



## Peter L Thiele

May 7, 1949 - September 2, 2020

Peter L. Thiele

Of North Tonawanda, passed away unexpectedly on Wednesday September 2, 2020.

Born in North Tonawanda, May 7, 1949 he was the son of the late James and Lillian ( nee Dunkel) Thiele.

Loving father of Emily Gonas and her husband Josh Gonas, new grandfather of Gracelyn Rey Gonas.

Peter is survived by his older sister, Linda Harter, and many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

In addition to his parents Peter is predeceased by his brother James and his sister Penelope.

An animal lover and avid outdoors-man, he also enjoyed long walks with his dog, 5K races and spending time with those he loved.

Family and friends may call on Friday September 11, 2020 from 3 PM to 5 PM in the WATTENGEL FUNERAL HOME, 533 MEADOW DRIVE in North Tonawanda,

Where Services will follow at 5 PM. Private Burial will be in Acacia Park Cemetery.

# Cemetery Details

## Acacia Park Cemetery

4215 Tonawanda Creek Rd N.  
North Tonawanda, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 11. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)  
533 Meadow Drive  
North Tonawanda, NY 14120  
(716) 693-0440  
wattengelfh@gmail.com  
<https://www.wattengel.com>

## Funeral Service

SEP 11. 5:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

MR

“ *RIP Peter, I'm just finding out you passed.*

*-Mike*

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**Michael Roberts** - September 01, 2023 at 05:56 PM

 Felicity  
Garlock

“ *Rest peacefully Uncle Pete! You deserve it!!  
No doubt you will be missed by everyone who  
knew you. Say Hi to my mom. Love, Love,  
Love  
Felicity*



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**Felicity Garlock** - September 11, 2020 at 06:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for  
the family of Peter L Thiele.*



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September 09, 2020 at 08:34 AM

JU

“ *Pete may you rest in peace! May God comfort your daughter Emily  
and your family. Fly high buddy  
"Jules"*

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**Julie** - September 04, 2020 at 08:13 AM

LS

“ I know that Pete is with both Bear and Party Boy. They gave him so much joy. I will always remember Pete as a good guy who so loved his daughter Emily. My thoughts and prayers are with her.

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**Linda Sherer** - September 03, 2020 at 09:51 PM

WB

“ So sad to hear of Pete's passing! He was the best man at our wedding 50 years ago this November. Pete and my husband were best friends for many years. Our deepest sympathy to Emily and family and to Linda!

Wendy Binkley

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**wendy Binkley** - September 03, 2020 at 07:36 PM

RH

So sorry to hear that my childhood buddy has passed away. Peter's family were faithful worshipers at St. Matthew Lutheran Church. His dad gave me my first "real" job at Butcher Boy. Fond youthful memories of a wonderful guy.

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**Rick Hessel** - September 11, 2020 at 10:53 AM