



Patrick R. McCarty

October 29, 1939 - January 14, 2024

Patrick R. McCarty, 84, previously of Harrisburg, passed away on January 14, 2024 at Harmony of West Shore following a brief battle with cancer.

Patrick was born on October 29, 1939 in Pennsauken, NJ, one of eight children to Lawrence and Helen (McKeone) McCarty. He graduated from Camden Catholic High School and Drexel University where he earned a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering. Patrick met his future wife, Susan Marhoefer, while in high school. They were married on July 8, 1961 in New Jersey where their children were born. The family lived for a time in New York state before settling in the greater Harrisburg, PA area.

Patrick spent most of his career working for Amp/Tyco Electronics before retiring in 1997. He spoke highly of his co-workers and enjoyed reminiscing about his work. During his career he developed several designs which were patented. Patrick loved his family and especially enjoyed being with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. During his retirement years, he enjoyed reading and golf. He was an avid Philadelphia Eagles and Phillies sports fan.

Patrick was the widower of Susan (Marhoefer) McCarty who predeceased him in 1995. He was also predeceased by his parents and six siblings, Helen, Lawrence, James, John, Daniel and Joseph. He is survived by one sister, Marie

Ellis. Also surviving are his three children: Linda (Brian Rumsey) McCarty of Medina, OH; Patrick (Lisa) McCarty of Norfolk, VA; and Andrew (Lisa) McCarty of Mechanicsburg; four grandchildren: Dr. Jennifer (Dr. Antonio) Gutierrez McCarty of Chapel Hill, NC; Katie McCarty of Mechanicsburg, PA; and Connor and Nathan McCarty of Norfolk, VA; and 3 great-grandchildren, Jose, Rosario, and Eliana Gutierrez. He is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews. Mass of Christian burial will be held at St. Catherine Laboure Catholic Church in Harrisburg, PA on Friday, January 26, 2024 at 11:00 am. Visitation will be from 10:00 am until the time of the service. Interment will be in Hershey Cemetery following the service.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Cemetery Details

Hershey Cemetery

Route 743 North
Hershey, PA 17033

Previous Events

A Gathering of Family and Friends

JAN 26. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Catherine Laboure Catholic Church
4000 Derry Street
Harrisburg, PA 17111

Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 26. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Burial

JAN 26. 1:00 PM (ET)

Hershey Cemetery
Route 743 North
Hershey, PA 17033

Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Patrick R. McCarty.



January 24, 2024 at 08:08 AM



“ *Maureen E. purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray* for the family of Patrick R. McCarty.



Maureen E. - January 22, 2024 at 10:14 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Patrick R. McCarty.



January 21, 2024 at 08:22 PM