



## Edward Simon Vogler Jr.

January 8, 1967 - February 16, 2019

On February 16, 2019, Edward Simon Vogler Jr., age 52, of Ross Twp, beloved husband of Lisa Stellitano Vogler; father of Cassandra, Amanda and Sarah Vogler; son of Edward S. (Gail) Vogler Sr. and Carmen and Joyce Stellitano and the late Joan Wehner Vogler; brother of Scott Vogler; also survived by his puppies, Odin and Freya and cats, Chloe and Bean; Edward was an amazing husband, father and animal lover. He was one of the founders, and lead two living history regiments, Graham's Company of the 42nd Royal Highland Regiment and B Company of the 1st Highland Battalion Black Watch. He was an organizer of several living history events and multiple school programs on the 18th century and World War One. Edward was a mason of 32nd°. He belong to the valley lodge as his blue lodge, number 613. Friends received Monday, February 18, 2019, from 2 - 4 and 6 - 8 pm at Simons Funeral Home, Inc., 7720 Perry Highway, where a Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, 11:00 am. [www.simonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.simonsfuneralhome.com). Contributions may be made to the NASRN National Anatolian Shepherd Rescue Network.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Simons Funeral Home, Inc.  
7720 Perry Highway  
Pittsburgh, PA 15237

## Visitation

FEB 18. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Memorial Service

FEB 19. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

YS

“ *Every morning that Eddy came to yeshiva he'd be standing at the top of the hill with a coffee in hand saying good morning to everyone with a smile on his face, yeshiva will miss him greatly and we thank him for all the wonderful days were he came to protect out school*

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**yeshiva student** - February 24, 2019 at 09:37 PM

LE

“ *I'm sure that my colleagues at Yeshiva Schools share my shock and sadness to hear of your passing. We appreciate your gentleness and the protection you provided us. May your family find comfort in fond memories.*

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**Leah** - February 22, 2019 at 02:18 PM

TH

“ *On behalf of the 2nd Company Virginia Regiment, we offer you our deepest and sincere condolences. Ed was always an inspiration at our reenactments and someone who many of us looked up to. He will truly be missed.*

*Sincerely,  
Troy and Christy Heck*

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**Troy Heck** - February 18, 2019 at 11:22 PM

JB

“ *I met him at fort lignior. Very out going. Prayers to the family. Final salute to you. Hip hip huzzah. Huzzah! Rest In Peace brother.*

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**Jason Van Beveren** - February 18, 2019 at 11:20 PM

CR

“ *I only met Ed once - this past November when he and Lisa prepared the most amazing Thanksgiving dinner for card club. I remember thinking at that time "What a great husband" for him to do that. My heart goes out to Lisa and Cassie and his older daughters.*

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**Carol Rosen** - February 18, 2019 at 10:27 PM

RK

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Roger Kirwin - February 18, 2019 at 06:26 PM



“ Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



February 18, 2019 at 02:38 PM



“ God speed, my friend. The Last Post sounds for you.

*My deepest sympathies to those who remain to carry on. I am so sorry for your loss. Know that his spirit will continue to light this world.*

*As his WWI GWA platoon commander, he was and will always be my "Corp" - my steadfast and incredibly humorous "Jock". He will be truly missed.*

*Greg Goodell  
2nd Border Regiment, Recreated*

Greg Goodell - February 18, 2019 at 01:53 PM

RK

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Roger Kirwin - February 18, 2019 at 10:26 AM

BH

“ Sergeant Major Edward Vogler was good, honest and extraordinarily honorable man. He was one of those that left a last lasting impression on everyone he met.

*His professionalism, good natured competitiveness, in depth knowledge, and infectious desire to educate the public in the best way possible made all of who came to know him stand a little taller, work a little hard and always laugh a little louder.*

*I will always value his council and the friendship he extended to me.*

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**Brian Harris** - February 18, 2019 at 10:26 AM

KH

“ I came to know Ed through Bushy Run, he was always at the reenactments, and he was always willing to help the site when asked his knowledge about the Battle and willingness to share information to the public always made him a joy to be around. Ed was a guy I looked forward to seeing every year. Bushy Run battlefield has lost a great asset, and to those of us who had the pleasure to know you we have lost a good friend.

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**Kurt Hinkelman** - February 17, 2019 at 08:02 PM

JH

“ My name is John Harris. When I became a reenactor I did not know many people, but I did my best to get to know everyone. I met Ed when I was about 12, he was a very nice man. As I got older I became more involved I became a regimental drummer for my unit. I remember Ed would always say that I was a privilege to have at an event, even though I was not a part of his unit, as having a drummer is something he wanted for his unit. So when a drummer joined his unit Ed came to me and said "Drummer Harris, I have a young lad that want to learn to drum. I thought that the only one best suited to teach him would be you." At the time I did not think much of it. But I look back now that one of my close friends is now gone. He had faith and respect for me that I could not ever have known. I was about 15 when he came to me and said that. To have had such faith in me when I was but a boy astounds me. I respected this man very much and grew close enough to him to call him my friend. I will miss having him at reenactments. He always brought a smile to our faces and knew what to do. You will be missed, Ed.

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**JOHN T HARRIS** - February 17, 2019 at 07:33 PM

MB

“ Few time we met on field he was a good man RIP reenactor friends may tip there glasses to fine man.

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**Matt Bottomley** - February 17, 2019 at 06:03 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..*



February 17, 2019 at 03:39 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All Red was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..*



February 17, 2019 at 01:00 PM

KP

“ *Kevin Pegnato purchased the Red Rose Fireside Basket for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..*



**Kevin Pegnato** - February 17, 2019 at 12:23 PM

BB

“ *The officers and entire membership of Compagnie Le Boeuf, French & Indian Re-Enacting Club, send our respects and most sincere condolences to the family of our most respected fellow re-enactor Ed Volger. He will be most sorely missed by the whole F&I community.*

*Barbara Bockrath, secretary of Compagnie Le Boeuf*

**Barbara Bockrath** - February 17, 2019 at 11:52 AM

JH

“ *I loved hearing Ed's booming laughter from across the field. It was always warm and genuine. I cannot image being at an event and not hearing that laughter and seeing that smile that was always there. :( Joni Harris*

**Joni Harris** - February 17, 2019 at 09:12 AM

DS

“ He was one of the warmest, generous people , it has been my privilege to meet

David Siggers - February 17, 2019 at 02:24 AM



“ White Rose Fireside Basket was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



February 16, 2019 at 10:03 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



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February 16, 2019 at 06:27 PM

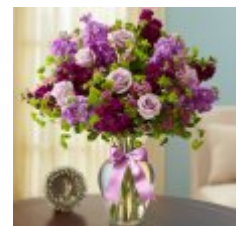
JS

“ Ed was a man of the highest caliber and I shall miss him very much.

Johnny Smith - February 16, 2019 at 05:07 PM



“ Shades of Purple was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



February 16, 2019 at 03:47 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White* was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



February 16, 2019 at 03:38 PM



“ *Classic Sympathy Dish Garden* was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



February 16, 2019 at 03:33 PM



“ *Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..."* was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



February 16, 2019 at 03:28 PM



“ *White Standing Spray* was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



February 16, 2019 at 03:24 PM



“ *Healing Tears - All White* was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..



February 16, 2019 at 03:09 PM



“ *Peaceful Wishes was purchased for the family of Edward Simon Vogler Jr..*



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February 16, 2019 at 02:52 PM