



Timothy Gerard Evans

January 24, 1948 - March 23, 2018

One of the most powerful and beautiful bass voices of the Washington Choral Arts Society fell silent on March 23, 2018 when our beloved brother, uncle, cousin, teacher, colleague, and friend, Timothy Gerard Evans, passed away. Born on January 24, 1948 to the late Robert M. and Jean Evans of Glassport, PA, Tim received his education at the Covington Latin School in Covington, KY; St. Pius X Seminary in Erlanger, KY; St. Vincent Seminary, Latrobe, PA; and North American College, Gregorian University, and the University of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome, Italy. He was ordained a priest at St. Peter's Basilica in Rome in 1973 and served in the Diocese of Pittsburgh for 27 years.

For the past 14 years, Tim was a devoted and compassionate teacher of students with special needs at the Simpson Middle School in Leesburg, VA and, over the years, received numerous Special Education teaching certificates and credentials. At Simpson, Tim was often heard singing Broadway tunes as he pushed his classroom cart through the halls. During his recent illness, Tim received many cards and letters from the staff and students at Simpson, where he was greatly admired and will be sorely missed. One colleague wrote: "I want you to know that I have enjoyed working with over the last few years—you're a wonderful teacher and so kind and patient with our kids. I admire you greatly." Another claimed, "the Simpson community is not the same without you."

Tim has been a member of the Washington Choral Arts Society for more than a decade and has performed many times with the chorus at the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington, D.C. He also traveled with the Choral Society and performed in South America in 2005 and in China in 2015, among many other venues. The Director of the Choral Arts Society, Scott Tucker, paid tribute to Tim, calling him one of the group's best Basses with his "beautiful voice," adding that Tim was "an integral part of our singing community." Scott Pritchett, President of the Chorus, called Tim a "very special fellow, saying that he was "beloved by all."

Tim was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Robert. M. Evans, Jr. (Bob). He is survived by Bob's wife Kathleen (Kathy) Evans of Ashton, MD; sister Mary Jean Homza (Eli) of Gainesville, FL; and, brother, Daniel J. Evans, Sr. (Mary) of Gainesville, VA; six nieces and nephews; 10 great nieces and nephews; many cousins, colleagues, and friends.

Visitation at the Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA 20110 from 6-8 PM on Tuesday, March 27, 2018. The Reverend Charles Merkle will officiate a Mass of Christian Burial at All Saints Catholic Church, 9300 Stonewall Rd., Manassas, VA 20110 at 10 AM on Wednesday, March 28, 2018.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 27. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
9609 Center St.
Manassas, VA 20110
(703) 257-6028
pfh@piercefh.com
<https://www.piercefh.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 28. 10:00 AM (ET)

All Saints Catholic Church
9300 Stonewall Rd
Manassas, VA 20110
(703) 368-4500

Tribute Wall

MG

“ I knew Tim from St. Michael’s Church in Elizabeth. He was always very kind to me. He once took me to see Harry Connick Jr. for his birthday. A friend of his had cancelled out. He asked me to take their place. I loved singing songs with him. Tim was a bright light for many.

Megan (Stanton) Grefenstette

Megan Grefenstette - April 28, 2018 at 08:27 PM

MB

“ I was so very saddened to hear of our Tim's passing. When he was our priest at St. Michael's in Elizabeth, Pa I was his secretary and friend. He was a great man and we had so much fun with him. He made the whole staff's job a great place to work. We had some wonderful field trips we would call them (going to the outlets or to eat). He will forever be in our hearts and prayers. Our love and sympathy to all his family. With love and a heavy heart,
Mary and Pam

Mary Briggs - April 07, 2018 at 10:36 AM

KV

“ Our family's sympathy on his passing.... he was fondly remembered as our parish priest many years ago.

karen vannatten - April 04, 2018 at 11:56 PM

AB

“ I sang with Tim in Choral Arts for several years. A warm, deep, good man with a heavenly voice and a welcoming smile. I am so glad that Tim was part of my life. I send my most sincere condolences to Tim's family.

Al Bradford

Albert Bradford - March 27, 2018 at 11:03 PM

PK

“ Sure as Rainbows bend my forever friend. You were always there. Give God a hug for me.

Peggy

Peggy Keene - March 27, 2018 at 12:11 AM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Timothy Gerard Evans.



March 26, 2018 at 07:14 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Timothy Gerard Evans.



March 26, 2018 at 12:55 PM

SP

“ I sang next to Tim in the Choral Arts Society of Washington bass section for many years. He was a very fine friend, I enjoyed him greatly, and we will all miss him so. Rest peacefully, Tim. We love you.

Scott Pritchett - March 26, 2018 at 11:22 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Timothy Gerard Evans.



March 26, 2018 at 10:10 AM

LF

“ Love, Your Simpson MS family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Timothy Gerard Evans.



Love, Your Simpson MS family - March 26, 2018 at 09:56 AM

SC

“ What a wonderful, gentle soul we all knew in Tim. Sending prayers of peace and strength to all who loved him. Scott and Sandy Crow



Sandy Crow - March 26, 2018 at 06:52 AM

SC

“ *Scott, Sandy, Al, and Nevia Crow purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Timothy Gerard Evans.*



Scott, Sandy, Al, and Nevia Crow - March 26, 2018 at 06:49 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Timothy Gerard Evans.*



March 25, 2018 at 08:07 PM