



John Pralat

February 17, 2014

Mr. John S. Pralat, 70, of 23 Manners Ave. Adams, died Monday afternoon, February 17, 2014, at Baystate Medical Center in Springfield.

He was born in Adams on May 6, 1943, son of the late Marian and Julia (Witek) Pralat. He attended Adams schools, graduating from the former Adams High School. He then graduated from Wentworth Institute of Technology, Boston, and later from the former North Adams State College, now Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts.

At the time of his passing, Mr. Pralat was working in the Security Department at Sterling and Francine Clark Art Institute in Williamstown, a position he held for the past 10 years. Earlier, he had worked as a tool designer at Beloit Corp. in Dalton for many years.

He was a communicant of St. Stanislaus Kostka Church, Adams. He had served with the Massachusetts Army National Guard for 6 years.

He was an avid outdoorsman, and especially enjoyed hunting, fishing, hiking and camping.

He is survived by 2 sisters, Barbara Wisniowski and her husband, Richard, of Adams, and Nancy Pralat and her companion, Peter Matelski, of East Hartford, CT;

His nieces and nephews, Steven Wisniowski and his wife, Kelly; Deborah Stephenson and her husband, Ron; Karen Wisniowski; Lesley Kowalczyk and her husband, Stephen; and Mitchell Wisniowski;

His grand nieces and nephews, Sarah and Katie Stephenson; and Julia and

Alexander Kowalczyk; and several cousins.

A Liturgy of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday, Feb. 22nd, at 12 Noon in St. Stanislaus Kostka Church, Adams.

Calling hours at the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St. Adams, are Saturday morning from 10:30 until 11:30 AM.

Burial will be at a later date in St. Stanislaus Kostka Cemetery, Adams.

In lieu of Flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen St. Framingham, MA 01701.

Tribute Wall

CM

“ *Barbara and family, So sorry for your sadness You are in our thoughts and prayers....Chris and Joe*

Chris Milesi - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM

JW

“ *Very sorry to hear of John's passing. I enjoyed working with him at Beloit Jones for several years. Learned a lot from him. I'm praying for you, Johnny.Jim*

Jim Walton - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM

JN

“ *Barb and Family,*

My deepest Sympathy goes out to you and your family in the loss of your brother.

May fond memories help you through a difficult time.

PEACE

Jane (Pikul) Nevares - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM

PS

“ *Dick, Barb, Nancy and family. So sorry to hear of John's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Paul Szetela - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM

MA

“ RIP John, You were the nicest kind hearted sole that any family member could ask for.
You will always be remembered for your kindness, and willingness to help others.
You were a great man I will always have the great memories we shared fishing, trout, salmon and camping in Pulaski. You were always prepared, Maybe over prepared, backpack filled with everything from food to sinkers, but that's why we all loved you. I will never forget you or these memories. RIP John

Matt - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM

DB

“ Worked with John at Beloit, a very smart man, he will be missed. My thoughts and prayers for his family.

Don Bury - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM

PB

“ Barb, Dick & family, Sorry to read of your brother's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. Pat Brassard

Pat Brassard - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM

JW

“ Barb, Dick & Family, I am both saddened and diminished by John's passing. I knew a good man. Let us keep faith and know he will be remembered until we meet him again.

Joe Wilusz - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM



“ Dear Deb, Ron, and Family, We are so sorry for the loss of your Uncle and Great Uncle. Hold on to the good memories you have Of him. Thoughts and Prayers are coming your way. Love Ann, Bill, Carly and Taylor Masse

June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM



“ My deepest sympathy to the entire Pralat family. John was a good man. I worked many years with him at Beloit. May he rest in peace.

Roger Lanski - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM



“ Dear Barbara, Nancy, and Families, John and I were classmates for many years, and we enjoyed a get-together at times when I was back in town visiting family. John was modest, kind, thoughtful, and easy to be with. I pray the love of family, friends, and fond memories will comfort you.

Barbara Shoestoack - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM



“ John will be greatly missed. He was a friend, and a good customer. He always had a good word to say, and he was a very gentle person, always bringing joy to someone's day. Godspeed, John.

Tom Decker - June 07, 2018 at 12:28 PM



“ I'm very sorry to hear of John's passing. John was always respectful and friendly. I will always remember his laugh. May he rest in peace. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this time.

February 20, 2014 at 12:00 AM