



## Peter Francis Yanda

June 15, 1954 - July 23, 2024

Peter F. Yanda, age 70, of Edina, passed away peacefully on July 23.

Peter's favorite line was "never had a bad day" and he truly meant it. He exemplified positivity, resilience and courage. He loved to laugh and no one ever left a conversation with him without hearing a joke.

Peter's life was defined by his relationships. He was a friend, a mentor, and everyone's biggest champion. Above all, he was endlessly devoted to his family and his faith.

He was welcomed into Heaven by his mother and father, Betty and Bob; and sister, Mary Finnegan. He will be missed and forever cherished by his wife, Jane; daughters, Gretchen (Andrew Goldfinch), Jamie Ballard (Keith), and Lindsay Gilligan (Ryan); brother, Steve; nieces, nephews, extended family; and the five brightest lights in his life: Ava, Luke, Will, Abby and Henry.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, July 31, 4-7 PM, at Washburn McReavy Edina Chapel, 5000 West 50th St. Edina, MN 55436.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 31. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Edina Chapel  
5000 West 50th & Highway 100  
Edina, MN 55436

# Tribute Wall

MF

“ Mr. And Mrs. Fuentes purchased the Gable Gift Box for the family of Peter Francis Yanda.



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**Mr. And Mrs. Fuentes** - August 03, 2024 at 05:31 PM

MF

“ Mr. And Mrs. Fuentes planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Peter Francis Yanda.

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**Mr. And Mrs. Fuentes** - August 03, 2024 at 05:31 PM

BE

“ Brad and Dennis Eastham planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Peter Francis Yanda.

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**Brad and Dennis Eastham** - July 31, 2024 at 04:04 PM

BE

“ Brad and Dennis Eastham purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Peter Francis Yanda.



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**Brad and Dennis Eastham** - July 31, 2024 at 04:04 PM

PM

“ Paul M. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Peter Francis Yanda.

Paul M. - July 31, 2024 at 02:57 PM

PP

“ Pallavi and Philip planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Peter Francis Yanda.

Pallavi and Philip - July 31, 2024 at 01:55 AM

PP

“ Pallavi and Philip purchased the Simply Elegant *Spathiphyllum* for the family of Peter Francis Yanda.



Pallavi and Philip - July 31, 2024 at 01:55 AM

YM

“ Ying M. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Peter Francis Yanda.

Ying M. - July 27, 2024 at 10:27 PM

WO

“ I have the pleasure of delivering mail to the Yanda's . When I had the pleasure of running into Peter, he always had a smile and a joke for me that made my day a little bit brighter💕 He will be missed. Please know your family is in my thoughts and prayers 🙏 Wendy OBrien

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**Wendy OBrien** - July 27, 2024 at 10:42 AM