



David Peterson

June 2, 1934 - July 26, 2014

David E. "Pete" Peterson

David E. "Pete" Peterson was born June 2, 1934, in Washington, D.C., to Denton S. Peterson and Mildred B. Peterson (both deceased).

Pete was a Navy veteran and a graduate of Columbia Technical Institute. He retired from Bell Atlantic as Manager, Special Services, Washington, D.C. after 36 years of service.

Pete had been an active member of St. Paul's Waccamaw United Methodist Church since moving to Pawleys Island, having served as past chair of the Church Council and of Staff-Parish Relations Committee, as well as having been a Chancel Choir member for 21 years. He served on the Executive Board of Directors of the Pawleys Island Festival of Music and Art and was awarded lifetime member status in 2007. He also served on the Executive Board of Directors of The Outreach Farm.

Pete was predeceased by his parents; his wife of 42 years, Carolyn "Lyn" Peterson; and his sister Constance P. Millian.

He is survived by his daughter, Elizabeth A. "Liz Anne" Peterson, of Woodinville, WA; his nephews John C. Millian (Paula), of McLean, VA and Mark A. Millian (Susanne), of Carlsbad, CA; two great-nieces and three great-nephews.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Heart Association or to St. Paul's Waccamaw United Methodist Church Music Fund.

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Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



Marsha
Archibald

“ I've never met him, but know of him through his daughter Liz. She's a remarkable woman and I believe we are a product of how we're raised. May you rest in peace Pete, and thank you for blessing us with Liz. A job well done sir.

Marsha

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“ Always a sunny smile and warm hug- that was Pete!
I met him while we were both in "Damn Yankees" with the Theatre of the Republic in Conway. He played the baseball coach and so I called him "Coach" whenever I ran into him around town. We also worked together on the Pawley's Island Festival of Music and Art. God bless all the family. May you find comfort in knowing that Pete was loved and appreciated for all his volunteerism in this community.
And by the way, if you need a copy of "Damn Yankees"- just contact me.
Pete and the boys singing "You've Got To Have Heart" is a classic.

Diane DeVaughn Stokes

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