



## Peter Guenette

January 1, 2022

On January 1, 2022, Peter Guenette, loving husband, father, and grandfather, passed away at the age of 67 at his home in Sarasota, FL following a battle with cancer.

Peter was born on May 24, 1954, in Fitchburg, MA to J. Andre and Rose R. Guenette. He graduated from Notre Dame High School, Fitchburg, MA in 1972, and from Assumption College, Worcester, MA in 1976. He married Beth A. Montesion in 1977 and had two children, Jeff and Kate, who were his pride and joy.

Peter valued hard work and was a man of many professions. He was a teacher and coach at Bishop Guertin High School in Nashua, NH, worked many years as a salesman for A&E Distributors in Leominster MA, was a funeral apprentice at Chapman Cole & Gleason on Cape Cod, and finally retired last year as an engineering tech for the City of Sarasota.

Being active was Peter's favorite pastime, with golf and tennis as his favorite activities. He passed his passion for sports along to his kids whom he coached through their younger years, and he treasured moments watching his grandchildren compete in hockey, lacrosse, and soccer.

Peter was preceded in death by his parents, J. Andre Guenette and Rose R.

(Provencher) Guenette, his brother John L. Guenette, and his daughter-in-law Margarita Martinez.

Peter is survived by his beloved wife of 44 years, Beth of Sarasota, FL, son Jeffrey P. Guenette and his wife Amelia Fisher of Boston, MA, daughter Kaitlin R. Gionta and her husband Stephen of Fairport, NY, three cherished grandchildren Isabella Rose Gionta, Noah Marks Gionta, and newborn Wallace Peter Guenette, brothers J. Andre Guenette of Naples, FL, and James P. Guenette and his wife Karen of Fitchburg, MA, and sister Ann Louise Stephens and her husband Bernard of Fitchburg, and several in-laws, nieces, and nephews.

At Peter's request, there will be no service.

# Tribute Wall

TW

“ My condolences to the Guenette family!! I was looking to reconnect with Pete, and share my THANKS to him as one of my teacher, football and baseball coach during my time at BG..

*Attached is our 1982 Bishop Guertin NH State Championship Baseball picture with Coach Guenette( 3rd one from the left in the back). Pete was instrumental in impacting so many student athletes at Bishop Guertin High School! Only wish I could have connected with him earlier!! Thoughts and Prayers to the family!!*

*Tim Weckwerth( BGHS, Class of 1982)*



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**Tim Weckwerth** - January 03, 2023 at 12:48 PM

CE

“ Dear Beth and the entire Guenette Family,

*The Island Walk Rocket Tennis League would like to pass to the Guenette family our deepest sympathy and condolences. Please know Peter had won our most coveted awards such as our first "Sportsman of the Year" in 2015 and he won the Rocket Cup Championship in 2016. Peter was a great friend to all who knew him. He was a champion in every way. Last night at our yearly meeting we all said a prayer for Peter. We will be playing our first tournament in 2022 called the Rocket Memorial in honor of Peter along with 2 other members that we have lost. I promise you that Peter will be recognized by the Rocket Tennis League for as long as the league exists. May God bless you and your entire family. May Peter rest in Heaven.*

*Sincerely Yours,*

*Curt Elliott*

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**Curt Elliott** - January 07, 2022 at 10:03 AM

GB

“ Dear Beth, Jeff, Kate and family,

*Peter was an inspiration to all to be active whether playing a sport or just a card game. His conversations always brought smiles. We will truly miss him and will forever hold him in our hearts.  
Love, Greg & Diane Bertrand*

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**Greg & Diane Bertrand** - January 05, 2022 at 08:54 PM

DS

“ Dear Beth and family,  
Praying that you may find peace and comfort in your precious memories. He added such color and flavor to all our lives...he was quite a guy!  
Sending love and prayers, Diane Stephens

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**Diane Stephens** - January 03, 2022 at 03:47 PM

BW

Beth, Jeff and Kate and family  
I will never never forget all the wonderful years, time fun, love, respect and pure joy we all had being together.  
Peter was incredible and so funny and he will always be in my heart.....as will all of you too!  
love Bani John and my family

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**brianne white** - January 04, 2022 at 12:24 PM

SD

“ To Beth & the entire Guenette family,  
May the love & memories you shared with Peter help you through this difficult time.  
Sincerely, Sarah DiGeronimo

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**Sarah E. DiGeronimo** - January 03, 2022 at 10:43 AM

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“ We will love and miss you forever Peter. ❤️❤️❤️ Bernie, Ann Louise & Lisa

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**Ann Louise** - January 03, 2022 at 10:10 AM