

Edward Joseph John Tyranski, Jr
(12/31/1942 - 3/30/2012)
by Chad and Gaet Tyranski

On March 30, 2012 Edward Tyranski, Jr. (Dartmouth '64, Thayer '65, Rensselaer Polytechnic M.S.) died after a yearlong battle with cancer. Ed came to Dartmouth from Hillside High (N.J.), where he was a three-sport athlete. He was on the Dartmouth baseball team, a member of Alpha Chi Alpha, the Newman Club and after graduation was a class agent from 1986-1993.



Beth and Ed Tyranski

Following his start at General Electric, Ed had a distinguished executive career with American Optical, Timex, Remington, Allied Signal, Thermos and First Alert. These positions allowed him to see the world and share many experiences with family. Ed had a strong work ethic and was a role model for his family and friends.

Ed touched the lives of many people as a loving husband, friend, classmate, neighbor and father. He was a hero, through good times and bad, giving sage advice on career and life, even while his own had its ups and downs. After his first wife Ann died in 1995, Ed married Beth McCrudden. They lived in Illinois, Florida and finally rural Virginia.. His love of family was demonstrated many times over to his son Chad '89 and wife Barbara, his son Gaet and wife Tanja, grandchildren Declan, Jared, Jocelyn, Kasha and Lara.



Beth and Ed Tyranski with family

True to his dogged spirit, he underwent significant surgery to remove his esophagus and part of a lung allowing him to spend another Christmas with Gaet and his family. A month before he passed, he was able to see another grandson's basketball game in Virginia and spend time with Chad and his family.