



## Charles T. Surette

November 27, 1937 - March 21, 2024

TOWNSEND: Charles T. Surette, 86, of Townsend, passed away, after a brief battle with cancer, with his family by his side on Thursday March 21, 2024.

Born November 27, 1937 in Chelsea, Charles was the son of Emile Surette and Loretta (d'Entremont) Surette. He was raised in Chelsea and spent many years living in Burlington and Dracut.

He is survived by his loving wife, Pauline ((d'Entremont) ) Surette and their three daughters – Denise Clement and her husband Greg, Diane Coffin and her husband Edward, and Nicole Carta and her partner James Mericantante. In addition, he was a doting grandfather to Danielle, Micaela, Renee, Gaven, Eddie, and Christopher as well as eight great-grandchildren.

He is predeceased by his brother, Edward, and granddaughter, Melissa D'Eon.

Charles attended Northeastern University in the evenings while raising his family and working full time. He obtained a degree in Mechanical Engineering and spent many years working in the power plant industry.

Three of his favorite hobbies were fishing, golfing, and attending the various sports events / activities of his children, grandchildren, and great-

grandchildren.

He was a loving and devoted family man. With his kind smile, and friendly, gentle demeanor, he made friends everywhere he went. He will be missed by so many.

Charles' family will receive relatives and friends at calling hours Monday, April 1, 2024 from 4-7 PM at the Anderson Funeral Home, 250 Main Street (Rte 119) Townsend Center. [www.andersonfuneral.com](http://www.andersonfuneral.com)

A funeral Mass will be celebrated 11 AM Tuesday, April 2, 2024 at St. John's Church, 1 School Street, Townsend.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation in honor of Melissa D'Eon.

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

APR 1. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Anderson Funeral Home - Townsend  
250 Main Street ~ Route 119  
Townsend, MA 01469  
(978) 597-2692

## Funeral Mass

APR 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. John's Church  
1 School St  
Townsend, MA 01469  
(978) 597-2291

# Tribute Wall

BI

“ Met him in the early 80s on Cape Cod. I think it was Haigis beach He was a good man. He had a very nice wife and three very beautiful daughters. Rest in peace.

Billy - December 18, 2025 at 10:53 PM

MC

“ Will always remember Charlie as a kind and decent man who was a loving husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather! He was a dear friend to my late husband and was always ready with an infectious smile! He will be missed by so many people! Including myself! My thoughts and prayers go out to his wonderful wife and family. May he forever rest in peace. With love Mary Cafarelli

Mary Cafarelli - April 14, 2024 at 01:51 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Charles T. Surette.



April 01, 2024 at 10:14 AM

LA

“ Love, Richie, Stacey, Emily & Ava planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles T. Surette.

Love, Richie, Stacey, Emily & Ava - April 01, 2024 at 10:14 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Charles T. Surette.



April 01, 2024 at 08:39 AM



“ Mike and AnnMarie planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles T. Surette.

Mike and AnnMarie - April 01, 2024 at 08:39 AM



“ Elizabeth W. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles T. Surette.

Elizabeth W. - March 31, 2024 at 08:13 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Charles T. Surette.



March 28, 2024 at 12:17 PM

SM

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Steve Molloy - March 28, 2024 at 07:52 AM

SM

*Golfing buddies*

Steve Molloy - March 28, 2024 at 07:52 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Charles T. Surette.*



March 27, 2024 at 07:36 PM

MF

“ *Mark and Paul d'Entremont and family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles T. Surette.*

Mark and Paul d'Entremont and family - March 27, 2024 at 07:36 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles T. Surette.*



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March 27, 2024 at 12:47 PM



“ *Albert and I wish to send our heartfelt condolences to the family. His memory will live on in your hearts.*

*Albert & Myrna d'Entremont.*

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**Myrna d'Entremont** - March 27, 2024 at 10:59 AM



“ *Henry and Cynthia d'Eon would like to extend our deepest sympathies to Pauline and your family. Charlie was one of a kind gentle guy and will be missed by all.*

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**Henry and Cynthia d'Eon** - March 27, 2024 at 08:34 AM



“ *Rémi & I want to sent the family our most sincere condolences. We have great memories of his visits to Pubnico. Our thoughts & prayers are with the family during this difficult time. RIP Charlie.*

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**Rémi & Rita d'Entremont** - March 26, 2024 at 06:35 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Charles T. Surette.*



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March 26, 2024 at 05:17 PM



“ *Cross Roads Athletic Club planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles T. Surette.*

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**Cross Roads Athletic Club** - March 26, 2024 at 05:17 PM



“ *Spent many years fishing with Charlie up on Squam lake in NH as part of the Cross Roads Athletic Club. Charlie you will be missed Kevin Gallagher and the rest of the members of the Cross Roads Athletic Club*

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**Kevin Gallagher** - March 26, 2024 at 04:52 PM



*Your cabin mates from the "Silver Foxes Cabin" at the Squam fishing buddies already miss you. You were not just a fishing buddy, but you were the senior statesman on the boat. You will be missed.  
Mark Zuberek - Friend*

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**Mark Zuberek** - March 26, 2024 at 05:09 PM

GN

*After all these years through the grapevine, I was to hear that Charlie had unfortunately passed away.*

*We had worked together in the Nuclear Power industry for Stone & Webster, a well-known respectable company in Boston. Under a considerable amount of pressure in the office to meet deadlines, Charlie always came up to the plate meeting a schedule with a cheerful demeanor.*

*As I had originally come over from the U.K. any questions or knowledge from him was always initially addressed as "squire!" Not to be forgotten.*

*Geoffrey Neate, Cambridge, MA*

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**Geoffrey Neate** - March 28, 2024 at 02:25 PM

PP

*Charlie and I worked together for many years at Stone and Webster Engineering Corporation and through that relationship, we became good friends. Our friendship grew to include family and as a group, we shared many activities together. The get togethers were always a delightful experience. Distance has kept us apart over the years, but I'll always remember the good times we had together and what a fine person Charlie was. Please accept my sincere condolences.*

*Paul R. Pepi*

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**Paul R. Pepi** - March 28, 2024 at 02:42 PM