



## Edward Patrick Lehan

January 20, 1939 - September 16, 2025

Edward Patrick Lehan January 20, 1939 – September 16, 2025 Edward Patrick Lehan was born in Brooklyn, New York, to Edward and Mary (Kavanaugh) Lehan. He passed away peacefully at the age of 86. Edward was married to Christina Lehan (née Gribben) until her passing in 2007. He was a father to Michael, George (Kathie), Edward (Joanne), John (Tara), Annmarie (John), and Kenny (Lisa); a grandfather to Joseph, Chris, Scott, Danny, Jonathan, Matthew, Jenna, Thomas, Morgan, Jack, Christina, Emily, Jennifer, John, and Kailyn; and a great-grandfather to Maverick.. He was preceded in death by his siblings Catherine Coyle and Patrick Lehan and is survived by Eileen Hoetzel, James Lehan, John Lehan, and he was blessed with the love of his companion, Cecilia Leininger, who remained by his side and filled his later years with happiness.. Edward lived in Hazlet, New Jersey, from the 1960s until 1997, then became a seasonal “snowbird,” traveling between Pennsylvania and Florida. There wasn’t a social organization he wasn’t part of —Knights of Columbus, Elks, American Legion, Goodfellows, Irish Federation, VFW, and even the Royal Order of Raccoons, to name a few. He will be remembered for his dedication to family and his talent for bringing people together.

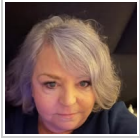
# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

SEP **30**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Laurel Funeral Home  
201 Laurel Ave  
Hazlet Township, NJ 07734  
(732) 787-0258

# Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



**Darlene Armstrong** - January 10 at 09:24 AM

TA

“ Terry & Darlene Armstrong are saddened to hear of our dear friend Eddy's passing. We are Canadian snowbird friends in Florida for many years and hoped to see him again this winter. What a great guy he was, so kind hearted, entertaining and a genuine character. His stories were legendary and he lived a colourful life as long as he could.

We will proudly and sadly hoist a pint for him this St. Paddy's day and remember the many times we celebrated it together in past years. We loved and respected him and he will be forever cherished in our memories.

**TERRY & DARLENE ARMSTRONG** - January 09 at 09:02 PM

PT

“ Sending sincere condolences from his neighbors in the “Majestic Park”.

**Peg Taylor** - October 05, 2025 at 03:21 PM

KE

“ You are finally at peace Ed . You were a great friend to our whole family and wonderful to our mom. We had many campfires with your storytelling and fun spirit. Til we meet again, Kelly and Jerry. Our condolences to the Lehan family.

Kelly - October 02, 2025 at 03:05 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Edward Patrick Lehan.

September 30, 2025 at 08:04 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Edward Patrick Lehan.



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BM

“ Brother Jimmy and niece Maureen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward Patrick Lehan.

Brother Jimmy and niece Maureen - September 29, 2025 at 07:36 PM

BM

“ Brother Jimmy and niece Maureen purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Edward Patrick Lehan.



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**Brother Jimmy and niece Maureen** - September 29, 2025 at 07:36 PM

LL

“ Love, John and Ann Lehan purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Edward Patrick Lehan.



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**Love, John and Ann Lehan** - September 29, 2025 at 06:37 PM

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“ Love, John and Ann Lehan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Edward Patrick Lehan.

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**Love, John and Ann Lehan** - September 29, 2025 at 06:37 PM

SC

“ Scott & Dana Coyle purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Edward Patrick Lehan.



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**Scott & Dana Coyle** - September 29, 2025 at 03:56 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edward Patrick Lehan.*



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September 29, 2025 at 02:46 PM



“ *Patricia and Tim Crowley purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Edward Patrick Lehan.*



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**Patricia and Tim Crowley** - September 29, 2025 at 01:54 PM



“ *We are so sorry to hear about the loss of Uncle Eddie. Sending all the Lehan family love, comfort and light. Our condolences, Margaret, Edward and Steven*

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**Hoetzel cousins** - September 28, 2025 at 12:15 PM



“ *Love Chris & Brenda purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Edward Patrick Lehan.*



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**Love Chris & Brenda** - September 28, 2025 at 12:15 PM

EI

“ *Rest in sweet Heavenly peace my dear brother Edward.  
I will always love you, Eileen*

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**Eileen** - September 27, 2025 at 05:43 PM

MA

“ *Margaret A. purchased the Fairest of All for the  
family of Edward Patrick Lehan.*



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**Margaret A.** - September 27, 2025 at 05:28 PM