



## Peter Archibald Straub

June 10, 1938 - September 22, 2017

of Alexandria, Virginia died peacefully with family by his side Friday, September 22, 2017. Peter was born June 10, 1938 in Wilkes-Barre, PA to Peter and Anna Dooley Straub. He was the beloved husband of 50 years to Elaine Straub; loving father of Jennifer (Mark) Higgins, Laura Lowman, Robyn (Ryan Cansler) Straub, dog Buddy; cherished grandfather of Christian Peter, Faith, Julia and Andrew; brother of John C. Straub and uncle to James, Catherine and William Straub. He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Raymond "Jim" Straub and nephew Thomas J. Straub. Peter served in the United States Army in the early 1960's. He received his BA from Kings College in 1966 and his MA in Economics from Catholic University in 1972. Peter worked for the government for over thirty years at the DOD, SEC, and Department of Labor. After government retirement, he worked for the Bricklayers Pension Fund retiring in 2006.

Peter was a determined individual who worked for everything in life. He fought until the end, but lost his battle with glioblastoma. He was a spiritual man, long term member of AUMC, an avid softball player, great storyteller and gregarious friend to many. He spoiled his daughters and Jack Russell terriers endlessly. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and friend to many. He was truly one of a kind who would literally give the shirt off his back to anyone. He will be missed dearly.

Relatives and friends may gather at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Dr., Alexandria VA, Friday September 29, 2017 from 2-4PM and

6-8PM. A memorial service will be held at Annandale United Methodist Church, 6935 Columbia Pike, Annandale , VA 22003 on Saturday, September 30 at 2PM. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in Peter's name to Thomas J. Straub Wrestling Scholarship Foundation. 140 Grieb Road Wallingford, CT 06492. Please view and sign the family guestbook online at [www.jeffersonfuneralchapel.com](http://www.jeffersonfuneralchapel.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Peter Archibald Straub*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



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**Jefferson Funeral Chapel** - January 28, 2019 at 10:08 AM



“ *"My Deepest Condolences go out to the Straub family, I hope you find comfort in these words, "He will swallow up death forever,.....And will wipe away the tears from all faces. Isaiah 25:8. We want to trust in Jehovah God's, promise of the resurrection hope. jw.org*

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“ *I celebrate the life of Peter Straub. He was friendly, kind, loving and generous to everyone. He inspired me and will be greatly missed.*

September 29, 2017 at 12:00 AM



“ *Keith True NVSS I had the pleasure of playing on s team with Pet on two different teams in my 9 years in the league,Pete was funny humorous and down to earth,, a real class guy My sympathy to Family and friends,we will miss Pete.*

September 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM



*“ Pete was one of the kindest men I've ever met. We studied in Bible study from the very beginning of the group and he was very insightful and was always supportive. He always had a smile and a hug and I will miss him very much. Rest In Peace. Heaven gained a wonderful angel.*

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September 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM



*“ You will be missed. I will always remember and appreciate your kindness and friendship to me as a new member of AUMC. I know I am better for having had the opportunity to know you.*

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September 26, 2017 at 12:00 AM



*“ We extend our sympathy to each of you. Pete had a good sense of humor. I will miss my brother in law. I will miss my uncle.*

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September 26, 2017 at 12:00 AM



*“ My prayers and thoughts are with you during this time. May you find comfort in your family and friends.*

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