



Owen T. Smith

April 11, 2023

Owen T. Smith of Roslyn Harbor passed on April 11, 2023 in his 85th year. Devoted husband of Bernadette. Owen was an accomplished attorney, professor and restaurateur. Funeral mass will be held on Monday, April 17, 2023, at 11 AM, St. Mary's R.C Church Roslyn Harbor NY. Interment to follow at Holy Rood Cemetery Westbury, NY.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Roslyn Heights Funeral Home. To leave condolences for the family please visit Owen T. Smith tribute page at roslynheightsfh.com

Tribute Wall



“ *My friend, my mentor. I would not be the person I am today without you in my life. I miss you.*
Nancy Cranston Laguerra

Nancy Laguerra - September 06, 2025 at 08:50 AM

PD

“ *God Bless! Peter Dominguez and Carlyn Oppedisano Dominguez.*

Peter Dominguez - April 21, 2023 at 06:06 PM

MC

“ *Owen Smith was a great man and great American. He was always ready with an anecdote and support. I shall miss him here at IWP. May God rest his soul. Marek Jan Chodakiewicz.*

Marek Jan Chodakiewicz - April 20, 2023 at 09:20 PM

MG

“ *Bernadette, our hearts go out to you at this difficult time. Owen, words cannot express how much you will be missed. We may not have seen or spoken as often as we did years ago but please know you will always hold a special place in our hearts. You were a mentor and friend. So many memories from that always bring a smile to our faces. Thank you for your friendship and Please Rest in Peace*
Love, Mary & Dave Gerard and Children

Mary Thomas Gerard & Dave Gerard - April 20, 2023 at 04:48 PM

MG

“ *Mary Gerard lit a candle in memory of Owen Smith*



Mary Thomas Gerard - April 20, 2023 at 04:38 PM

RR

“ *Bernadette, we are so sorry to learn of Owen’s passing. We greatly appreciated his friendship, sense of humor, and leadership in freedom’s cause. It was an honor to know him and work with him in shared causes. If we can help in anyway, please let us know. You and Owen are in our prayers. Ron Robinson and Michelle Easton*

Ron Robinson - April 18, 2023 at 12:41 AM

SC

“ *Bernadette,*

My thoughts and prayer are with you at this time of sorrow. I enjoyed my discussions with Owen whenever we were together for events. He was a gracious gentleman.

Sr. Joanne Callahan

Sr. Joanne Callahan - April 17, 2023 at 11:47 AM

HS

“ Owen and Bernadette are two of the most gracious, compassionate and loving people I have ever met. Owen and Bernadette took my family in immediately after hurricane Sandy. They showed us love, support, compassion and offered their home during this time. I will never, ever forget Owen's unconditional support and love. I feel extremely blessed to have had Owen in my life and the friendship of Bernadette.
Helen Sheehan

Helen Sheehan - April 16, 2023 at 05:47 PM



“ Dear Bernadette, my deepest thoughts and prayers are with you and your family for Owen.

Francis Mariani from Paris

Francis Mariani - April 16, 2023 at 11:32 AM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Owen T. Smith.

April 16, 2023 at 10:00 AM

JS

“ Bernadette, I send you love and know you took wonderful care of Owen. He was a good man who helped everyone he could and was blessed when you married him and he became part of the Casey family. Owen saw a problem and he would solve it. His energy, concern for everyone he could help and his love for country was outstanding. Jo-Ann Tomaiuolo Scebold

jo-Ann Scebold - April 15, 2023 at 11:57 AM

DC

“ Owen was one good man and ran 2 really good restaurants - We missed him when he retired and we still miss him - deepest sympathy !!
Dick Cardozo

Dck Cardozo - April 15, 2023 at 10:37 AM

BI

“ Dear Bernadette. The Florence Anderson family offer our sincere condolences to you. Owen was always a pleasure to be around.

BillAnderson - April 15, 2023 at 10:16 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Owen T. Smith.



April 15, 2023 at 07:29 AM

LT

“ Love, Bruce, Roxanne, Christopher and Thomas purchased the Celestial Love for the family of Owen T. Smith.



Love, Bruce, Roxanne, Christopher and Thomas - April 14, 2023 at 03:46 PM

DH

“ *Bernadette,
Please accept our heartfelt condolences for
your loss.
Owen was a wonderful, giving, kind, caring
man. He will be sorely missed. Rest in Peace.
Love, Debbie, Steven, Megan & Kelly Herder*



Debbie Herder - April 14, 2023 at 02:38 PM



“ *Owen was a great patriot and a good man. It was a honor to know
him. RIP*

Matthew Gensler - April 14, 2023 at 11:11 AM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the
family of Owen T. Smith.*



April 14, 2023 at 10:02 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the
family of Owen T. Smith.*



April 14, 2023 at 07:58 AM

JT

“ I thought that Owen was a "great man" and I used to love it when he came here (which was often). He was a "great" IWP Chairman. Jack Tierney

john tierney - April 14, 2023 at 06:29 AM

SF

“ 1. Churchill said, "All the great things are simple, and many can be expressed in a single word: freedom, justice, honor, duty, mercy, hope." Owen lived by and for these values. Stephen Fausel

Stephen Fausel - April 13, 2023 at 04:02 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Owen T. Smith.



April 13, 2023 at 03:51 PM

VS

“ Dear Bernsie, my deepest sympathy goes out to you and the whole family. I, too, am a widow and know the feelings. I remember when you two married so so long ago...
(You may not remember me, I was Vivienne Locke, a dear friend of Gina's.)
Peace and love to you! Viv

Vivienne Smith - April 13, 2023 at 03:44 PM



“ Thank you sir for all your support for IWP and for our great nation.

James Robbins - April 13, 2023 at 01:32 PM

JS

“ *Though my contact with Owen was minimal, on those occasions when I did have the privilege of speaking with him I was impressed with his passion and dedication - to both our country, and to IWP. He was a great man and he will be sorely missed.*

*Respectfully,
John Sano,
Professor
IWP*

john sano - April 13, 2023 at 12:33 PM

DP

“ *God bless Mr Smith.
It was an honor to meet and take care of you.*

Nurse Debbie CHC

Deborah Pagano - April 13, 2023 at 07:57 AM