



Joseph L. McMaster

August 4, 1948 - July 29, 2023

Joseph L. McMaster, age 74, husband of Jennifer A. (Bostian) McMaster of Phoenixville, PA, passed away on Saturday, July 29, 2023 at home. Born at Walter Reed Army Hospital in Washington, DC on August 4, 1948, he was a son of the late Joseph D. and Dorothy G. (Thompson) McMaster.

Having a father that was career military, Mr. McMaster lived on multiple military bases all over the world until his family settled in Phoenixville when he was in junior high. He was a graduate of Phoenixville High School, and he went on to receive this bachelor's degree from St. Joseph's Univeristy. He worked in several local establishments as a restaurant manager, but most notably at Charlie Brown's in Paoli, PA. Following retirement, he began driving at-risk youth and court adjudicated youth to appointments, and he found surprising solace in the conversation and connections he formed with the kids.

In his younger years, he was an active member of the Phoenixville Jaycees, where he met many lifelong friends. These friends helped form his PGA friend group, and they enjoyed playing poker, golf, and taking family vacations together. Mr. McMaster was an avid Philadelphia sports fan, and he especially enjoyed watching and attending Phillies and college basketball games. His pond in the backyard gave him much joy, and at the same time aggravation. But, nevertheless, he enjoyed tending to it and spending time around it. He also had an ever expanding Christmas village train display that that gave him

great pleasure to work on.

Most of all, he enjoyed being with his family, caring for them and taking trips with them, including the skiing trips to Colorado and New England.

In addition to his wife, Mr. McMaster is survived by four children, Mary Pat, wife of Shawn Elison, Stephanie McMaster, Sam McMaster. and Josh, husband of Nicole MacFarlane; five grandchildren, Kendal, McKayla, Autumn, Olivia and Rhian; four siblings, Pete, husband of Maureen McMaster, Jill Vontor, Kim, wife of Bob Ulisny, and Bronwyn McMaster; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one sister, Joan Mahoney.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend his memorial service at the Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., 610 Main Street, Phoenixville, PA on Thursday, August 10, 2023 at 11:00 AM. Officiating will be Rev. Mark Young. Burial will be held privately. Friends will be received from 9:30 AM-11:00 AM at the funeral home on Thursday morning. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in his name to Phoenixville Area Positive Alternatives by visiting www.papa1995.org/donate. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville, PA. Condolences may be offered online at www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 10. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc.
610 Main Street
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Memorial Service

AUG 10. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Joseph L. McMaster*



Campbell-Ennis-Klotzbach Funeral Home - August 03, 2023 at 05:19 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Joseph L. McMaster.*



August 05, 2023 at 07:42 PM



“ *Patricia B. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph L. McMaster.*

Patricia B. - August 03, 2023 at 12:23 PM

LM

“ My deepest sympathy to the McMaster Family. I remember this family well. Jill and I played together as young kids. My parents (Mildred and Curtis Johnson) were friends with Joe and his wife. We all lived on Nutt Rd at one time. Rest in Peace Joe and may God grant the family peace to the family.

Lee Ann Johnson Mihalcik - August 02, 2023 at 02:38 PM

PG

“ Sincere condolences to Jennifer and Sam (and the rest of the family). May you treasure the memories of Joe and may he rest in peace!

Penny Gatcha - August 02, 2023 at 02:35 PM

KK

“ So sorry, Xxoo to all.
Much love,
Kris Kronmuller



kris kronmuller - July 31, 2023 at 11:31 PM

CM

“ Christine M. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph L. McMaster.

Christine M. - July 31, 2023 at 07:26 PM

MC

“ Our deepest condolences to Steph and her family! RIP

Mark Ceschan - July 31, 2023 at 06:37 PM

RW

“ *The Eastern Shore of Md. family is sending Love and prayers to everyone. Bob, Betsy, Their family, Aunt Nancy and her family. God Bless*

Robert and Betsy Willey - July 31, 2023 at 04:55 PM



“ *A grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joseph L. McMaster.*

July 31, 2023 at 10:39 AM