



John Pelachik

April 30, 1939 - September 29, 2016

John Pelachik, 77, of 2484 Pennsylvania Ave. South Waverly, PA passed away peacefully Thursday morning, September 29, 2016 at home following declining health. John was born in Shamokin, PA on April 30, 1939 the son of the late John and Anna Dedovich Pelachik. He was a graduate of Coal Township High School class of 1958 and continued his education in tool design at Williamsport Technical Institute graduating in 1962. John was employed by the Ingersoll-Rand in Athens, PA from 1962 until his retirement in 2001 following 39 years of service. In 1964, John married the former Barbara Cole who predeceased him in 1991. He later married the former Linda Peters in 1992 who predeceased him in 2010. John was a past member of the Round Top Campers and the National Campers and Hikers Association, Catatunk Valley Woodcarvers of Candor, NY, and Suncoast Woodcarvers of Seminole, FL.

John loved football and was a Penn State fan. He enjoyed dancing, singing, camping, golfing, fishing, wood carving and spending his winter months in Florida. John was a kind and caring man who always maintained a positive attitude. He is survived by his best friend and significant other, Marla Rolfe, his son and daughter-in-law, David and Karin Pelachik and grandsons, Joshua and Joel all of Towanda, sisters, Mary Petrush of Tuckerton, NJ and Louise Pelachik of Excelsior, PA.

The family will receive friends Sunday afternoon from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home 314 Desmond St. Sayre, PA. The Divine Liturgy will be

celebrated Monday, October 3, 2016 at 9:30 a.m. at the Ascension of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church, Sayre. Burial will follow in the Ascension Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery, Athens Township, PA. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that contributions may be directed to the Ascension of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church, 108 N. Higgins Ave., Sayre, PA 18840 or to St. Agnes School, 102 Third St. Towanda, PA 18848 in John Pelachik's memory. Memories and condolences may be expressed by visiting www.bowenfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery

345 Herrick Ave
Sayre, PA 18840

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 2. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Alteri-Bowen Funeral Home
314 Desmond Street
Sayre, PA 18840
(570) 888-2113
info@bowenfuneralhomes.com

Service

OCT 3. 9:30 AM (ET)

Ascension of Our Lord Ukrainian Catholic Church
110 North Higgins Ave
Sayre, PA 18840

Tribute Wall



“ *John Pelachik*

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ *John Pelachik*

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *John Pelachik*

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ *John Pelachik*

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ *John Pelachik*

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *Tina Marie Shellard-Lasco lit a candle in memory of John Pelachik*



Tina Marie Shellard-Lasco - February 13, 2019 at 02:53 PM

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“ We only knew John for a very short time as we were purchasing his home in Sayre but we found him to be a very honest and sincere individual. It was definitely our privilege to have the opportunity to meet him and visit with him. We thank the Lord for allowing our paths to cross.

*Most Sincerely,
Gary and Judy Smith*

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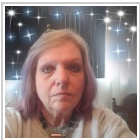
“ *Dave and Karin,*

My heart felt condolences on the loss of your father, may you find comfort and peace in each other during this time of loss. Thoughts and prayers to both of you and your family.

Love,

Faith

Faith Garfield - September 30, 2016 at 01:19 PM



“ *Laura Bowes lit a candle in memory of John Pelachik*



Laura Bowes - September 30, 2016 at 10:23 AM

LJ

“ *Laura & Ken Joseck lit a candle in memory of John Pelachik*



Laura & Ken Joseck - September 30, 2016 at 10:22 AM

KL

“ *To John's family: Having moved from the valley in 1979, I haven't had the occasion to speak to John in many years. I worked with John's first wife Barbara so had the pleasure of meeting John. My deepest condolences to John's family for their loss. John was a true gentleman.*

Ken Lewis

Ken Lewis - September 30, 2016 at 08:31 AM