



Stephen Michael Peterson

January 24, 1977 - February 19, 2025

Stephen Michael Peterson, 48, of Wheatfield, Indiana, passed away on Wednesday, February 19, 2025, in Rensselaer, Indiana.

Born on January 24, 1977, in Valparaiso, Indiana, Stephen was the beloved son of Michael and Ruth J. (Schoon) Peterson. He was a proud graduate of Kankakee Valley High School, Class of 1995. A dedicated farmer and pioneer seed salesman, Steve found joy in working the land and was an active member of the American Reformed Church. He also enjoyed bowling and occasionally played frisbee golf.

Steve will be deeply missed by his children, Lauren, Robert, and Alexis Peterson; his parents, Michael and Ruth Peterson; and his sister, Sharon Peterson.

Family and friends are invited to gather at Jackson Funeral Service in DeMotte on Tuesday, February 25, 2025, from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. A funeral service will follow at 12:00 p.m., officiated by Pastor Troy Nanninga.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Covenant Christian High School in Steve's honor.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **25**. 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Service of DeMotte
200 3rd Street, SW
P.O. Box 681
DeMotte, IN 46310
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Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Stephen Michael Peterson



Jackson Funeral Chapels - February 24, 2025 at 03:02 PM

HA

“ Holly A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephen Michael Peterson.

Holly A. - February 25, 2025 at 07:02 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Stephen Michael Peterson.



February 24, 2025 at 04:02 PM

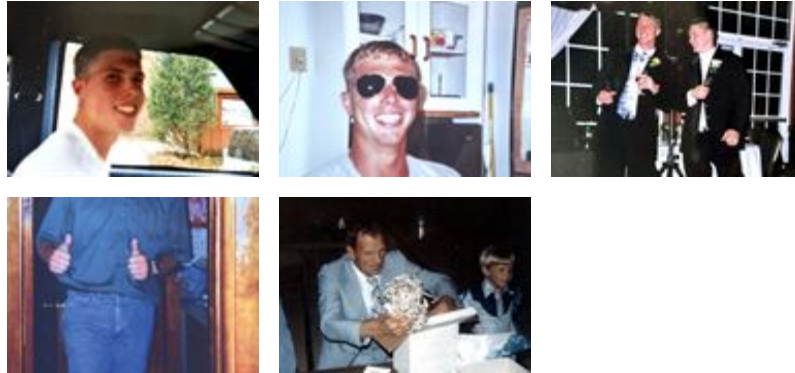


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February 24, 2025 at 04:02 PM



“ 11 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - February 24, 2025 at 03:02 PM

DP

“ *Dave and Pam planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephen Michael Peterson.*

Dave and Pam - February 24, 2025 at 01:58 PM

DP

“ *Dave and Pam purchased the *A Full Life* for the family of Stephen Michael Peterson.*



Dave and Pam - February 24, 2025 at 01:58 PM



“ 17 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - February 24, 2025 at 01:42 PM

BE

“ *Brent Ruby and Michael Emshwiller purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Stephen Michael Peterson.*



Brent Ruby and Michael Emshwiller - February 22, 2025 at 08:04 PM

BE

“ *Brent Ruby and Michael Emshwiller planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Stephen Michael Peterson.*

Brent Ruby and Michael Emshwiller - February 22, 2025 at 08:04 PM

YB

“ Your family at The Bridge purchased the Treasured Lilies Spray for the family of Stephen Michael Peterson.



Your family at The Bridge - February 22, 2025 at 05:35 PM

ZW

“ Steve was a great neighbor and great friend. My family will miss him.

Zach Woolever - February 21, 2025 at 02:02 PM

BH

“ When the kids were little and we had our family gatherings, it was fun to watch the kids play together. When they all grew older they still tried to spend time together. Working close with hid parents in the family business he continued to help and host gatherings. We didnt get home often but when we did spending time with family was always important. I loved our Thanksgivings together every year. We Love you and will miss you very much Love Aunt Bobbie & Andy



Bobbie Hixson - February 21, 2025 at 01:53 PM

PB

Sending warm thoughts and prayers to your family in behalf of Steve my he rest in peace with our Lord. Very sorry for the loss of your son. Very sad Pam Butler

Pamela S Butler - February 21, 2025 at 08:36 PM