



## Peter F Rupp

September 18, 1959 - January 1, 2018

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Peter is survived by his loving wife of 10 years JoAnn G. Rupp, son and stepdaughters Peter Rupp, Jessica Snyder, Jodie Russell, siblings (and spouses) Denise Shultz, Lawrence Rupp & Kathleen Woodson, 9 grandchildren Brittany, Izac, Julia, Caleb, Alyssa, Payton, Grifyn, Charlotte and Jameson, along with many extended family.

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NY immediately following.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Second Show, Inc, 519  
Warren Street, Hudson, NY 12534.

# Previous Events

## Calling Hours

JAN 6. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Sacco Funeral Home  
700 Town Hall Dr  
Hudson, NY 12534  
(518) 828-5000  
smvfh700@gmail.com  
<https://www.saccofuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

JAN 6. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

CL

“Pete was one of our favorite volunteers. His witty observations, his work ethic, his friendly attitude was so appreciated. We were so proud and happy for all of his wonderful accomplishments - and for finding happiness and love with JoAnn.

Whenever they dropped by (especially during the annual Winter Walk) they always brought smiles and joy to our day. He will be greatly missed - and always remembered fondly.

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**Carol Lavender** - January 24, 2018 at 09:49 AM

KC

“Krista Cooney lit a candle in memory of Peter F Rupp



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**Krista Cooney** - January 08, 2018 at 09:40 AM

DS

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*In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Peter’s memory to the*

*CGEC Scholarship Fund.*

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**Deborah Schaffer** - January 05, 2018 at 08:02 PM

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**Deborah Schaffer** - January 05, 2018 at 07:55 PM

GA

“*Pete was a great guy! I'll never forget when I blew out my Achilles and he would wait every morning in my classroom and help me out of my car and into a wheelchair so I could teach while I recovered. And then help me out and into my car after the day was over. He was both feared and loved by CGEC students and most importantly respected by his colleagues and peers. RIP Pete!*”

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**George Amann** - January 05, 2018 at 11:15 AM

LB

“*Lisa Baron lit a candle in memory of Peter F Rupp*”



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**Lisa Baron** - January 05, 2018 at 10:53 AM

LB

*So many will miss you Peter. You were loved more than you know. You will always bring a smile to my face with the memories shared with you and Joann. You were a special person and will be greatly missed.*

**Lisa Baron** - January 05, 2018 at 11:01 AM

 Shawn  
Bee

“ *Pete was a such a great guy. He cared for the students of Questar and was extremely grounded. My prayers to his family and those at Questar.* ”



**Shawn Bee** - January 04, 2018 at 08:11 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Peter F Rupp.* ”



January 04, 2018 at 03:50 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Peter F Rupp.* ”



January 04, 2018 at 03:31 PM

LT

“ we the Tirado family send our condolences to the Rupp family



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**luis tirado** - January 04, 2018 at 02:05 PM

JN

“ My condolences to Peter's family, especially JoAnn, Jessica, Izac and Alyssa.  
Sincerely, JoAnn Northup

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**JoAnn Northup** - January 04, 2018 at 10:49 AM

FN

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



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**Fran and Al nichols** - January 04, 2018 at 08:29 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Peter F Rupp.



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January 03, 2018 at 07:58 PM

HR

“ I will miss greeting our dear friend every day. His smile, his funny ties always celebrating a holiday, and his positive attitude lifted the spirits of all who encountered him, students, staff and visitors. He genuinely cared for us all equally and was a true part of our CGEC family. As a Union representative, he advocated strongly for his constituents and helped them navigate the ins and outs of the contract. He was a staple in our organization..simply irreplaceable. We wish for the family and for JoAnn, healing and love. We are here for you and will be in the coming year. Please let us know if there are any needs we can fulfill. Prayers and lots of hugs...Hilary, Bill and David Reilly



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Hilary Reilly - January 03, 2018 at 06:44 PM