



Mr. Frederick F. Pietras

April 21, 1916 - November 29, 2016

Mr. Frederick F. Pietras, 100, of Adams, died Tuesday afternoon, November 29, 2016, at Albany Medical Center.

He was born in Adams on April 21, 1916, a son of the late Peter and Sophia (Gryubosz) Pietras. He attended Adams schools, and graduated from the former Adams High School with the Class of 1936.

Fred was a Veteran of World War II, serving with the US Coast Guard from 1942 until his honorable discharge in 1945.

He last worked as a quality control technician at Pfizer, Inc. in Adams for over 20 years, until retiring in 1978. Earlier, he worked for his family's business, the former Pietras' Market on Summer Street in Adams, and had also worked briefly at General Electric Co. in Pittsfield.

Fred was a three sport athlete while at Adams High School, and was inducted into the Adams-Cheshire Hall of Fame. He went on to play semi-pro baseball for the Chicago White Sox organization in Texas, and in his younger years would umpire baseball games, and officiate for basketball games as well.

An avid golfer, he was a member of Forest Park Country Club in Adams, and enjoyed all sports. He was a fan of the New York Yankees.

He was a communicant of St. Stanislaus Kostka Church, Adams. He was a member of the St. Stanislaus Kostka Society and St. Michael's Society.

His wife, the former Josephine B. Wilk, whom he married on November 6, 1943, died on September 1, 2008.

He is survived by a daughter, Patricia Aki and her husband, Harry, of

Waianae, Hawaii;

a son, Frederick P. Pietras and his wife, Barbara, of Adams;

a sister, Helen O'Donnell of Adams;

five grandchildren, Michael Pietras and his wife, Elaine; James Pietras and his wife, Elizabeth; Sarah Chumm and her husband, Vuthy; Harry Aki III and his wife, Raquel; and Lauren Maui and her husband, Lawton; nine great grandchildren, as well as several nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

He was predeceased by a brother, Walter Pietras, and by a sister, Stephanie Ciolkowski.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday, December 6th, at 9:00 AM from the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St. Adams, followed by a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10:00 AM in St. Stanislaus Kostka Church, celebrated by Rev. Steven Montesanti, Pastor.

Burial will follow in St. Stanislaus Kostka Cemetery.

Calling hours are Monday from 5 to 7 PM at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Stanislaus Kostka School, 108 Summer St. Adams, MA 01220.

To leave a message of condolence, please go online to www.paciorekfuneral.com

Tribute Wall

PM

“ To all the family, Paul and I are truly sorry you lost Fred. He was a wonderful person, kind to all, and always smiling. We will miss him very much. Sincerely, Peg & Paul Mekdeci

Peg & Paul Mekdeci - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

FL

“ I was so sorry to hear of your loss Freddie. I know how devoted you were toward your dad and how much you loved him just by the amount of time you spent with him the last couple of years. I did not know your dad was a Yankee fan. How did you go so wrong? :) May he rest in peace.

Frank Lentine - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

DB

“ Pietras family. My thoughts and prayers are with you. I have so many great memories of Fred Sr. from my years at Forest Park. In later years I always enjoyed seeing him when I officiated games at Williams college. What a long life he had, surrounded by a great family. I am sure he is on the first tee today with the legends of Forest Park. Rest in Piece SR.

Dave Blanchette - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

SP

“ My prayers to all the family at this difficult time. He was a wonderful man. May he rest in peace.

Sandy & Ed Pasternak - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

LS

“ Fred, Barb, and family . . . I am so sorry to hear that such a wonderful, warm, witty, and great man has passed. I will toast him with an ice cold PBR this evening and will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.

Linda Alibozek Saharczewski - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

AS

“ Fred , I am sorry for your loss . Fred Sr. was a inspiration to all we athletes during our younger years and his knowledge of Adams and Cheshire's history was truly remarkable .Sincerely, Arthur Salvi

Arthur Salvi - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

JG

“ Rest in peace Mr. Pietras. I had the honor of playing golf with him at FPCC a bunch when I was kid. I will remember him as a kind man who always took the time to ask me how I was doing and cared about my response. My thoughts and prayers go out to the Pietras family.

Jared Geary - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

DM

“ Dear Fred and Family, I was so sorry to read about Mr. Pietras' passing today. I was hoping for the best for him when I ran into you in the hospital, Fred. BUT, he had quite a long and productive life filled with family and accomplishments. May he rest in peace.

Diane Mirante - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

AG

“ *Barb and Fred, I am so very sorry to hear about the passing of the family patriarch. My condolences and prayers are with you at this difficult time.*

Anita Gutmann - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

AJ

“ *FRED WAS AN OLD FRIEND. MY DAD WAS HIS HIGH SCHOOL COACH IN THE LATE 30'S. HE SURE LIVED A LONG AND HAPPY LIFE.HE WILL BE MISSED. SYMPATHIES TO HIS FAMILY.*

ART FOX JR. - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Mr Pietras. He was a good friend to my Dad, Fred Lamb and a friend and classmate of my Mom, Rachel Bongiolatti. May they all rest in peace.God BlessAnn and Tom Lamb*

June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

GN

“ *Fred, So sorry to hear about the passing of your Dad.*

Gary Nichols - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

BV

“ *Dear Fred I am so sorry to hear the news of your Dad's passing. I will be with you in my thoughts and in my prayers. Love you!*

Bev Vadnais - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

TM

“ *Fred, sending thoughts and prayers to you and your family.*

Tom Molloy - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

BS

“ *Mr. Frederick F. Pietras*

Billy Senecal - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

BS

“ *Fred & Barbara, Patricia and all your families, you have my deepest sympathy. Your dad was a very special and inspiring person, not only for myself but to all local athletes. On a number of occasions we sat and talked baseball. I enjoyed every minute of being with him and will miss him dearly. Scoop may you rest in peace in baseball heaven.*

Billy Senecal - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

RC

“ *Fred,Pat,Barb,and extended family. Pat and I send our sincere condolences and prayers..*

Ron Catelotti - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM



“ *truly a nice man;prayers and condolences for his family.*

June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM



“ *Fred, Barb & Family,So sorry to hear of Mr. Pietras' passing. He was such a kind and gentleman! You are all in my thoughts and prayers.Darlene Pshenishny*

June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM

TL

“ *Thinking about Patricia. Sorry to hear of your father passing.*

Tom Levenson - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM



“ Freddie and family, So sorry for your loss. Always liked meeting up with Fred and talking golf. Sending Prayers to you and your family. Harriet Presnal Mary Jane O'Brien

June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM



“ Dear Pat and family, I am sorry to hear of your dad's passing. I know it's been a long time since we have seen each other but I always remember how gracious your parents were to me. Especially, your dad digging my car out of the snow, with that grin on his face. Those were good times! You are in my thoughts and prayers. Lorraine AttallaBichonbuddy@aol.com

Lorraine Attalla - June 07, 2018 at 11:17 AM



“ he was one of the best little coaches around him and john mendel.. he coached jordan porier and john coached the sand sox when my son erik played little league they honored both of them at a league game on a sunday afternoon. i still have the pictures, he was one of a kind a better gentleman was never born, rest in peace fred i'll miss you this x-mas and for all the days to come, it was a pleasure knowing you and having you as part of our family til we meet again and we will!! STOLAT and you did, love you always dick, bev and family

December 02, 2016 at 12:00 AM