



Eugene "Pete" Huyck

July 22, 1938 - March 9, 2016

Hampton Falls – Eugene P. “Pete” Huyck, 77, of Hampton Falls, formerly of Marblehead and Boston, Mass., died Wednesday, March 9, 2016 at Exeter Hospital.

He was born July 22, 1938 in Albany, NY the son of the late Elton P. and Helen (Truesdell) Huyck Herbert.

Mr. Huyck was employed for 60 years as an international marketing director in the electronic defense industry. He had made his home in Hampton Falls since 1992.

He leaves his life partner, Patricia A. Fitzpatrick of Hampton Falls, three sisters, Janyje Huyck of Mt. Sterling, KY, Nora Talerico of Ramsey, NJ, Elizabeth Randall of Whidbey Island, WA, three nephews and three nieces.

If desired, donations may be made to the NH Audubon Society, 84 Silk Farm Road, Concord, NH 03301 www.nh Audubon.org

Tribute Wall



“ Eugene "Pete" Huyck

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ Dear Pat, To me you have always been Pete's Pat as you and my much loved brother were together since I was in my teens. Your mutual love, support and shared interests made you so very connected to each other. I was fortunate to have had such a terrific guy for a brother with his brilliant mind, his commitment to nature and the environment, his amazing repertoire of stories and experiences, and the lessons he taught me along the way. Have been told that when there is sadness, love plants a garden of memories and my garden overflows with wonderful memories of life with Pete...Trips to visit him at college, bird watching, sitting on my hands at a Celtics-Knicks game because I wasn't allowed to cheer for the NY team in the Boston Garden, getting a 10 minute driving lesson in his MG - because every girl should know how to drive a stick shift - and then being told to drive the 15 miles home (impressing him by only stalling once), changing the spark plugs in his car and drinking Rusty Nails to keep warm in the barn, spending my birthday together at Stonehenge, my children closing the bar with him long after their parents had gone to bed, walking in your amazing gardens and smelling arugula which Pete pointed out was growing wild under foot on the pathway. Will think of Pete whenever a bird sings, when my mandrake blooms, when listening to Christmas music in July and studying the night sky. My heartfelt sympathies to you and holding you close in my prayers,
Nora Huyck Talarico

Nora Talarico - April 07, 2016 at 09:59 PM

RM

“ I send condolences to my sister, Patricia and the Huyck family. Pete was a brilliant, opinionated man with a passionate interest in many subjects. He was an environmentalist long before the environment was in the daily news. I remember the beautiful photographs of Northern birds he took on his trips to the Arctic. Pete and Trish always had a vegetable and herb garden and we all learned more about plants when we visited. Pete traveled for both work and to pursue his interests. Trish provided a home for him that reflected their mutual interest in gardening, birds, good food and wine.

Rosemary F. MacIntyre

Rosemary F. MacIntyre - March 21, 2016 at 10:26 AM

BB

“ *Dear Patricia*
Thank you for calling to inform me of Pete's passing. I have known him for over 40 years as we met at yearly Microwave shows throughout the country. We first met in san Diego & after setting up our booths he suggested going to the Zoo. This is when I first realized his knowledge of animals & his love of birds. Over the past years I did hire him at Robinson labs in Nashua to handle our international sales & he would drive his old white BMW everyday from Marblehead MA & always be on time. In past 5 years he would call me at least once a month to reminisce about old times. All of us in our industry will miss him dearly as he was a walking encyclopedia for us all.

My best

Bruce I. Baker

Bruce IL baker - March 15, 2016 at 07:31 AM

TF

“ Dear Pat and Huyck family,

You've not met me, possibly Pete has told some wild tales of spending time with me in the High Arctic over many years, tales about old airplanes, dangerous loads, bad weather and some really stupid fun. Peter and I stomped the Arctic archipelago for a long time, we shared some absolutely wonderful fun, the kind of fun that only old, adult men can understand. We were known to maybe have the occasional drink together. Peter made himself at home with our company, he wasn't a freeloader, he pulled his weight and always did things in a good natured manner. He related well to the Inuit people, he understood their culture, he understood the geography and the wildlife of the Arctic, perhaps far better than many of our aircrew did. Peter spoke his mind, he wasn't afraid to express an opinion, I loved him for it.

I'm going to miss Peter. We would spend hours on the phone together talking about the fun we had. I know that you, his family, will miss him and that it hurts, but, I think that Pete is just off starting another adventure.

Take comfort knowing that he was well respected.

*Tom Frook
Kenn Borek Air Ltd.
Resolute Bay, Northwest Territories
Canada.*

Tom Frook - March 14, 2016 at 07:08 PM

ER

“ Love and prayers to my Aunt Trish and the Huyck family during this difficult time. We will remember Pete's tours of the vegetable and herb gardens he shared with Aunt Trish, and his passion for the environment and the creatures that dwell in it. We shared many happy holidays and summer visits with good food and drink, and jazz playing late into the evening. May he rest in peace.

Erin and Chris

Erin Riley-Tillman - March 14, 2016 at 12:43 PM

EE

“ I've known Pete for over 40 years. He had a wicked wit, and always an interesting take on all issues. With an extensive supply of esoteric facts, and background information he was a great verbal sparring partner. I shall miss defending issues that annoyed him, and his responses that annoyed me. He will be missed at family gatherings, but glasses will be raised in his honor, and Pete stories will be told. Be at peace. Pete, and take care Trish.

Elaine & Will

Elaine F. Evans - March 14, 2016 at 11:44 AM

PR

“ Thoughts and prayers to my Aunt Patricia and the Huyck family. Pete was like an uncle to me. One of my earliest memories is getting a model space shuttle from him when he visited after he photographed a shuttle launch. I remember going to his place in Marblehead and seeing all the pictures of puffins and his travels. He always captivated a room with a story and his larger than life personality. He will be remembered fondly.

Peter Riley

Peter Riley - March 14, 2016 at 11:33 AM



“ Love and hugs to my sister Trish as she grieves. Also, my condolences to the Huyck family. I will miss Pete's knowledge and stories, especially the ones about his life experiences and travel. When he visited us at the Jersey Shore he liked to reminisce about his summers working at the shore and he loved watching the James Bond movie marathon on Thanksgiving weekend. Our family will miss him. With deepest sympathy.

Gina

Gina Kinney - March 13, 2016 at 02:54 PM



“ Pete was a member of our family for most of our adult lives. He and Patricia lived in Boston when it was the biggest small town in America and their place was the place to be to see the Red Sox, Boston Pops or the tall ships. Pete always had a good story and his varied experiences never failed to amaze. The North Pole, an around the world sailing trip or a visit to Europe were always on the tip of his tongue and God help you if you quizzed him on his favorite topic, any type of animal with wings, his beloved bird passion. He loved the Boston Celtics, the New York Giants (Pete was a New Jersey boy), and before 2004, the Boston Red Flops, as he so accurately called them. He was a man of great interest and will be sorely missed by all of us. We'll lift our glasses in toast to our friend and family member when we gather for the Easter Holiday. He'll have a place there always, albeit empty for the time being. The empty chair a reminder of our dear friend Eugene "Pete" Huyck

Bill and Regina Kinney

William Kinney - March 13, 2016 at 01:44 PM

LP

“ *My thoughts are with Pat and family at this time. I am Pete's first cousin from Lawrenceville ,Ga. It is sad that I never was able to meet him since our early childhood and to realize that he is the first of the cousins to pass away. Blessings to all.*

Lynda Huyck Pfannkuche - March 12, 2016 at 06:59 AM