



## Gerald "Jerry" Donavon Peters

February 19, 1945 - May 8, 2024

Peters, Gerald (Jerry) D.

Age 79, of Savage, MN passed away May 8th, 2024. Jerry was born Feb 19, 1945, in Cleveland, Ohio as the oldest son to Max and Myrtle Peters who preceded him in death.

At the age of 1 Jerry and his parents moved to the Minneapolis area and had three more sons, James (Dianne), Richard (Rita), and William (Karan). In 1968 he met and married the love of his life, Mary Lou (Skar) Peters. Jerry had many passions but none more than cooking and fishing. Over time he was known as the Keeper of Garlic and Spice. He fed many fisherman friends during Walleye openers and trips to Canada. He would love to host and prepare gourmet meals for all that came over. His early fishing days was spent on Woman Lake chasing Walleyes and later Lake Waconia and Leech Lake searching for Muskies. Jerry was a graduate of the University of Minnesota with a master's in electrical engineering. He was a great husband, father, grandfather, and friend. He will be deeply missed and remembered by all who came across his path.

Survived by wife Mary; sons, Jonathan (Sara), Brian (Shelly), and Michael; grandkids, Andrew, Alyssa, Gavin, Brady, Owen, Wesley, and Mai Lyn as well as many relatives. Funeral service will be held in the near future for immediate

family.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Rivers of Life in Savage, MN. Memory Care/Enhanced Assisted Living ' Eagan & Savage MN ' Rivers of Life ([riversoflifemn.com](http://riversoflifemn.com))

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**Kaylee Giinthir** - May 10, 2024 at 05:49 PM

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*Many memories Joe and I have shared living across the street from Mary and Jerry. Our kids went to same school and rode the bus together. We were even close when we both bought Florida homes. Too many memories to recall, Jerry and Mary were the closest couple I know, Jerry will be missed and our thoughts and prayers go to the Peters Family.*

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**Joe and Jeri Pagano** - May 11, 2024 at 09:18 PM