



## Peter Pelesz

June 22, 1955 - February 11, 2023

Peter Pelesz, 67, of Livingston, NY, passed away peacefully on Saturday, February 11, 2023.

Born June 22, 1955 in Krakow, Poland, Peter was the son of Harry and Tekla Pelesz. Peter moved to the U.S. in 1963 with his family where they grew up in Hudson, NY.

Peter was a 1973 graduate of Hudson High School where he then went on to earn his associates degree in Political Science at Hudson Valley Community College. Peter was a devoted employee of MTA Metro North Railroad for over 30 years before retiring in 2014. Peter was also a lifetime member of H.W. Rogers Hose Company No. 2 as well as an active member and supporter of the Kalicoontie Rod & Gun Club. Peter took great pride in his work and was an incredibly devoted father, brother, uncle, cousin and friend to so many. A man of few words, but he could always find subtle ways to make people laugh. Loving, gentle, caring, loyal - he had a big heart and was defined by all as "one of the kindest people they had ever met."

Peter is survived by the love of his life of 44 years, Ann (Lezette), his daughter Stacy Vara (Mike) and his treasured granddaughter Rylie, his older brother John (Nancy) Pelesz, younger brother Dan (Jennifer) Pelesz, sisters-in-law Cherie Speer, Joan Lezette-Miller, Sandy Lezette and brother-in-law Robert Kehl as well as many neices, nephews, cousins and great friends.

He is predeceased by his dear son, Brett, his parents Harry and Tekla Pelesz, brother-in-law Rodney Lezette and sister-in-law Risë Kehl.

Calling hours will be Friday February 17th, from 4:00-6:00pm at Bates & Anderson-Redmond & Keeler Funeral Home. Funeral services will be Saturday, February 18th at 11:00am also at the funeral home, followed by interment at Cedar Park Cemetary. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Brett P. Pelesz Memorial Scholarship funds at Hudson High School or Cairo-Durham High School.



# Previous Events

## Visitation Hours

FEB **17**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Bates & Anderson - Redmond & Keeler  
110 Green Street  
Hudson, NY 12534  
(518) 828-3371  
<http://batesandersonredmondkeeler.com>

## Funeral Service

FEB **18**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

MG

“ I just received the sad news of Pete’s passing today. I worked with Pete at Metro North, he was one of my most favorite people great guy. My heart and prayers go out to his family

Mike Gallo - December 11, 2023 at 01:22 PM

HJ

“ Rest in peace Uncle Peter I will miss you smiling with your happy attitude from seeing you.



Hailey Jennings - February 23, 2023 at 02:23 PM

FS

“ SORRY ABOUT THE PASSING OF PETER I WORKED WITH HIM AT METRO NORTH HE WAS A GOOD PERSON

frank shaffer - February 16, 2023 at 02:47 PM

JG

“ Janet Gregory lit a candle in memory of Peter Pelesz



Janet Maresco Gregory - February 16, 2023 at 09:56 AM

KK

“ KATHY KEYSER lit a candle in memory of Peter Pelesz



KATHY KEYSER - February 15, 2023 at 02:04 PM

TL

“ You always made us smile and laugh and made sure you were there when family needed you. I will Always remember the relationship you and my dad had and the fun times you spent together. You will be missed for sure. Love you Uncle Pete.  
Timmy

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**Timothy Lezette** - February 15, 2023 at 08:52 AM