



## Peter Jude Rourke

November 25, 1960 - January 11, 2018

Albany-Peter J. Rourke, 57, of Colonie, entered into eternal life on January 11, 2018 peacefully in his home.

Peter was born in Albany on November 25, 1960 to the late Mary and Thomas Rourke. He was a graduate of University at Albany, SUNY.

Peter's Irish wit, humor and intelligence will be cherished in our hearts forever. He was a loyal family man whose pride and joy was his nieces and nephews and loved discussing literature, music and baseball.

He was predeceased by an infant brother, Thomas; in January 1943, and sister MaryBeth Rourke; in February 2000. He is survived by his brother Thomas (Jan) Rourke, Susan (Chris) Russo, Anne (Lee) Hilt, and his nephews and nieces; Christopher (Kim), Michael (Cheryl), Matthew (Kaylee), Liam, Moira, and Patrick, and great nephews and nieces; Danny, Jimmy, Caroline, Joseph and Cristal, and many loving cousins.

We would like to extend our deepest gratitude to Christ our Light Church and Blessed Sacrament for their prayers and kind messages that were sent, and to Sharon, Eric, Ron, Kathy, Tony, Nancy B., Dan and Cindy for their

unwavering friendship and kindness. We would also like to thank Dr. Hauser, Linda, and Colonie EMS for their care and compassion.

Relatives and friends are invited to visit with Peter's family Sunday, January 14, 2108 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm in McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 North Allen Street, Albany, NY.

Funeral services Monday, January 15, 2018 at 9:45 am in McVeigh Funeral Home, Albany thence to Blessed Sacrament Church, Albany, NY at 10:30 am where his Funeral Mass will be celebrated.

The Rite of Committal will be held in St. Agnes Cemetery, Menands immediately following the Mass.

To leave a special message for the family, light a candle, obtain directions or view other helpful services please visit [www.McveighFuneralHome.com](http://www.McveighFuneralHome.com)

Those wishing to remember Peter in a special way may send donations to the Christ Our Light Food pantry at 1 Maria Drive, Albany, NY 12211, or the Blessed Sacrament Food Pantry at 607 Central Ave. Albany, NY 12206, in the name of Peter J. Rourke.

# Cemetery Details

## St. Agnes Cemetery

48 Cemetery Ave  
Menands, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 14. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.  
208 N Allen St  
Albany, NY 12206  
(518) 489-0188  
info@mcveighfuneralhome.com  
<http://www.McveighFuneralHome.com>

## Service

JAN 15. 10:30 AM (ET)

Blessed Sacrament Church  
607 Central Ave (Father John Bradley Way)  
Albany, NY 12206  
(518) 489-0188  
info@mcveighfuneralhome.com

# Tribute Wall



“ *Peter Jude Rourke*

October 08, 2023 at 09:24 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Peter's Passing. All of Peter's family are in my thoughts and prayers..*

*Mary Ellen Tuffey Wojtusik*

**Mary Ellen Wojtusik** - January 16, 2018 at 05:19 PM



“ *TOM, JAN, & THE ENTIRE HILT FAMILY and REMAINING FAMILY,  
  
OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR  
BROTHER... MAY MEMORIES BRING YOU COMFORT IN THE  
DAYS AHEAD.*

**MARY ANN CHESKY** - January 16, 2018 at 01:11 PM



“ *I am so sad to hear about Peter. I always loved his perspective on things. He was one of a kind and always made me laugh.  
♡♡♡HUGS TO your family. You are in our prayers. Fred and kim bohn*

**Kim bohn** - January 14, 2018 at 12:44 PM

RC

“ Ann,  
Your brother, although I never met him, seemed to have your spark of creativity and artistic talent -a fun person to be around. I am sure his spirit will remain with you.  
I will keep you and your family in my thoughts and prayers. I am so very sorry for your loss.

Sincerely,  
Ruth Carr and familyl

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Ruth Carr - January 13, 2018 at 01:34 PM

KA

“ We are so very sorry to hear of Peter's passing. What a handsome picture of him. He always had such a wonderful sense of humor. He had so much inner strength through so many difficult times but is finally at peace. Our thoughts, prayers and hugs are with all of the family....love you all...Karen, Rick, Sarah & Brian



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Karen Van Alstyne - January 13, 2018 at 12:12 PM

NH

Sorry for Peters sudden passing.  
He will b missed by me and many .

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nancy hilt-bonesteel - January 13, 2018 at 12:54 PM

PM

“ *Dear Anne and Lee,*

*We were very sorry to hear of Peter's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. With deepest sympathy,*

*Peg and Tom Monahan*

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**Peg Monahan** - January 13, 2018 at 10:39 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Peter Jude Rourke.*



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January 12, 2018 at 01:04 PM