

## In Memory of Tom Haddad

Tom will be forever missed by many in our organization. His 27 years of dedication to Andy's Liquor was truly remarkable. Throughout his career, he made an incredible impact on many of us and our customers. His expertise and passion fell within the wine industry. Tom especially enjoyed California Zinfandels and Spanish wines, and enjoyed a good beer from time to time too.

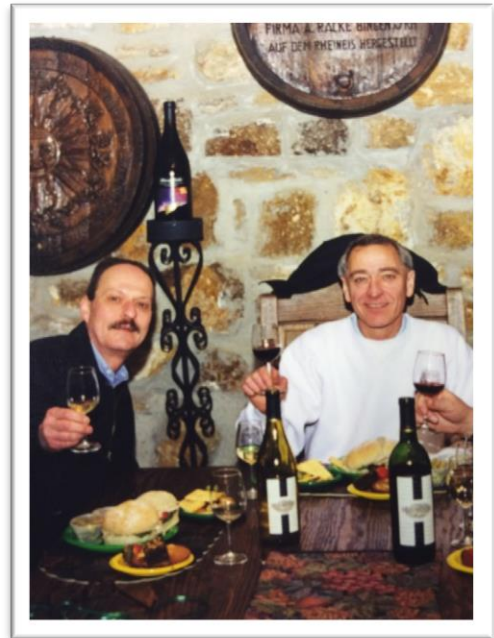
Tom excelled as a wine buyer for many years within Andy's Liquor, and also led efforts for the Wine Flyer. Numerous customers relied on him to make thoughtful recommendations for food pairings and gifts. It was not uncommon for customers to walk into the store and seek him out for advice. He had an impressive client base.

His battle with cancer over the last few years did not lessen his passion for Andy's Liquor and his strong work ethic. He continued to work and interact with customers as often as he could. The other night, Gus, Andy, Irv, and Mike, brought him dinner and he happily made the wine selection that would pair best with the meal. It was a really nice evening, reminiscing about the good ol' days. You may have seen Andy throughout the years pull on Tom's ears, and so, of course, Andy had to do it that night too, which brought a smile to Tom's face.

What made Tom such a valuable team member was not only his vast knowledge in the wine industry, but also his playful sense of humor and kindness to coworkers and customers. He valued and appreciated the many relationships that he had at Andy's Liquor, and we all value having him in our lives too. He made the day brighter for many and was always willing to pitch in where needed; he was an extremely hard worker and positive person.

Tom is also remembered as a very proud father of his daughters. Not a day went by that he didn't talk about them. It was heartwarming to see the unconditional and deep love that he had for his family.

We will always remember how incredible of a person that Tom was and how blessed we are to have known him. In remembrance of Tom, we will be selecting some of his favorite wines at our Crossroads location. Cheers to Tom, and thank you for being such an amazing friend.



*Doug Ocheltree & Tom Haddad*