



Damian M. Petaccio

November 8, 1976 - May 22, 2018

Damian M. Petaccio, 41, of Royersford, died suddenly Tuesday, May 22, 2018 in Spring City. He was the husband of Andrea (Wanner) Petaccio. They would have been married 15 years in the fall.

Damian was born in Norristown, the youngest of three sons to James F. and H. Patricia (Nash) Petaccio. He was a 1995 graduate of St. Pius X High School, where he played soccer and tennis. He graduated Northampton Community College's Funeral Service Ed. Program in 1998 and embarked on a 20 year career for Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home Inc. of Phoenixville and Cattermole-Klotzbach Funeral Home of Royersford where he was the current supervisor.

In addition to being a dedicated professional to the families he served, he took great pride in his community service. He was faithful member of Sacred Heart Church, where among his duties were serving on Pastoral Council, Ushering and "The Scrounger" for the Parish Fair. He also coached CYO Soccer at Sacred Heart for 15 years.

He was also an active Rotarian with the Spring-Ford Rotary. He was a Past President and currently serving as Secretary. He also was the Event Coordinator for Rotary's Wine and Beer Festival, launched last September in Limerick. He also ran for several years a Helicopter Golf Tournament which benefitted Make A Wish.

In addition to his wife and parents are brothers: James F. Petaccio II and Bill Petaccio of Royersford; Nephew, Nicholas J. Petaccio and Niece, Marcella

Rita Kucera; two aunts: Janet Burns, wife of the late Joseph, of Royersford and Judy Petaccio of Trappe; and several cousins.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2018 at 11:00 am at Sacred Heart R.C. Church, Lewis Rd. and Walnut Street, Royersford, PA. Calling time will be from 8:00 till 10:45 am. Burial will be in Limerick Garden of Memories.

The family asks that in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Spring-Ford Rotary, PO Box 124, Royersford, PA 19468.

Cemetery Details

Limerick Garden of Memories

44 Arcadia Drive
Limerick, PA 19468

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 26. 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church
P.O. Box 64, 838 Walnut Street
Royersford, PA 19468

Mass

MAY 26. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Royersford, PA 19468

Tribute Wall

MW

“ A hug from the past...I met Damian, Andrea, Pam, Paul and daughter Marcela and lovely Rita during a cruise to northern Europe and Russia. My daughter Emma & I (Michelle) happened to be on the same land excursions as they were for many days and became friends and had a lovely time together. Damian and Paul would look out for Emma and I when we were out and about to make sure we were keeping up with the tour group...Damian was so sweet as he and Paul looked after Rita as well and I just happened to be interring my parents ashes today when I had a memory of the family so I did a search because for some reason I can remember people I've met over 8 years ago but can't remember what I had for dinner the previous night....and I remembered Damian worked in a funeral home and the family was from PA..and came upon this and my heart broke...sending love and hugs and thoughts from your Cruise Buddies Emma & Michelle and Andrea I'm so so very very sorry you had to say good bye to Damian so early...may your memories carry you forward... Michelle Waryjasz North Adams MA

Michelle Waryjasz - October 12, 2022 at 10:58 AM

CV

“ It's been a year since Damo's passing. There have been times throughout like tonight where I've felt his positive presence and I imagine the same for others too. I do hope everyone who had ever met Damian appreciated how special and unique he was. Moving forward we can all keep him with us in our own special ways. Sometimes life is tough. If you ever find yourself in a rough spot please call a friend for help. It's a start. Friends like Damian are tough to come by and we all need each other at times to navigate through our journey. .

Chris Valosky - May 26, 2019 at 11:56 PM

JP

Thanks Chris. You guys were a BIG part of his life. I still use his PING putter every round I play. It is a terrible golf club but I will never change it.

Jim Petaccio - July 12, 2019 at 10:17 PM

LW

“ Please accept my most sincere sympathy for the loss of Damian. I met Damian in 2015 when my mother-in-law and husband passed away with six weeks of each other. He made all the arrangements for her. Then when my husband Denny passed, I had him buried in Massachusetts. I mentioned to Damian that I wanted to move my mother-in-law some day. He said, "Why not now". He made all the arrangements. I only had to sign my approval. He also bought both of them to MA and took care of everything there as well. He was so kind, patient, and understanding. He made my difficult time a little easieir. I will always have a place in my memory for him.

Linda M White - May 31, 2018 at 01:07 PM

TS

“ Words cannot describe the meaning of Damian's loss to me and my family. I first met Damian when he joined Rotary. He was involved as Secretary for the last several years, never accepting pay for his work, which is the most responsible job in the club. He comforted my family and me with the loss of my Wife, Beth, who passed away last June 29. He will be greatly missed by all that knew him. My heart goes out to Andrea and the family, especially Lee Wanner.

Tom Smith - May 29, 2018 at 11:27 AM

SW

“ *Damian took it upon himself and prepared my Mom after she passed. He wasn't asked, and she was at another facility. His kindness is one of the best examples I have seen of how people are supposed to live in Christ's love.*

Sabrina Wilhelm - May 28, 2018 at 07:47 PM

DU

“ *Damian lived only a "stones throw" from my home. If I was in the yard working I would get a Toot Toot as he drove by. Damian had a classic car. If I was in the yard he'd pull up to the curb and proudly show it off and then be on his way. My wife Barbara had a stroke. Until she got acclimated to doing new procedures I needed to be at the ready to do anything necessary. My yard work got a lick and a promise for a while. On two occasions my yard got mowed. The first time I did not know who mowed it because I had taken Barb to an appointment. The second time I caught Damian doing a most impressive neighborly gesture. I was most grateful to him for his consideration. This is the type of person Damian was.....always on the go doing good for others. Damian would have been an excellent Mayor of the Borough of Royersford. I attempted to convince him to succeed me when it became necessary for me to step down so as to assist Barb. Almost but not persuaded. So it is I have fond memories of Damian. I trust the family will be supported by their memories of his good deeds on behalf of others.*

Dave & Barbara Urner

Dave Urner - May 27, 2018 at 11:29 PM

NS

“ *Damian leaves a legacy of empathy, kindness, charity & inclusiveness. Sending many prayers & much love, Nicole DiRado Snyder & family*



Nicole D. Snyder - May 27, 2018 at 04:33 PM

CG

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Damian's passing. Sending love and light to Damian's family.*

Christine Giancatarino - May 26, 2018 at 10:14 PM

SW

“ *Damian recently assisted with my Mother's memorial. He was such a friendly, honest & personable guy. He helped my family through a very rough time. So sorry to hear of his passing. My condolences to the family.*

Stephen White - May 26, 2018 at 06:45 PM

NW

“ *My heartfelt condolences at this very difficult time.*



Noel Christine Boeshore Willette - May 26, 2018 at 05:51 PM

JO

“ We are all so deeply saddened to learn of Damian's passing. He was always so wonderful to our family & such a good man. Our condolences to his wife, parents, family & friends as well as all of those at the Klotzbach funeral home. He will be missed by all. The Ott & Natale Family

Jennifer Ott - May 26, 2018 at 03:40 PM

DC

“ I was deeply, deeply saddened to hear of Damian's passing. It was always a pleasure working with him, making funeral arrangements between the churches, and with Rotary. I was doubly appreciative when he handled my father and step father-in-laws services. My condolences to his family and friends. He will truly be missed! Rest in peace my friend.

Darlene Canning - May 26, 2018 at 11:54 AM

GC

“ Damian was just a little boy when we lived next door to his family. He was so sweet and his family was such good neighbors. My heart hurts for the loss of him. Love to the family. Ginny Connor

Ginny Connor - May 26, 2018 at 11:22 AM

CB

“ Jim and Pat, I am so truly sorry to hear of Damians passing. He was a good guy and very personable. He will be missed. Blessings to all of the family.

Caroline Bloomquist

Caroline Bloomquist - May 26, 2018 at 09:30 AM

LG

“ *Lisa Grill lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio*



Lisa Grill - May 26, 2018 at 08:23 AM

LE

“ *Our sincere condolences to Damian's family. He was so supportive and kind to me as I dealt with the passing of my father and later, my mother. I will be forever grateful for his kindness. He always brought a smile upon seeing him at Sacred Heart. He will be greatly missed!*

*With deepest sympathy,
Linda, Dave, Sarah and Greg Everett*

Linda Everett - May 26, 2018 at 08:13 AM

MV

My sincere condolences to Damian's family. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this most difficult time. I got to know Damien when I lived in Phoenixville and worked at the hospital on the switchboard. Nice memories of a very nice young man. I am now in North Dakota.

Marie Vargo - May 26, 2018 at 08:48 AM

PG

“ *Pete And Mary Gangl lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio*



Pete and Mary Gangl - May 26, 2018 at 07:29 AM

JP

“ Thanks to all who took the time to express your feelings and experiences regarding Damian, our son. We are so proud to have been his parents for 41 years. Please excuse the quotes from Tevye (Fiddler On The Roof) but he is my go-to guy during troubled times. "May the good Lord protect and defend him" We knew about MOST of the good things he did. "It doesn't change a thing, but after all these years it's nice to know."
Pat and "The Poppa" Petaccio

Jim Petaccio - May 26, 2018 at 06:57 AM

CH

“ To Jim & Pat, My sincerest Condolences at this time. I was very taken back hearing of Damians passing. A lot of good times years ago at Genuardi's. An old Friend.
Bill Hine



Clinton (Bill) Hine - May 26, 2018 at 06:20 AM

JS

“ Sending my deepest condolences and heartfelt sympathy to the Petaccio family and all of Damian's loved ones. Praying you find some comfort in knowing all of the lives he touched during his time on this Earth. May peace be with you and with Damian.

Jessica Hitchcock Swain - May 26, 2018 at 12:14 AM

KO

“ Our hearts are numb. We are shocked and saddened by the sudden loss of Damian. He was always the sweet, caring, funny guy who could bring a smile to anyone's face. His smile was infectious and he was filled with such charisma. He will always be remembered by the Omilaks for jumping in the pool at Sunnybrook after high school graduation. We will miss him dearly. Driving around town will be very different from now on. Royersford lost a treasure. Our thoughts, prayers and deepest condolences are being sent to all his family and friends during this very difficult time. Rest in peace Damian, you will never be forgotten.

-The Omilaks

Jack, Patty, Kelly and Katie

Kelly Omilak - May 25, 2018 at 11:03 PM

JB

“ Jeff Batzel lit a candle in memory of Damian
M. Petaccio



jeff batzel - May 25, 2018 at 10:32 PM

JB

“ I've known Damian since First grade at Sacred Heart. My brother Brian and Bill are best friends. We went to St Pius X, many family functions, trips, movie night etc. We are deeply sad and and still completely shocked at the losing Damian. He was always funny, caring, helpful, friendly, everybody loved him. Our prayers and thoughts go out to his family friends and anyone who knew Damian. The town has lost a great friend.

jeff batzel - May 25, 2018 at 10:27 PM

RC

“ Our prayers go with Damian and his family. Damian was a great supporter to our family. An angel among us.
Raul and family

Raul Calvo - May 25, 2018 at 09:50 PM

BF

“ This is a shock that I still can't get over. Damian and my wife, Nella, used to kid each other in the Sacred Heart café where she worked. My wife passed away Feb 2016. Damian was unbelievable in the kindness and caring he showed to me and my family in the whole funeral process. I have known many funeral directors in my 47 years as a lawyer. Damian was heads and shoulders above anyone I have ever dealt with. Last Sunday, I attended Father DiMaria's Jubilee Celebration. At the reception, I was in the bathroom when Damian came in. I reminded Damian of my wife's kidding with him at Sacred Heart where she used to look at Damian and yell, "Don't you look at me," as though his looking at her (as a funeral director) was ominous. Damian and I laughed at these memories. To hear a few days later that he passed away suddenly, it is just unbelievable. My sincerest condolences and sympathy to his wife, siblings and parents. All our hearts are broken because of this loss. He brought sunshine and happiness to all of us.
Bob Felice and Mirella

Bob Felice - May 25, 2018 at 08:27 PM

SH

“ Damian,

You were a guide, a rock, and a light that helped my family through a dark time... I hope that your family can find their guide to help them through this. And I pray that you have found peace old friend...

"It's so much darker when a light goes out than it would have been if it had never shown"

-- John Steinbeck

Sean Henry - May 25, 2018 at 08:21 PM

KR

“ We were shocked to learn of Damian's passing. Our hearts, thoughts and prayers go out to Andrea, Pat, Jim, Bill and the rest of his family. Damian had a smile and a kind word for everyone and a personality that just made you glad to see him. He will be missed.



Kellie Rohrer - May 25, 2018 at 07:47 PM

MG

“ My heart goes out to the Petaccio family. May Damian be at peace. I am keeping you all in my prayers.

Michele Giancattarino Gilfillan - May 25, 2018 at 06:08 PM

SR

My condolences and prayers go out to the Pataccio Family. Damian left behind so many good memories for so many people. I will always remember him at Sacred Heart Parish Fair, especially riding through the fair grounds on his motorcycle with Sister Marganne. He will remain in the hearts of the Sacred Heart Parishioners forever.

Sharon Rossetti - May 25, 2018 at 10:29 PM

LA

“ *Sending thoughts and prayers from the Cass and Erickson Families*




Lauren - May 25, 2018 at 05:51 PM

BE

“ *The Rotary Club of Central Perkiomen would like to express our sincere condolences to the family and friends of Damian. Our hearts and prayers are with you.*



Bonnie Eckenrode - May 25, 2018 at 04:58 PM

 Alli
Bradley

“ *Damian was a helping hand in my grandmother's service 11 years ago, and in my brother's service 2 years ago he was my family's source of stability in such a trialing and horrific time. He made everything as easy as possible and was a genuine spirit. My love and prayers are with his family at this time. He made the world a better place.*

Alli Bradley - May 25, 2018 at 04:30 PM

MC

“ *I am saddened to hear about Damian's sudden passing. The employees at Genuardi's Supermarket had a lot of fun memories with Damian. He was a great Guy. My thoughts and Prayers are with the family.*
Mary Beth Carr

mary beth carr - May 25, 2018 at 04:07 PM

AL

“ Allison lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio



Allison - May 25, 2018 at 03:54 PM

SP

“ Staff at Philadelphia Memorial Park purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Damian M. Petaccio .



Staff at Philadelphia Memorial Park - May 25, 2018 at 12:47 PM

AG

“ Aunt Teresa and Uncle Gean purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Damian M. Petaccio .



Aunt Teresa and Uncle Gean - May 25, 2018 at 10:34 AM

TS

“ We were saddened and shocked upon learning of Damian's passing. Our hearts and prayers go out to Andrea, Pat & Bill and the entire Petaccio family. Damian was truly a pillar in the community. May he rest in peace.

Terry and Thad Shirey

Terry Shirey - May 25, 2018 at 10:14 AM

JE

“ *Damian was one of those extraordinary people who truly changed the world for the better as he passed through it. He loved those pool parties shared with Andrea, our son and his friends (so he said ... we weren't there!) and was a staunch supporter (with family and friends) of every Election Day dinner at our Methodist church. May God be with all those he left behind as he rests in peace.*
Keith and Joyce Edleman

Joyce Edleman - May 25, 2018 at 09:31 AM

 Gina Pede

“ *Gina Pede lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio*



Gina Pede - May 24, 2018 at 09:20 PM

JV

“ *Our family wishes to extend our deepest sympathy to Andrea and the entire Petaccio and Wanner families. We will forever miss Damian's energetic and infectious smile.*



There are many fond memories of Damian over the years but one of our fondest is when Damian would join us on our family vacations in Myrtle Beach. His personality would light up the entire resort. Thanksgiving weekend will not be the same without his Friday night visit with Andrea.

May God give you strength through this most difficult time.

God has brought a true angel home.

John & Mary Ann Valosky

John & Mary Ann Valosky - May 24, 2018 at 07:44 PM

BJ

“ It was three years ago that my mom died and Damian did a great job with all of the arrangements. We spoke many times and he even came out to our family's farm to make a drone video that looked professionally done. I can still see him now putting the finishing touches on my mom's makeup before she was buried with the rest of the family in Fernwood. A very nice guy who was doing a job that takes its toll emotionally. God bless.

Bradford Joyce

Bradford Joyce - May 24, 2018 at 06:25 PM

MM

*Joyful spirit
Always a nice experience when with him. He had a way to make you smile.*

May God surround his family.

Heartfelt sadness

Meda Maron

meda maron - May 25, 2018 at 08:28 AM



“ 2 files added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE



Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - May 24, 2018 at 04:32 PM

KP

“ Kim P. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Damian M. Petaccio .



Kim P. - May 24, 2018 at 04:15 PM

JJ

“ We are given many gifts as we go through life. Some we are allowed to enjoy for a long time, others only briefly. But each gift had the power to change us, enrich us, to make us better people. Today a candle is lit, a life is celebrated. Forever a soul is remembered. Jan Christman Jackowski



Jan jackowski - May 24, 2018 at 04:09 PM

TF

“ The Burns Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Damian M. Petaccio .



The Burns Family - May 24, 2018 at 03:00 PM

BW

“ I do hope your family receives the care and respect in this difficult time that Damian gave mine 2 years ago when we lost a loved one. He will always stand out in our minds for his attention, kindness and professionalism. God Bless. Bob Watson and family.

Bob Watson - May 24, 2018 at 02:36 PM

SM

“ I guess one of the most outstanding things that I remember was the first summer I was at Sacred Heart. All of a sudden, coming off of the 2nd floor elevator was Damian - aboard his motor bike. I quickly hopped on with him and we rode all over the Sacred Heart parking lot. This became a yearly thing at our parish Fair - riding in the midst of the Fair crowd. Damian had a wonderful adventurous spirit which was contagious. Oh, how I am going to miss his effervescent personality that literally would light up a room when he walked in. God bless you, dear Damian - and thanks for so many wonderful memories.

Sister Marganne

Sister Marganne - May 24, 2018 at 02:29 PM

JP

Sister. Thank you very much for reaching out. I understand how this terrible tragedy makes you feel and how difficult it is to try to help people in so much pain. It is appreciated by all of us. Thank you. God help us. We miss you very much at SHC. Jim & Pat

Jim Petaccio - May 24, 2018 at 10:14 PM

TF

“ The Carroll families & Roddy family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Damian M. Petaccio .



The Carroll families & Roddy family - May 24, 2018 at 02:23 PM


Michelle
Sipe

“ *Michelle Sipe lit a candle in memory of
Damian M. Petaccio*



Michelle Sipe - May 24, 2018 at 02:17 PM

AD

“ *Gone way too soon. I will always remember Damian's sense of
humor while hanging out in Fr. Morabito's office at Pius.*

Angel Gaval Diffendal - May 24, 2018 at 02:01 PM

MS

“ *Miss Shoemaker lit a candle in memory of
Damian M. Petaccio*



Miss Shoemaker - May 24, 2018 at 01:54 PM

FP

“ *He was one of my favorite gentleman from the Sacred Heart Parish
Fair and will be immensely missed! His laugh and support for the
fair crew was undeniably strong! Prayers for his family during this
sad time! God Bless! Tons of Fun shows is deeply sadden* 🙏😭

francine pfeffer - May 24, 2018 at 01:44 PM

JH

“ I have known damian since my mother started handleing there certs and in that time i can say i have never met someone who cared about people more and i alway admired the way compaction he showed people in there worst times he will be missed



John huber - May 24, 2018 at 01:33 PM

TA

“ The Amole's lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio



The Amole's - May 24, 2018 at 01:30 PM

JT

“ Jake Talley lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio



Jake Talley - May 24, 2018 at 01:00 PM

JA

“ So very sad. Damian and was wonderful man - so warm and genuine. Deepest regrets. A true loss for his family and community.

Jamie Jacobs

Jamie - May 24, 2018 at 12:41 PM

MM

“ *Damian was one of the warmest and most genuine person you will ever meet. He had his parents heart and his Dad's smile. Our prayers are with you, may God help to heal your hearts.*

*With Love,
Michelle Mitchell & Chris Maris*

Michelle L Mitchell - May 24, 2018 at 11:57 AM

SJ

Lit a candle. Said a prayer for all of his loved ones. May he Rest In Peace! He'll be missed by many❤️

stacey Janney - May 24, 2018 at 02:24 PM

MB

“ *Remembering Damian fondly from our days at Pius. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. Time does not change the love and missing we have for our "out-of-site sons". They are never out of mind and heart.*

Andrea, our hearts go out to you. We sincerely hope that you and your family are continuously strengthened and comforted by our Lord. Our condolences to everyone in the days ahead. Hugs and Prayers.

Mary and Ken Bartlett

Mary Bartlett - May 24, 2018 at 11:49 AM

TF

“ *The Webb Family lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio*



The Webb Family - May 24, 2018 at 11:26 AM

MF

“ *My deepest heartfelt sympathy for your loss!
Damian was truly one of a kind and I along
with my family will never forget his kindness!!
Rest In Peace! 💖*



margie fedorka - May 24, 2018 at 11:04 AM

MC

“ *Rest in peace Damian
The Colegrove/Ruley families*



Margaret Colegrove - May 24, 2018 at 10:46 AM

SU

“ *Damian, such a sweet sweet guy. He did mom's funeral, helped us
through it, made it all flow so beautifully. I'll never forget him. He
was a one in a million guy. All my love and prayers to Jimmy, Pat
and family.*

Suzanne

Suzanne - May 24, 2018 at 10:16 AM

 Eric
Roy

“ *My condolences to the Petaccio family Damian was a good man. He
will be missed dearly!*

Eric Roy - May 24, 2018 at 08:57 AM



Leanne
Casner
Bath

“ *My dad passed away in 2011. The morning after he died I was tasked with calling funeral homes for his service. I was 26 years old. I went through 5 homes before I reached Cattermole-Klotzbach, and Damian was the one who picked up the phone.*

Out of 5 homes, he was the first who didn't talk to me about numbers, like my dad was a product. Instead, he spent a few minutes asking me about my dad and myself, and offering condolences. He gave us a very nice ceremony and called us every night to make sure we were okay. He got me through the most difficult couple of days of my life.

I just want to say thank you for that.

Leanne Casner Bath - May 24, 2018 at 08:54 AM

MN

“ *You will be sadly missed. You and your wife and family will be in my daily prayers.*

Mary Nash - May 24, 2018 at 08:16 AM

CS

“ *My heart is broken for his wife and family, a life gone too soon. A lot of memories will be kept from the Genuardi days in customer service. Rest in Peace.*

Charity Lehman Seip - May 24, 2018 at 08:05 AM

ML

“ To Damian's wife, parents, family, the Klotzbach family, and his friends, I cannot even begin to express my shock over reading that Damian has passed. God surely needed a strong helper if he called on Damian so soon. Damian was there for me every step of the way when I suddenly and sadly had to make arrangements for my mom when she passed. Damian couldn't have been any more kind and understanding through the whole process. He took the time to call me and guide me through difficult decisions. He was my rock through it all. I had a surprise call from Damian this past December to check on something and he was pleasant and kind as always and chatted for a little while. I am glad I had that last talk with him. He is truly one of God's newest Warriors! May his soul rest in peace and may his family and friends find comfort in all the goodness he shared with them.



Michelle M. Gappa Lampkin - May 24, 2018 at 08:00 AM

MC

“ I am so shocked and saddened by Damian's passing - he was such a lovely person, and did so much for people at their most difficult moments. I often heard from him about doing music for something, and have known him for many years. My prayers go out to his family, colleagues and friends. God bless



Mib Campbell - May 24, 2018 at 07:48 AM

SH

So shocked to hear this. He was always there during my daughter (Kathy) funeral. I always thought the world of him. R.I.P.

Sherman Hess - May 24, 2018 at 09:43 AM

KH

My Deepest Sympathy to Damian's wife and family. He was a awesome person I have gotten to know. He was the most since year since undertaker that I ever dealt with. My family has always used Cattermole-Klotzbach . My family felt like he was the best. We are all saddened by this news. God Be With Damian 🙏🙏

Kaye Hetrick - May 24, 2018 at 09:47 AM

ML

My deepest heartfelt sympathy to Damian's family in this tragic loss. He was such a great guy that my family and I were fortunate enough to know, as he assisted us in planning mom's, dad's and my sister's funerals. We will never forget his kindness, his smile and how unbelievably caring he was. Whenever I'd see him out in public, he'd always say hello with that smile and sense of humor - and ask how we were doing. What a terrible loss to his family and the community. He was the absolute best. God bless him.

Marcia Lucas

Marcia Lucas - May 24, 2018 at 12:11 PM

BW

Our Deepest Condolences to Damian's Family, Please accept Our Sincere Sympathy for your loss. So very sorry to hear of his death. Sincerely Larry & Berkey Williams & Family

Berkey Williams - May 24, 2018 at 04:59 PM

 Angel
McCoy

“ *My deepest condolences.*



Angel McCoy - May 24, 2018 at 07:37 AM

AM

“ Rose, Sue and Amy Clark send their deepest sympathy. You will all be in our thoughts and prayers.



Amy Marotta - May 24, 2018 at 06:55 AM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Damian M. Petaccio .



May 24, 2018 at 06:48 AM

JD

“ Joe, Diane, Nicole and Christopher DiRado send their condolences, thoughts and prayers to the entire Petaccio family.

Joe DiRado - May 24, 2018 at 06:43 AM

BM

“ Damian took care of my mother in laws funeral. When we were all seated quietly my grandson said “what a nice Treasure Chest they put Grammy in.” Damian said he had a hard time referring to a “casket” rather to say “treasure chest.” From that day on. A truly wonderful young man will be missed by so many.

Butsy McElroy - May 24, 2018 at 06:05 AM

JC

“ *John And Diana Cehula lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio*



John and Diana Cehula - May 24, 2018 at 05:39 AM

LS

“ *Loretta Smith lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio*



Loretta Smith - May 24, 2018 at 02:09 AM

KE

“ *Kevin lit a candle in memory of Damian M. Petaccio*



Kevin - May 24, 2018 at 01:36 AM

AU

“ *We are truly sorry to hear of the loss of Damian. Please accept our condolences and may our prayers help comfort you and hasten the journey of his soul to Heaven. It was an honor to have known such a great person*

Aura and Dan Dordea

Aura - May 23, 2018 at 11:14 PM

FM

“ Prayers and blessings offered for Damian and his whole family during this difficult time.

--Father Michael Mullins

Father Michael Mullins - May 23, 2018 at 11:11 PM

VS

“ Damian guided me through arranging my husband's viewing and funeral. His kindness & expertise got me through this most difficult of times. I am so sorry that he left us so early in life. My sincere condolences to his family.

(Mrs.) Victoria Seidenberger

Victoria Seidenberger - May 23, 2018 at 11:03 PM

JD

“ I am deeply saddened by Daniam's passing. I only knew him for a short time and was working with him on the Wine and Beer Festival. He always had a way about him that made me smile, even when we communicated in email. I will truly miss him and wish to express my condolenses to him family, friends and business associates. He was a very genuine man. My prayers are will you all.

Joann Eleanor DeFrancisco - May 23, 2018 at 11:01 PM

FL

“ Damian was a true professional and a fine man. It was a privilege to have worked with him and to have known him. May he rest in God's peace.

Rev. Frank L. Lamson, Pastor Emeritus, Brownback's United Church of Christ

Frank Lamson - May 23, 2018 at 10:37 PM

JF

“ *When my brother died, I was the rock for my family- Damian, this stranger until my brother died, was my rock during that time. He had a gift. Rest In Peace.*

Julie Farrell - May 23, 2018 at 10:08 PM

BB

“ *Damian, I've been stunned all day. You were one cool dude and left lasting impressions on many. God bless your family.*

Bonnie Bloomquist - May 23, 2018 at 10:01 PM

TF

“ *Our deepest sympathies to the family and friends of Damian. Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time.*

The Cattermole Family - May 23, 2018 at 09:59 PM



Cynthia
Krommes

“ *As a Pastor I have officiated at hundreds of funerals. Whenever Damian was serving as the director from Campbell, Ennis and Klotzbach at one of those funerals, it was done with compassion, careful attention to details and grace. I was always thankful for his commitment to his work and those he served. I also deeply appreciated his sense of humor and his love of his family and community. You are all in my prayers in this time of grief and sadness.*

Cynthia Krommes - May 23, 2018 at 09:56 PM

JJ

“ Judy, Michael, and Joy purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Damian M. Petaccio .



Judy, Michael, and Joy - May 23, 2018 at 09:49 PM

MO

“ On May 22, 2000, I was told the baby I was carrying didn't have a heartbeat. From that moment on, the doctor only referred to my child as, “the products of conception”. Damian met with me that day to make arrangements for my baby. That night I miscarried at the hospital and Damian came to receive my baby. He also made sure to inform the nursing supervisor who also used the term, “products of conception” that it was unacceptable to refer to someone's child that way. I have never forgotten that. He also gave me a rose to place on her casket and he whispered to me, that the rose would be with her forever. I often wanted to tell him how much his kindness and compassion meant to me and how much it helped me heal after my loss. God bless you Damian and may God comfort your family.

Monica - May 23, 2018 at 09:42 PM

BB

“ Deepest sympathies to Damian's family and friends. With great care and grace he helped so many through the most difficult of times. His unique gifts for comforting the grieving and serving his community are irreplaceable and will be sorely missed.

Barbara Brungess - May 23, 2018 at 09:24 PM

RL

“ Your family is in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Rosemarie Long - May 23, 2018 at 09:20 PM

EC

“ It was two short months ago when I ran into Damian at the funeral home as we were planning services for my mom. Damian greeted me with a hug, gave me his cell and said whatever we needed as a family, reassuring us we were in good hands. It’s like 20 years didn’t really pass us by since high school when he greeted me. Damian thank you for the time you gave us while on this Earth. Your kindhearted spirit will remain with us. Sending love to your family during this incredibly surreal and difficult time. RIP buddy.

Erin Connolly - May 23, 2018 at 09:18 PM

SC

“ Damian was a true gentlemen in every way. He helped our family with the passing of our Mother & 2 brothers. He always had away to make you feel important. He was there to guide you through the arrangements, knowing how to handle a sad family situation. He will be missed by many. He touched everyone that he came in contact with, whether it be at the funeral home, out in the town, in church or any where. May you find peace where you have gone. Prayers for his wife & his family. RIP Damian.

Sandy Buckwalter Cooper

Sandy Buckwalter Cooper - May 23, 2018 at 09:14 PM

TG

“ Damian and I knew each other from working at Genuardi’s during our teen years. He was such a fun and friendly guy who always stopped to say hi and never forgot a face. He will be missed by many and was clearly loved by all.

Tricia (Duncan) Gill

tricia gill - May 23, 2018 at 08:58 PM

TT

“ In so many ways, Damian was the "de facto" mayor of Royersford for many years, Between the Sacred Heart Fair, Rotary, Chamber, and a litany of community events, he had his hands and his pulse on the community and was a vibrant part of it. It is like a beacon in Royersford was quickly and suddenly shut off. You were one of the reasons why Royersford is a great place to live.

My prayers to the Petaccio family, to Andrea, and the Wannars.

D, you will be missed by so many....more than you know. This is so sad, so sudden, so tragic.

Tom Thunstrom - May 23, 2018 at 08:14 PM

CS

“ Words seem insufficient to express the devastation that this news has brought to me. A true measure of ones character is the degree to which they put others before themselves. This was evident by Damian’s tireless commitment to friends family and the community. When my Mom lost her brief battle with ovarian cancer, and my family was mired in grief, I told my brother and sister “don’t worry. I have a friend that can help us”. That’s exactly who he was and what he did. My family remarked about his kind, compassionate and professional demeanor. He was truly blessed with those gifts and it was easy for all to see. I am eternally grateful for everything that he has done for my family. My deepest condolences go out to Andrea, the Petaccio family and the vast network of friends and associates that he has left behind. I am thankful to have known him. I will truly miss him.

Chuck Sullivan

Chuck Sullivan - May 23, 2018 at 07:59 PM

KT

“ To Jim, and Pat, Andrea and family members, Alfred and I send our heartfelt sympathies to your family during this time. I have know Damien since the Sacred Heart days and since, when bringing flowers the funeral home, when he was on call, would greet me and then we would start talking where we left off the last time. He thought it was cool I could "text", but that was his humor. He was so well known and helpful to many families thru the years as they grieved. This is a sad day for all of us. May God hold him in the palm of his hands. Rest in peace my friend. Kathleen and Alfred Tarlecki and family.

Kathleen Tarlecki - May 23, 2018 at 07:47 PM

BM

“ Damien was my neighbor, until i moved a year or so ago, he was a great neighbor, even if he sprayed chemicals on my yard lol. Always kind, fun and respectful, he helped myself and two daughters with the burial of my husband, their dad. He had a comforting way. His sense of humor was crazy and i will miss him.

Barbara Mitchell - May 23, 2018 at 07:43 PM

 Dawn Rhodenbaugh

“ I am so sorry to all of is family. I have known him since he was a toddler. I can't express to all he was a great man and will be missed. If anything please ask!



Dawn Rhodenbaugh - May 23, 2018 at 07:36 PM

DK

“ My sympathy and prayers go out to Andrea, along with with Damian’s family, coworkers, friends and all who loved him. I had a work association with Damian for several years, and will always remember him for being a caring, compassionate and charitable man. He will greatly be missed, but never forgotten. Deacon David M. Kubczak, St. Teresa of Calcutta

David M. Kubczak - May 23, 2018 at 07:01 PM

DJ

“ Damian got us through a very difficult time with great ease when our mother passed away. He was a gentle soul. May he rest in peace. Our prayers are with his family.

Debby Yoder Jones - May 23, 2018 at 06:55 PM

KD

“ Damian was such a great person all around. He always was there to support our band and our friendship through all these years. I will miss his humor and unique caring personality. Rest In Peace my friend.

Kyle Dossick - May 23, 2018 at 06:48 PM

MB

“ As a student at St. Pius, Damian brought a kind and engaging manner wherever he went. He was one of those students you could count on to be a cooperative and supportive participant. I ran into him years later at the Limerick diner and his friendly and kind manner had only seasoned with time. Heartfelt sympathy to his whole family.
Michele Boyd

Michele Boyd - May 23, 2018 at 06:45 PM

BC

“ I love you my friend and will miss you forever. This is a huge loss for so many, still can't wrap my head around this. Thanks for being such a huge part of the family. You were simply family to everyone. Rest In Peace, till we meet again. ❤️

Barbara Cerini - May 23, 2018 at 06:30 PM

GW

“ I had the pleasure of working with him planning funeral services at our church. What a wonderful caring man ! Rest in peace. Prayers to your family. You will be missed

Ginny Wade - May 23, 2018 at 06:22 PM

MO

“ Matt, Missy, Serena, and Olivia purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Damian M. Petaccio .



Matt, Missy, Serena, and Olivia - May 23, 2018 at 06:03 PM



“ Bill and I are saddened by this news. Damian was so caring and helpful during our times of loss of family members. His compassion and understanding went over and above what was expected. He will be truly missed by everyone in our community. Prayers to Andrea and his family during this time. Mary Ann and Bill Herbsleb

MaryAnn Herbsleb - May 23, 2018 at 06:03 PM

CZ

“ I was so shocked when I learned of Damian's passing, it doesn't seem possible at such a young age. He will be truly missed by many in our community. National Night Out and Sacred Heart Parish Fair won't be the same without seeing his smiling face.

Chris Zabaska - May 23, 2018 at 05:47 PM

MW

Knew him for a long time ! Always so sweet when he came into Dunkin! So sorry . 💜😭

mary weiss - May 23, 2018 at 05:56 PM



Im so sad to hear this news. Damian and I corresponded many times organizing funerals at St. Mary's Church im Phoenixville. He was such a very personable guy. My thoughts and prayers go out to Andrea, and his family.

Jacquie Marburger - May 23, 2018 at 06:09 PM

KM

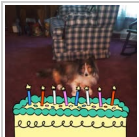
Miss you my friend.I knew you for so years. Took care of our needs in times of sorrow. Many fond memories Damien. Kim Moore

kim moore - May 23, 2018 at 07:17 PM

JH

Dear Jim and Pat. Tom and I were stunned to hear about Damian. There are no words to comfort you now, but we hope all these kind words do. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Tom and Jennie Hinders

jennie hinders - May 23, 2018 at 11:16 PM



“ Sorry for ur loss damien was a great guy rest in peace

Jeffrey Grater - May 23, 2018 at 05:38 PM

KS

“ Keith Schell

My heart and my wife's can truly not express our true feeling of loss. Damian was a great soul and his loss is truly sad.

I cannot express in words of the grief I and my feel from the news of his passing. May gods hand comfort and protect his family is this time.

let's all take a moment to hug those we love.

keith A Schell - May 23, 2018 at 05:23 PM

 Tom J. Cuthbertson

“ *Damain : Always there for everyone and Great Great Guy who helped many. I hope we can all remember the things he has done for and with us, to be passed on through Everyone to treat others the same our fellow Men And Women. Prayers and thoughts to Damains family.*

Tom J. Cuthbertson - May 23, 2018 at 05:20 PM

EM

“ *Damian was such a nice guy! He helped us with our baby boy Liam's funeral and he made the process so easy for us and even made us laugh! So happy we got to meet him! Rest in the sweetest peace!*

Emily - May 23, 2018 at 05:14 PM

RB

“ *I am very sorry to the family i knew him.for a long time i am very shocked to hear he has passed my heartfelt and deepest symapthy and prayers to the family at this diffcult time R I P u will be missed and never forgotte.*

Rebecca brunner - May 23, 2018 at 05:04 PM

SH

“ We would like to send our thoughts and prayers to Damian's family and friends. We will never forget his kindness and strength when he helped my daughter after her husband passed away recently. He will be forever in our hearts!!

The Hanslits Family

Sandra M Hanslits - May 23, 2018 at 05:00 PM

DS

“ I am shocked and saddened to hear of Damians passing! Our thoughts and prayers for Andrea and his family & friends. We will never forget you! You will always have a special place in our hearts!! RIP Damian!

Donna Snyder - May 23, 2018 at 04:29 PM

PG

“ Such a gentleman! Our hearts ache for the Petaccio family. May Damian rest peacefully in the arms of our Heavenly Father. God Bless!

Penny Gatcha - May 23, 2018 at 04:19 PM