



## Brian J. Asselin

December 30, 1953 - January 6, 2022

PEPPERELL: Brian J. Asselin, 68, a longtime Pepperell resident died Thursday, January 6, 2022, at Nashoba Valley Medical Center, Ayer.

Mr. Asselin was born in Lowell, December 30, 1953, a son of the late Joseph R. and June R. (Barker) Asselin and has resided in Pepperell for over fifty years.

Mr. Asselin worked as a Rock Drill Operator for Yankee Blasting Company in Plainville, MA responsible for drilling rock using hydraulic drills on quarries, mines, and construction and development projects, retiring in 2001.

As an avid hobbyist, Brian had many interests such as modeling, wood crafting and metalwork often sharing many of his finished projects with family. He was a car and motorcycle enthusiast and enjoyed computers, music and collecting items of interest such as M&M memorabilia. He could fabricate or repair just about anything, but had a true fascination and passion for electronics, especially LED lighting. He was a real jokester and will be remembered for creating many laughs and fond memories for family and friends.

Brian is survived by his longtime companion, Diane Ford; his former wife, Noreen (Blood) Mahoney and her husband Robert and seven children. Michelle Sanderson and her husband Chris of Athol; Brian J. Asselin Jr. and his wife Terasa of Pembroke, NH; Lonnie Helman of Pepperell, Jamie Bacon and his wife Lori of South Carolina, Justin Bacon and his wife Ethel of Pepperell, and John Ford and Jay Ford both of Ayer. He also leaves behind his beloved grandchildren Kenni, Jacob, Dylan, Kera, Damien, Elise, Kimber, Daisy, Kaylee, Chris Jr. and Curtis. Two brothers, Frank Asselin and his wife Janet and Michael Asselin both of Florida; a sister, June Sprague and her husband Darrell of Rochester, NH as well as many nieces, a great-grandson and a spoiled dog named Dusty.

Funeral services will be held privately. Interment will be in St. Joseph's Cemetery, Chelmsford.

The Anderson Funeral Home, 250 Main Street, Townsend Center is assisting the family with arrangements. For additional information or to leave an online condolence please visit their website at [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Michelle and family,  
We were so sorry to read about your dad's passing. Please know we are thinking  
of you.  
The Antosh Family*

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**The Antosh Family** - January 11 at 09:39 PM

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*We are so sorry for your loss. Brian has been a part of our lives for such a long time.  
We go back to those bus stop mornings. You will be missed. A good neighbor. ~Lois  
and The Grant Family*

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**Lois Pentland** - January 12 at 04:36 PM