



## Shawn M. Snyder

April 16, 1961 - September 27, 2022

Shawn M Snyder, 61, of Claverack, passed away Tuesday September 27, 2022 at his residence. Born April 16, 1961 in Poughkeepsie, he is the son of Judith (Ryan) Snyder and M. Robert Snyder.

Shawn was an avid chef, pet lover, and golfer. He loved to cheer for the New York Mets and New York Rangers, and thoroughly loved cooking for his niece Addison and nephew Evan, “his toughest critics”.

Shawn was a beloved son, brother, brother-in-law , uncle, nephew, cousins, and friend who will be dearly missed. Shawn Honorably served in the United States Air Force from 1982-1986.

He is survived by his mother, Judith Ryan Snyder, three sisters, Karen M Snyder (Dana Moshier), Janet Yonkers (Matt), and Kristen Halla (James), one niece Addison, two nephews Evan and Cole, aunt and godmother Gail Grandinetti and several cousins. Shawn was pre deceased by his father M. Robert Snyder.

Graveside services will be Friday October 7, 2022 at 10:30am in Mellenville Union Cemetery.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

OCT 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mellenville Union Cemetery  
Mellenville, NY

# Tribute Wall

EU

“ Sorry to hear about Shawn's passing. I met Shawn in the summer of 1981 at the Beekman Country Club. He was fun to work with. We shared stories about music and cooking.

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**Eric Uhlich** - November 05, 2025 at 02:51 PM

BT

“ Shawn was a true treasure, he arrived to us here at Mason's Marketplace in our time of need. Shortly after his arrival he became more like family. I don't think any of us can watch a NY rangers, NY Mets or Oregon ducks game now without thinking of Shawn. I will always treasure the early morning tee times at Green Ridge golf course where we would plan the weekly menu. He taught us all a lot about the culinarily business and about life. It will be incredibly difficult not to pick up the phone for a quick call or text msg regarding a recipe or just to simply to say hello. Rest In Peace my friend! Until we meet again! I'll bring the beers and cigars.

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**Brett Turi** - October 05, 2022 at 06:20 PM

SS

“ Since I heard this terrible news, I have taken time to reflect on years of memories and photos to share which best represent the things Shawn loved. Through many grand adventures, Shawn taught me a greater appreciation of music, sports, the outdoors and all things culinary. I am thankful that our friendship endured through all of life’s ups and downs. I think he would want us all to live our best lives, sharing love and kindness while it is still today. I hope to honor his memory in this way. My heart goes out to the family for this huge loss. He is loved and will be greatly missed.

*“Let my guitar playing friend, do my request  
Let him sing me back home with a song I used to hear  
Make my old memories come alive  
Take me away and turn back the years”*



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**Shelley Senseney** - October 03, 2022 at 11:29 PM

MA

“ Shawn,  
*When we first met all those years ago it seemed like an interview for an important position. So we donned kilts and spoke until the wee hours. I must have done ok since down the road when I asked for your blessing you gave it. You then walked your sister down the aisle and entrusted her to me. For that I am eternally grateful. Thank you for the memories, cooking tips and Hendricks. Rest easy Brother.*

*Fairways and Greens,  
Matt*

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**Matt** - October 03, 2022 at 11:26 PM

JL

“ *Shawn was a kind, loving and generous soul.  
I loved the special relationship he had as a caring son and devoted brother. He cherished his family.  
His food was amazing! I especially loved his home fries- still the best I've ever had! He was born to be a professional chef and I'm glad he realized his dream.  
I will forever cherish our memories of Eagle Lake, hockey games, Dead shows and visiting Montana buttes.  
What a wonderful person who touched mine and so many other lives.  
Jennifer*

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**Jennifer Longobardi** - September 30, 2022 at 09:36 PM

BB

“ Dear Snyder family—some of my most treasured memories from Spackenkill were shared with Shawn, from a memorable class trip to NYC to the Metropolitan Museum to the junior prom, to going to his fun hockey games, and many more. He was such a wonderful friend. I was lucky enough to reconnect with Shawn before Covid and he truly was one of the most positive, kind, and beautiful souls I have ever met. My deepest condolences for your tremendous loss. With love, Barbara Berger



Barbara Berger - September 29, 2022 at 10:45 PM



“ Shawn’s love of family..friends..and golf...



Karen Snyder - September 29, 2022 at 08:09 PM

Jl

“ I met Shawn here in Oregon, about 30 years ago...I would see him about once a month and we would chat about things and anything! A lot of times about food!...You see, I was his hair stylist for those years he lived in Oregon and I looked forward to and enjoyed seeing him each month! He was a sweet man, with a big heart and so easy going. I was also honored to be included for his graduation party when he completed his culinary program!

Shawn, thank you for years of friendship and doing your gorgeous head of hair but mainly to have known you....you will truly be missed by so many people. ❤️

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jill - September 29, 2022 at 12:33 AM

JA

“ Shawn you will be truly missed. I love you my brother and hope you are at peace. Until we meet again, love you ❤️



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janet - September 28, 2022 at 10:49 PM