



## Gary W. Peters

September 26, 1953 - January 9, 2011

Gary W. Peters of Oxford, MD passed away at The Memorial Hospital of Easton on January 9, 2011 after a brief illness. He was 57.

Gary was born in Schenectady, NY to Roy W. Peters and Mary L. Gazeley Peters, both deceased. He was a 1972 graduate of Linton High School in Schenectady, a 1976 graduate of Hartwick College in Oneonta, NY, and received a B.S. and Certificate in Physical Therapy from Northwestern University in 1978. Gary worked as a physical therapist in various positions, including The Traveling Therapist Corps (with stays in Florida and California), and the Eisenhower Medical Center in Rancho Mirage, CA where he specialized in Industrial Medicine in the Outpatient Department, before settling in Oxford in 1988.

He was an avid outdoorsman, and especially enjoyed tennis, waterskiing, swimming, sailing, boating, and biking.

Gary is survived by brothers David and sister-in-law Bonnie (Chester Springs, PA);, Stephen (Hardwick, MA) and Jeff and sister-in-law Wendi (Charlotte, NC). He is also survived by nieces, Brandie Peters Schaffchick and Samantha Peters and nephews, Brett Peters and Dylan Peters as well as many friends in the Easton/Oxford area who loved and will miss him greatly.

All services will be private.

Arrangements were made by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home in Easton.

Gary's first physical therapy experience was as a volunteer at Sunnyview Rehabilitation Hospital. His grandfather, Dr. William Gazeley, was founder of the Department for Orthopedic Surgery there. Dr. Gazeley served as Chief of Medical Staff from the hospital's founding until the early 1970's. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations to Sunnyview Rehabilitation Hospital Foundation, 1270 Belmont Avenue, Schenectady, NY 12308 in honor of the long-standing relationship between the Gazeley family and Sunnyview in support of their current fundraising effort for patient room renovation on the orthopedic unit.

# Tribute Wall



“ Gary W. Peters

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Gary W. Peters

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Gary W. Peters

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ So very sorry for the loss of such a good man. I worked with Gary at Town Creek Restaurant in Oxford, MD many years ago. Always had a smile and an infectious laugh. RIP



Mary Clare Hughes - August 09, 2019 at 05:38 PM



“ I am very sorry to hear of Gary's passing. I worked with him at Eisenhower Medical Center. He had a great sense of humor, and he was fun to be around. He will be missed very much.##imported-begin##Kim Burton##imported-end##

May 17, 2011 at 03:47 PM



“ Gary was one of the first friends I had when I moved to Oxford many years ago. We had many great times in that town, especially when living together in the apartment above Doc's and working together at Town Creek Restaurant. Gary was an optimistic, easy-going guy who enjoyed small town life. Gary was a class act and a good friend. It was my good luck to have known you. Take care Gary.##imported-begin##James (Jay) Snyder Jr.##imported-end##

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January 24, 2011 at 04:42 AM



“ I was very sad to learn of Gary's death. He was a great guy, a wonderful therapist and a terrific friend.##imported-begin##Helen Chappell ##imported-end##

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January 20, 2011 at 05:19 PM



“ What wonderful, fun memories-!!! I will ALWAYS hear Gary's laugh-!!! It brings a smile to my face & forever will. RIP may dear old friend.##imported-begin##Janie A. Rust##imported-end##

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January 16, 2011 at 12:04 PM



“ We miss you already Gary and it has only been a week. A couple of us are going to put together e memorial sevice of our own and raise our glasses one more tim, in your memory. Looking for some pics to sent into cyberspace that will represent you! Never forget the asparagus prank you played.##imported-begin##Matthew R. McKelvy##imported-end##

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January 16, 2011 at 11:47 AM