



Francis "Frank" Wendolek

May 25, 1970 - January 12, 2022

Francis "Frank" Wendolek passed away peacefully at home on Wednesday, January 12, 2022, at the age of 51. He was born on May 25, 1970, the son of James Walter and Marie O'Brien Wendolek in Lakewood, New Jersey. He grew up in Lakewood, New Jersey and went to Jackson Memorial High School graduating with the class of 1988. He went on to become a Police Officer with the Maryland Transportation Authority, an Officer in DEA, an Air Marshall after the 9/11 attacks, and eventually returned to MTA.

Frank loved his dog Sophie, and would take her everywhere with him. Him and Soph-Soph (as he would call her) would take a ride to McDonalds every morning so that she could enjoy a sausage biscuit while he settled for a hashbrown. Frank loved fishing and tending to his lawn and he was known for having a beautiful yard. Frank loved to spend his time with his closest friends, and each one of them would tell you that he absolutely adored his daughter Marie.

He will be missed dearly.

He is predeceased by his parents James and Marie Wendolek and his sister Susane.

Frank is survived by 3 sisters Lisa Weiss(Rich), Jeanette Witkowski(Rich), and Donna; 2 brothers Jim Wendolek(Lisa) and Tim Wendolek; and a daughter Marie Stroh (Brian).

Services will be held on Saturday, January 15, 2022, at 4pm with a Viewing one-hour prior at 130 Speer Rd. Chestertown MD, 21620. In lieu of flowers

donations may be made to the Maryland Transportation Authority Police 4330
Broening Highway Baltimore, MD 21222.

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN 15. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Chestertown Location
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
(410) 778-0055
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Funeral Service

JAN 15. 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Chestertown Location
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Francis "Frank" Wendolek*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - January 15, 2022 at 02:28 PM

LS

Frank was our neighbor in Maryland, he was a nice and funny guy, he was always smiling.

I send my condolences to his family and friends

Mark & Laney Silbert ❤️

Laney Silbert - January 16, 2022 at 12:34 PM



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Francis "Frank" Wendolek*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - January 14, 2022 at 02:10 PM

DR

Beautiful memorial.

Rest in Peace

Diann Reeves - January 15, 2022 at 12:53 PM



Rest easy my friend.

Matthew McDonough - January 15, 2022 at 02:40 PM



“ *Francis "Frank" Wendolek*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Francis "Frank" Wendolek*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Francis "Frank" Wendolek*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *2 files added to the album LifeTributes*



lisa weiss - January 14, 2022 at 09:46 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Life Tributes*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - January 14, 2022 at 03:32 PM

TS

“ *Tamara Steady lit a candle in memory of Francis "Frank" Wendolek*



Tamara Steady - January 14, 2022 at 02:42 PM

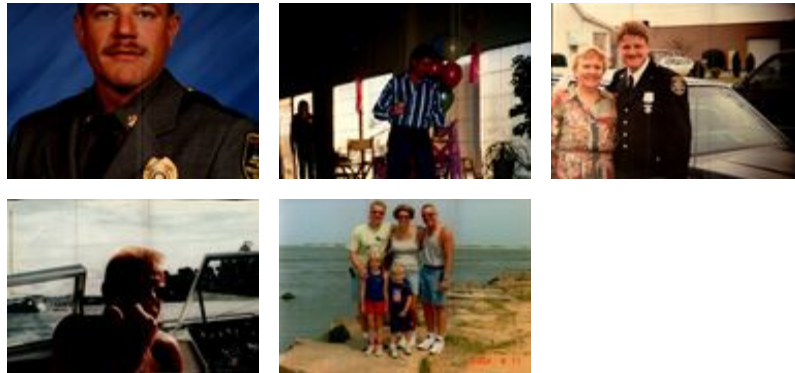
TS

“ *My husband and I were neighbors of Frank in Great Mills, Md. What a wonderful human he was. And the funniest!! I remember him calling us one evening and blessing us out for not inviting him to the party. Of course we had no idea what he was talking about...well he was outside watching friends of our daughter sneaking into the basement with beer in hand. Boy did we have fun with that one. I'm sure he never even dreamt of a toilet paper shortage in 2020 when he and my husband were debating whether to fold or crumple. He frequently spoke of his dream to move to Myrtle Beach and I'm sure he's probably got his toes in the sand right now. Enjoy Frank! See ya soon.*

Tamara Steady - January 14, 2022 at 02:40 PM



“ 31 files added to the album Life Tributes



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - January 14, 2022 at 02:10 PM

SB

“ We were so close to spending some time together this spring. I can't believe you're gone. My heart is broken 💔.

I know Sophie will be as glad to see you as you will be to see her.

I'm sure your favorite lama girl will be missing you though. Those carrot treats you gave her were her favorite part of the day.

I can't believe you're gone Frank. I'm just in shock.

May God take you into his heavenly home and keep you safe.

Prayer for the whole family and may God bless everyone. 🙏

Miss you honey.

P.S. Don't let those dang bed bugs bite!



Sandra Barlow - January 14, 2022 at 01:23 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Francis "Frank" Wendolek.*



January 14, 2022 at 10:04 AM



“ *Frank,*

You will be missed by your family and friends. I appreciated the honest conversations over the years. You were a man of many talents in the field of state law enforcement. You made a difference and a better place for citizens of the State of Maryland. We owe a debt of gratitude to you. Know that you can rest easy now. God bless your family and you brother.

Robert

Robert - January 13, 2022 at 11:33 PM



“ *You were the sweetest boy I ever knew. You become one of the finest human beings I will ever know. Two peas in a pod, you used to say. I will miss you for always. Until we meet again...
Love~~~Jill*

Jill A Capozzi - January 13, 2022 at 07:08 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Francis "Frank" Wendolek.



January 13, 2022 at 06:47 PM



“ I worked with Frank at BWI when he was a detective. I'm sure many of the statute of limitations have run out on many of the things we did 😂😂😂 Great guy good police

Scott - January 13, 2022 at 04:31 PM