



Thomas A. Orie Sr.

April 20, 1931 - December 23, 2025

Thomas Allen Orie, Sr., age 94, of Orlando, Florida, went home to be with the Lord on December 23, 2025.

Born on April 20, 1931, in Hartford, Connecticut, Tom lived a life marked by faith, dedication, and quiet strength. He loved Jesus deeply and faithfully served at Faith Assembly of God as a board member and usher for many years before leaving to help start River of Life a home missions church pastored by his granddaughter, Danielle, and her husband, Kevin.

His life reflected generosity, patience, compassion, and kindness – traits that all who knew him experienced firsthand.

Tom was a devoted husband, loving father, proud grandfather (“Poppa”), and cherished great-grandfather. He had a mischievous but warm smile, a quick wit, and a gentle presence that immediately made people feel at ease. He was the best at giving advice and loved being with his family.

His Life’s Work

Tom knew the value of hard work and perseverance and helped on the family farm. During World War II, he left school to help run the farm while his older brothers were off fighting for our country. He later served in Germany during

the Korean War and afterwards worked hard to receive his GED and later became an electrical engineer. He worked at Pratt and Whitney in Connecticut and then moved his family of five to Winter Garden, Florida to work at Martin Marietta. His family of five grew to six with the birth of his only Florida-born son, Tim.

He later worked for Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company where he enjoyed great success. He was a prominent businessman in Winter Garden for many years serving in the Jaycees and as a member of the Resurrection Catholic Church.

Owning his own business was a lifelong dream for Tom, and that dream became a reality when he purchased Superior Aluminum in Winter Park, Florida. There he built a successful company with integrity and dedication. He began each workday with prayer and a devotion alongside his employees – a practice that continues today and remains part of his enduring legacy.

Tom used his engineering skills and became an inventor. He invented an insulating secondary roof system which he received a patent for on September 27, 1982. He could repair anything, and even on his days off, he would work around the house. He was rarely idle.

Tom lived his life with humility and purpose. He loved his family fiercely, worked diligently, and trusted God faithfully. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Alice; his parents, Eva and John; his brothers, Jack, Dean, and Bob; and his first-born son, Tommy.

We rejoice in the promise of eternal life through Christ.

“Well done, good and faithful servant.” Matthew 25:33

Tom is survived by his wife, Beverly Morrison. He is also survived by his children: Alice Stephens (Carl), his daughter-in-law Rosaleny Orie, Terry Orie (Lorraine), Christine Rowland (Sam), Todd Orie (JoEllen), and Tim Orie (Gina); and his grandchildren: Danielle Quinones (Kevin), Joshua Stephens (Mandi), Carla Hylton (Mark), Jason Rowland (Danielle), Stacie Maus (David), Matthew Rowland (Nicole), Tatiana Orie-McCarty (Rob), Taylor Orie, Tara Orie (Troy Beckham), Beba Orie (Cameron Migliore), Azurae Orie, Cameron Orie, Summer Orie, Sierra Orie, and Skylar Orie, and great-grandchildren: Kassi Quinones, Karli Quinones, Easton Stephens, Tinley Stephens, Everly Stephens, Truitt Stephens, Tatum Stephens, Raegan Hylton, Reid Hylton, Logan Rowland, Noah Rowland, Jace Rowland, Ava Maus, Ella Maus, Selah Maus, Wyatt Maus, Aisley Rowland, Tyler Rowland, and Maverick Orie.

Deliver flowers to church

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 15. 11:15 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Faith Assembly of God
9307 Curry Ford Road
Orlando, FL 32825

Funeral Service

JAN 15. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Faith Assembly of God
9307 Curry Ford Road
Orlando, FL 32825

Burial

JAN 15. 2:00 PM (ET)

Chapel Hill Cemetery
2400 Harrell Rd
Orlando, FL

Tribute Wall

TP

“ Toni P. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas A. Orie Sr..

Toni P. - January 15 at 11:00 AM

BC

“ Billy Rowland Tommy & Donna Blackston & Family Stephen & Sandy Rowland Scott & Caroline purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Thomas A. Orie Sr..



Billy Rowland Tommy & Donna Blackston & Family Stephen & Sandy Rowland Scott & Caroline - January 14 at 01:12 AM

JB

“ Tom was a great business man and a great family man exceeded only by terrific personality.

James Burzee - January 13 at 04:01 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Thomas A. Orie Sr..



January 12 at 11:23 PM

JF

“ Joe and patti furjanic purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Thomas A. Ori Sr..



Joe and patti furjanic - January 12 at 09:02 PM

FT

“ Fifth grade team purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Thomas A. Ori Sr..



Fifth grade team - January 12 at 10:41 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Thomas A. Ori Sr..



January 11 at 07:25 PM

TO

“ Todd, JoEllen, Azurae & Cameron Ori planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas A. Ori Sr..

Todd, JoEllen, Azurae & Cameron Ori - January 11 at 07:25 PM

TB

“ Town & Country Industries Orlando Branch purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Thomas A. Orié Sr..



Town & Country Industries Orlando Branch - January 11 at 07:15 PM

LZ

“ Love, Rexon & Anita Jeyasingh- Zechariah purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Thomas A. Orié Sr..



Love, Rexon & Anita Jeyasingh- Zechariah - January 10 at 07:16 PM

LZ

“ Love, Rexon & Anita Jeyasingh- Zechariah planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas A. Orié Sr..

Love, Rexon & Anita Jeyasingh- Zechariah - January 10 at 07:16 PM

CD

“ Tom was one of the kindest most honest persons I have ever met!
His legacy will live on forever!
condolences to his family and friends

Chris D'Angelo - January 10 at 11:30 AM

LS

“ I love this man cause he's a lovely family man. hes an awesome person, and I didn't even know him for long. Rest in Paradise.



Lil Santiago - January 10 at 09:55 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Thomas A. Orie Sr..



January 10 at 09:07 AM

EM

“ Eastern Metals purchased the Simply Elegant Sp athiphyllum for the family of Thomas A. Orie Sr..



Eastern Metals - January 09 at 02:31 PM

EM

“ Eastern Metals planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas A. Orie Sr..

Eastern Metals - January 09 at 02:31 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Thomas A. Orie Sr..



January 09 at 02:28 PM



“ Louise and Mitch Mells planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas A. Orie Sr..

Louise and Mitch Mells - January 09 at 02:28 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Thomas A. Orie Sr..



January 07 at 01:31 PM



“ From Alida, Jessie Santiago & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Thomas Orie.

From Alida, Jessie Santiago & Family - January 07 at 01:31 PM