



Peter W. Roose

May 19, 1955 - July 29, 2022

Townsend- Peter W. Roose, 67, of Townsend, passed away on Friday, July 29, 2022, in his home surrounded by his loving family, after a long illness.

Peter was born on May 19, 1955, in Boston, MA, a son of the late Walter and Doris (Duffy) Roose and grew up in Pepperell before moving to Townsend. He was a graduate of North Middlesex Regional High School with the Class of 1974.

He was a talented and well known contractor in the area, owning his own business and retiring in 2017. He also built the beautiful family home he lived in up until his passing.

Peter enjoyed anything that would require him being outdoors. He would spend his free time golfing, going to the beach and working around his home and yard. He also loved sports, whether it was playing or watching them. When he was younger he played basketball and baseball, and in his later years, coached some of his son's teams. Peter loved the Boston teams, especially the Patriots and Red Sox.

He leaves his wife of 41 years, Jayne A. (Landry) Roose of Townsend; a son, Ben Roose and his wife Katelyn of Townsend; a daughter, Nicole Hotchkiss of Townsend; two grandchildren, Raiden Hotchkiss and Finn Russell Roose; a


brother, Paul Roose and his wife Norma of The Villages, FL; three sisters, Patricia Iannacci and her husband John of Kennebunkport, ME, Pamela Doyle of Fitchburg and Penny Dickhaut and her husband Bobby of Ashby; Mother in law, Joan Landry and several nephews and nieces.

The family would like to thank the staff of Always There Homecare and Nashoba Nursing Service and Hospice for their outstanding care and compassion during this time.

The T.J. Anderson & Son Funeral Home, 250 Main St., Townsend is assisting the family with the funeral arrangements which are private.

Tribute Wall

RD

“ So sorry to hear about your passing. Know you were more than our contractor. You were a friend. You helped us in so many ways. You were an inspiration and will be missed. I know you are looking down on us from heaven. Keep your head high. We love  you.
Love, Roxanne & Paul

Roxanne and Paul Doucette - October 13, 2022 at 01:14 PM

DL

“ We are very saddened by this news. Peter was a great neighbor to us for many years. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Roose family.
David and Mary Lane

David Lane - August 08, 2022 at 11:07 AM

BB

“Pete was a staple in my life when I was a young man. I knew of him before that from watching him play softball in a men's league with my father. At after game gatherings he would always treat me well, we became friends.

A few years later Pete took me under his wing and hired me to work with him as a carpenter in his construction business. Pete taught me everything I know about framing, skills that I was able to use in my life right up until today. From Pete I learned everything from laying out a studded to wall, roof rafters, installing windows and doors, roofing and siding. I probably wouldn't know anything about any of this now if it wasn't for him.

I have so many fond memories of Pete from the times we worked together and from times we had together after work. I remember one winter Pete encouraged me to sign up for a carpentry course with him at Wentworth Institute in Boston and I am so glad that I did that with him. On a couple of occasions we decided on the way in to head for the Garden because the Bruins were in town. That was back when you get get a ticket at the box office for about \$25 and end up in the second row.

As a teenager I really idolized him and then we became friends. I had so many good times with Pete that I will never forget. I think of him so fondly every time he comes to mind.

Bobby Briggs

Bobby Briggs - August 05, 2022 at 12:58 PM

PF

“My thoughts and Prayers are with the Roose family members.

Pam Farnsworth - August 04, 2022 at 09:07 AM

TS

“ Peter was an awesome guy and good friend thru High School and later on as a teammate in the Times Free Press Softball league....lots of fun times at the T-House....RIP Pete....way to young to be gone...condolences and prayers to all the Roose and Landry family members! Tom S. Class of '74!

TOMMIE SCHOFIELD - August 03, 2022 at 01:03 PM

LC

Rest in peace, Peter. We were childhood friends and neighbors. Peter was competitive- even in touch football games in their backyard ! My condolences to his entire family.

lisa collins - August 03, 2022 at 09:28 PM

JM

Peter was a force to be reckoned with on the court, as well as being a baseball teammate. My condolences to his extended family. Godspeed Friend.

Jimmy Morris - August 03, 2022 at 09:53 PM

AR

Oh, I'm sorry to read this news. Peter was in my class ('74) and was always a good guy. My sincere condolences to the entire the Roose family. May Peter Rest In Peace 🙏

Ann Shaughnessy Romano - August 03, 2022 at 11:09 PM

DM

Sorry to see this. I wish peace to the family in this sad time 💜

Douglas MacPhee - August 04, 2022 at 08:44 AM