



Donald "Skip" J. Waterman Jr.

May 30, 1956 - November 21, 2025

DONALD J. "SKIP" WATERMAN JR.

Donald J. "Skip" Waterman Jr., 69, of Great Bend, PA entered into rest on November 21, 2025 with his family by his side. He is the son of the late Donald Sr. and Lois Waterman. He was also predeceased by his wife of 38 years, Barbara Waterman; and his daughter, Jessica Waterman.

Skip is survived by his son, Donald J. Waterman III; step daughter, Savina (Pete) Smith; grandchildren, Marshall and Natalia; his siblings, Debra (John) Adams, Kevin (Sandy) Waterman, and Audrey Waterman; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Skip graduated from Blue Ridge High School and joined the Navy. The Navy trained him in electricity, electronics, and nuclear power. He was a brilliant tradesman. He could fix or fabricate anything. His family and community has a deep appreciation for his Johnny on the Spot, Fix It skills, and immediate response to a need. He loved his family deeply and was an excellent provider and advocate.

A memorial service will be held at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, November 30, 2025 at the Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc., Hallstead, PA. Spring inurnment will be made in Newman Cemetery. Friends may call from 1-3 p.m. prior to the

service. Should friends so desire, please make a donation to a charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Newman Cemetery

Great Bend Township, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **30**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Tuttle-Yeisley Funeral Home, Inc.
25 Susquehanna Ave.
P.O. Box 936
Hallstead, PA 18822
(570) 879-2287
ayeisley@gmail.com

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Rest in Paradise our loyal friend, Skip. Thank you for all you have done and all of the joyous memories shared.
We have strong faith you will fare well on your new journey because of your immense spirit you graciously shared with us your time here. Our deepest, most heartfelt condolences to the kids, his friends and family.
With love The Gorsky's.
GO BIRDS!! 🦋🍀🌸❤️

nick - December 22, 2025 at 07:59 AM

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“ Skippy was one of a kind, he'd do anything for his Friends. R.I. P. SKIPPY



patty Morris - November 24, 2025 at 10:48 AM

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“ Skip was our Brother by choice. We remember him working in Newport, NC, as he could engineer most anything. He was fun and interesting to talk to. We will miss Skip but take comfort that he is forever young, strong and free if pain safely in the arms of our Lord. We will see you again one day Brother. Until then, fly high with angel wings.
Kathy, Lourie and Jason Burge-Ducharme

Kathy Burge-Ducharme - November 23, 2025 at 09:36 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss, prayers and
condolences to Skips family.



Karen Sinnett - November 23, 2025 at 05:21 PM

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So sorry for your loss

Doreen Moat - November 28, 2025 at 10:50 AM