



Tom Naughton

October 30, 1943 - April 28, 2026

Tom "Jay" Naughton, snowbird of Venice, FL, formerly of Cape May, NJ, passed away April 28, 2026. He was born October 30, 1943, to Ann Roberts & Thomas Raymond Naughton.

Tom had a natural gift for connecting with people of all walks of life and helping them through their difficulties. He told them the truth and taught them to believe in themselves.

He was a teacher and a mentor to many and cherished his family & friends.

He was a happy soul and loved to laugh and tell stories.

He expressed his warmth in his music-writing memorable songs and playing his guitar.

He was an avid "Birder" and lover of original black blues & folk music.

He was a spirited tennis player and golfer.

Even in the midst of his illness, he remained positive and loving. He made his nurses smile! He will be sorely missed and remembered always.

Tom is survived by his wife, Agnes Wiechnik Naughton, daughter, Michelle Maisto, sisters, Marge Naughton of NYC & Betty Naughton and wife Cathy Heckel of Boulder, Colorado.