



James W. Shea

June 30, 1946 - February 18, 2024

TOWNSEND: James W. Shea, 77, formerly of Pepperell, Townsend & Groton, died Sunday, February 18, 2024 at Life Care Center of Littleton.

His wife of 52 years, Pamela J. (Rouvel) Shea died in February of 2023. Jim was born in Brighton, June 30, 1946, one of four boys born to Roland F. and Harriet (Egan) Shea and grew up in Brighton.

He was a 1964 graduate of Boston Latin High School and a 1968 graduate of Boston College. He continued his education at Boston State College where he received a Masters Degree in Education.

For over 30 years, Jim taught History at Burlington Elementary and High Schools, Burlington, retiring in 2004.

He leaves his son John and daughter in law Brendalyn Shea of Leominster; his daughter, Mary K. Shea of Nashua, NH; two brothers, Fred Shea of Merrimack, NH, Bernard Shea of Milford and two grandchildren, Malia Shea and Jade Shea.

He was predeceased by a brother, Roland Shea of Jewett City, CT. Jim had been active in the Townsend Little League programs and enjoyed golfing watching sports.

Jim's family will receive relatives and friends at a visitation period 10 AM – 11 AM Thursday, February 22, 2024 at the Anderson Funeral Home, 250 Main Street (Rte 119) Townsend Center. www.andersonfuneral.com

A service of prayer & reflection will take place at 11 AM. Spring interment will be in Groton Cemetery, Groton, Massachusetts

Cemetery Details

Groton Cemetery

Chicopee Row
Groton, MA 01450

Previous Events

Calling Hour

FEB 22. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

FEB 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Carol/John J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James W. Shea.

Carol/John J. - February 21, 2024 at 11:04 AM

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“ Sam & Elfin purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of James W. Shea.



Sam & Elfin - February 20, 2024 at 02:40 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of James W. Shea.



February 18, 2024 at 10:20 PM

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“ Constance N. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of James W. Shea.

Constance N. - February 18, 2024 at 05:01 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James W. Shea.*



February 18, 2024 at 02:22 PM