



Joseph Wayne Peterson

June 27, 1969 - November 19, 2022

Peterson, Joseph W.

Age 53 of Minneapolis, passed away unexpectedly on November 19, 2022. Joe is preceded in death by parents, Steve and Renee Peterson. He will be deeply missed by his loving wife, Tiffany; sons, Jacob and Mitchell; brother, George (Shannon) Peterson; brother, Brian (Shari) Peterson; sister, Heather (Korey) Malberg; nieces and nephews, Noah, Nolan, Lauren, Klohe, and Henry; parents-in-law, Wayne and Kathy Skiba; and devoted companion, Fergie. Joe touched the lives of many other family members and friends as well.

A memorial gathering will be held on Thursday, December 1 at Washburn-McReavy Nokomis Park Chapel (1838 E. Minnehaha Pkwy, Minneapolis) from 4-7 PM. Memorials preferred to American Diabetes Association

Previous Events

Memorial Gathering

DEC 1. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Nokomis Park Chapel
1838 E. Minnehaha Parkway
Minneapolis, MN 55407
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Tribute Wall



“ I met Joe in 6Th Grade he was an exhalent drawer he was very good at drawing automobiles with great detail his laugh and smile was infectious he was bright and talented I miss you Joe and I'll attach my 1978 Delta 88 Oldsmobile. Joe taught me a little but not as good as his.



Dave Kappes - November 02, 2025 at 10:58 PM

RY

“ I dug into the batters box as a rival 10-year-old Minneapolis parkboard baseball player the first I met Joe. He wore his hat crooked (way before it was trendy) and stood tall on the pitchers mound for LHRC. His teammates hollered incessantly for his signature pitch: "Throw 'im the banana ball, Joe!" He'd sooner whistle one by your ear than give you something to hit.

"Big Joe" reserved his fierceness for athletic pursuits. My friend Joe was kind and giving off the field: He freely shared his intelligence, curiosity, his big heart, positive-energy... and his unique gift to absolutely crumple you with his humor.

Who imagined a time arriving when Joe's big laugh and big energy wouldn't be a quick call or text away? We parted with a hug when I saw him in August, he shared insight about a band via a text exchange in September--Joe's passion for music was endless.

Much strength to Tiffany, Jacob & Mitchell: What a gift Joe Peterson was. We are all so lucky to have had him with us for this brief while.

-Ryan Puchreiter

Ryan - December 01, 2022 at 02:16 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Joseph Wayne Peterson.



November 30, 2022 at 08:36 PM

CL

“ I met Joe and became best friend's with him in Kindergarten and was in school with him all the way through college. We played sports together, attended concerts, partied, and had many good times, laughs and memories along the way. He was a gentle giant and one of the funniest people that I have ever known.

My deepest condolences to Tiffany, Jacob, Mitchell, George, Brian, Heather and the rest of Joe's family.

Joe, RIP my friend. I love you and I look forward to seeing you again.

Chris Leighton

Chris Leighton - November 30, 2022 at 05:19 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joseph Wayne Peterson.



November 30, 2022 at 12:31 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Joseph Wayne Peterson.



November 29, 2022 at 07:52 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joseph Wayne Peterson.*



November 29, 2022 at 09:23 AM



“ *We will always miss you! RIP!*

Bertin Simeon - November 29, 2022 at 08:17 AM



“ *Joe,*

It was such a blessing to have the benefit of working with you. I will always cherish our conversations. Your kindness and eagerness to help will be missed greatly. Sincere sympathies to all your family and friends.

Cody Elletson - November 28, 2022 at 01:09 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Joseph Wayne Peterson.*



November 28, 2022 at 12:09 PM

ED

“ Joe, it was truly a pleasure to have worked with you. You will be greatly missed.

My sincere sympathies to Joe's family & friends.

Edlyne Beaugé - Medtronic

Edlyne - November 28, 2022 at 11:09 AM

SC

“ Joe, had a good memory working with you, you were always willing to help and good listener. You will be missed. May your soul rest in peace.

Deepest condolences to the family and prayers for them during this difficult times.

Seena Changirath - Medtronic

Seena Changirath - November 28, 2022 at 09:31 AM

BR

“ Joe, you were so kind and very committed to work, I recall the last conversations on parenting tips and basketball. You'll certainly be missed in our staff meetings. Since condolences to your family and prayers for your soul to rest in peace.

Balaji Ramanujakannan - Medtronic

Balaji Ramanujakannan - November 27, 2022 at 10:05 PM

MI

“ Joe, I remember you as a kid living next door, such a kidder you were. My prayers go out to your family.

Millie Ives (Simonson)

Millie Ives - November 26, 2022 at 02:39 PM

AL

“ Joe, Your kind self and gentle words will be greatly missed. Our deepest sympathy to his family and loved ones.

Anamari Laboy-Bollinger - Medtronic

Anamari Laboy-Bollinger - November 24, 2022 at 09:42 AM

ST

“ Joe - you've been an amazing colleague! You'll terribly be missed! Sincere condolences to Tiffany, Jacob and Mitchell.

Stephane Moreau - Medtronic

Steph - November 24, 2022 at 09:02 AM

FG

“ Sincere sympathy to Tiffany, Jacob and Mitchell at this terribly difficult and sad time. We were shocked to hear of the sudden passing of our friend and colleague Joe. We will miss him.

Fiona Grennan - Medtronic

Fiona Grennan - November 24, 2022 at 06:00 AM