



Norman S. Pawlak

December 10, 1937 - February 20, 2023

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Passed away peacefully on February 20, 2023, at age 85. Beloved husband of the late Mary Lou (LaMattina) Pawlak; devoted father of Susan (William) Meyer and Kenneth (Debra) Pawlak; loving grandfather of Sarah (fiancé Xavier Williams) Pawlak, Emily (Jerry) Baker, Rachel (fiancé Jesse Lalka) Pawlak, and Matthew Pawlak; and great-grandfather of Wyatt and Molly Baker. He was born in Dunkirk, NY, to the late Steve and Agnes (Kolassa) Pawlak. Norm was always a musician at heart and enjoyed bringing the gift of music to others. Services will be private.

Contributions may be made to Niagara Hospice at niagarahospice.org/donation.

Cemetery Details

White Chapel Memorial Park

Tribute Wall

GP

“ I had the honor and pleasure of calling Norm "Mr. P" and "Dad." He was a most lovely and gentle man and I would visit his home as a teenager. He was so generous and kind. He would happily give me rides in all kinds of weather, and had a wink and a smile at the border when I crossed the bridge at his station. He shared his love of music and let us play around with his instruments. I have little flashes of memories of him hosing the ice rink he lovingly made in the back yard. He was an amazing family man and teacher and I remember him at Kenmore East, checking in on me as a young student teacher.

His quiet, gentle kindnesses will always be remembered.

Rest well, Mr. P. You will be missed.

Gail Pearson - February 28, 2023 at 10:46 AM

BL

“ We were so very sorry to read of the loss of your father and grandfather, Norm. Norm and Mary Lou were high school classmates of mine. Norm played in the band at our wedding reception and Mary Lou was one of my bridesmaids. We were friends since high school. Jim and I enjoyed our annual luncheons with your parents for many years and they always gave us updates on their grandchildren's athletic talents in basketball and golf. We send our prayers and heartfelt condolences to your family.
Barbara & Jim Lehnen

Barbara Lehnen - February 26, 2023 at 10:13 PM

JH

“ I had the honor of working with Norm as an Immigration Inspector at the Rainbow Bridge I was a green rookie when I started in 1989 and Norm took me under his wing.I remember Norm as a very intelligent and personable man. I know all the officers respected him.He was a class act.I can still picture Norm working the primary line at the Rainbow Bridge on a cold winter evening with his big fur cap. My condolences to the entire family.RIP Norm.

Jim Haas - February 26, 2023 at 05:40 PM

FL

“ I worked with norm. He was always one of the nicest guys to be with.
Fred L.



fred l. - February 26, 2023 at 04:24 PM

MD

“ We are so sorry for your loss. All the kids parties and their is Norm taking endless videos of the precious moments he wanted to record and treasure. He taught us what it looks like to love his family well. We will be praying for you all. Love and prayers. Jack and Mary Daily

Mary Lynn Daily - February 26, 2023 at 01:00 PM

GM

“ How blessed we all were to know a man who will always be Mr. Pawlak to me. He was a loving example of what it means to be a family man. His legacy will live on for all those who loved him.

Greg Mead - February 22, 2023 at 11:12 PM