December 30, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *My name is Brian Dominick I knew Terry for over 20 years ..
I knew him through work and golf
he was a good guy and a great father
I am deeply sorry for your loss
God Bless you
Brian*

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Florence and family, I was so shocked to learn of Terry's passing.
My sincere sympathy to you and please know that you are in my
thoughts.*

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *We were so shocked to hear of Terry's passing. He was so young
and vivacious. We knew Terry from so many fun week-ends skiing
at Mad River and we will miss him greatly. We send our prayers to
his sons, his Mom and the rest of his family. God Bless you all. The
John Stewart family.*

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Adam & Family-
Friends forever....no matter what! So sorry about your dad. Here for
you always! Be strong & live your life proud.*

Hayden

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ WE ARE SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. WE WISH WE COULD HAVE DONE MORE TO HELP TERRY. WE WILL MISS HIM AS OUR NEIGHBOR AND FRIEND.HE WAS A GREAT GUY.IF THERE IS ANYTHING WE CAN DO, JUST ASK. OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY . DICK AND JOANNE TAYLOR AND FAMILY

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Terry was a great guy and a wonderful friend, a really decent individual who would be there for anybody, anytime, no questions asked. He will be missed by all who knew him. My sincere condolences to all of his family and loved ones.

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ To Terry's mother : We never met, but according to Terry, you can walk on water. You raised a very good man. To Eric and Adam : The depth of your father's love for the two of you knew no bounds. He gave you the two most important things a parent can give a child : roots, and wings. Where you fly now is up to you. To Terry : What a ride it has been. What a friend you have been. What an honor it has been. Rest, and my best, my friend.

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ I was shocked to hear of Terry's passing. We were close during law school and after for a number of years. He was the godfather to my third child, Zack. He will be missed and we are deeply sorry for your loss and pray for him.

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Flo,

I was saddened to read of Terry's death. I am so sorry for your loss and will keep you and his children in my prayers.

*Fondly,
~Doreen*

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Terry was a warm , sincere and always helpful friend. God bless his family with only the best of memories. I remember well playing whiffle ball and football as kids with his neighborhood buddies like the wilks, cwaz, kulpas, etc. How time has moved on. His wonderful smile will be sadly missed.

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Flo..... So sad to hear of Terry's passing.
My thoughts are with you and your family.

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ My name is Tom, and I knew Terry briefly, about two months. I had spoken to him when he left work before Christmas Eve. Such a wonderful man, so happy go lucky and the excitement in his voice about his job was nice to hear every morning. I will greatly miss these times. My prayers are with his family. Tom

December 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM