



## Mr. John T. "Jack" "Red" Dwyer, Jr.

September 27, 1943 - February 23, 2025

John T. "Jack" Dwyer, Jr.

Former Sacred Heart Parishioner

Longtime Foreman Cawley Stadium & Shedd Park

LOWELL—John T. "Jack" "Red" Dwyer, Jr., 81, passed away on Sunday, February 23, 2025 at Lowell General Hospital. Born in Lowell on September 27, 1943, he was the only son of the late John T. Sr. and Viola (Coutu) Dwyer. Jack attended the Sacred Heart Grammar School, followed by the Sacred Heart School for Boys in Andover until graduation. He then attended Lowell High School, graduating with the class of 1962. Jack began his career with the City of Lowell Parks Department, spending 36 years, most of them as the perennial caretaker and foreman at Cawley Stadium and later Shedd Park. He was a parishioner of the Sacred Heart Parish until its closing, then later the Immaculate Conception Church. Red held membership in the Lowell Lodge of Elks for over 55 years, also the East End Club and the Ancient Order of Hibernians.

Jack is survived by his three sisters, Marjorie Chulak, Claire McDermott, and Justine Reed. He also leaves many nieces, nephews, and friends. Jack was the brother of the late Ruth Doyle, and brother-in-law of the late Russell Doyle, Al Chulak, Frank McDermott, and John C. Reed.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS MAY CALL AT THE FAY McCABE FUNERAL HOME, 105 MOORE STREET, LOWELL ON FRIDAY, FEB. 28 FROM 9:30 AM UNTIL 11:30 AM. HIS FUNERAL SERVICE WILL FOLLOW AT 11:30 IN THE FUNERAL HOME. AS AN EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY, DONATIONS IN RED'S MEMORY MAY BE MADE TO THE ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION, [www.alz.org/donate](http://www.alz.org/donate)

ARRANGEMENTS BY THE  
FAY McCABE FUNERAL DIRECTORS  
978-459-9222 [www.faymccabe.com](http://www.faymccabe.com)

# Cemetery Details

**A Private Burial Will Take Place With The Family**

## Previous Events

### Calling Hours

**FEB 28.** 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Fay McCabe Funeral Home  
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### Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall

PS

“ He was such a wonderful man .. never said no .. when we needed anything at Shedd park or alumni field .. or Cawley .. RIP Red

Philip & Lynne scannell - March 02, 2025 at 08:09 AM

KE

“ Red always had a smile on his face and would do anything for the LHS Girls Soccer teams at Shedd Park back in the day. Sending peace to his family.

Kerry - February 28, 2025 at 09:56 PM

RM

“ John and I lived in Concord Meadows Condominium, even parked next to each for years. Such a gentleman, always with a smile, very pleasant and easy to talk to. He will be missed...Robin Morrison

Robin Morrison - February 26, 2025 at 07:22 PM

OK

“ Jack, an O'Donnell's Park original. ALWAYS a nice guy. Say "hi" to Pinky.



O'Donnell's Park kid - February 26, 2025 at 04:20 PM

SR

“ Sean & Erin Rourke lit a candle in memory of Mr. John T. "Jack" "Red" Dwyer, Jr.



Sean & Erin Rourke - February 26, 2025 at 03:52 PM

KD

“ Rest in peace Red, you are now back with Rourkie your old boss! I loved talking to you at Cawley when I was in High school, you always had a funny story or a joke and treated us Sacred Heart guys great. Rest in peace sir.

Kevin Durkin - February 26, 2025 at 08:57 AM