



Tod Scot Petersen

October 5, 1955 - June 21, 2012

Tod Scott Petersen

RACINE-Tod S. Petersen, 56, passed away in his sleep at his residence on Thursday June 21, 2012. Tod was born in Racine on October 5, 1955 the son of Arthur and Hallie (nee: Miller) Petersen. He attended schools in Racine for elementary and junior high school, graduating from Washington Park High School "Class of 1974", where he was a medal winning gymnast. After a short time at U. W. LaCrosse, Tod enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in 1975. He proudly served as a Marine, 2nd Battalion, 4th Marines, 3rd Marine Division, advancing to the rank of Corporal. After his honorable discharge from the Marines, he enrolled at Gateway Technical College where he graduated as a journeyman sheet metal worker.

Tod was a member of the Sheet Metal Workers Local #18 and found great pride in working on various buildings throughout Racine. He was also a trained welder, having worked at ISP Stitching & Bindery for many years, prior to the company closing in 2009.

Tod spent his life as one who made others laugh with his comments and antics. As a young man, he loved his pet raccoon Clink, and enjoyed seeing people's reaction to the animal wrapped around his neck.

Although Tod continued to be a proud Marine, his special love was for his son, Adam. He will be dearly missed by his family, friends and all who knew him.

Tod is survived by his only child, Adam Michael Gilboy, father and step-mother, Arthur and Julie (Hachikian) Petersen along with aunts, uncles,

cousins, other relatives, especially aunts, Helen J. Taylor of Racine, and Betty (Harold) Windler of Milwaukee along with many dear friends. He was preceded in death by his mother and special uncle Zach Taylor.

Funeral services will be held at Sturino Funeral Home on Thursday, June 28, 2012 at 6 p.m. with Rev. David Echelbarger officiating. Tod will be laid to rest at Southern Wisconsin Veteran's Memorial Cemetery with full military honors.

Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Thursday from 4 p.m. until service time at 6 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Southern Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery

21731 Spring Street
Union Grove, WI 53182

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 28. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Sturino Funeral Home
3014 Northwestern Avenue
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Funeral Service

JUN 28. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Tod Scot Petersen*



Sturino Funeral Home - June 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *Dear Julie,*

I am sorry to hear of your loss of your stepson, Tod. I will be thinking of you and your family during this time. I will be praying for God to give you comfort in the days and weeks ahead.

*Because of Jesus,
Donna Hayes(BSF)*

Donna Hayes - June 26, 2012 at 07:55 PM

TD

“ *Terry & Debbie Doyle lit a candle in memory of Tod Scot Petersen*



Terry & Debbie Doyle - June 26, 2012 at 09:00 AM

DM

“ *Don & Gail Mattie lit a candle in memory of
Tod Scot Petersen*



Don & Gail Mattie - June 25, 2012 at 11:41 PM

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“ *Sorry to hear the news about Tod! He will be missed. Tod was a
helpful neighbor to Al Langdon, Jr. We will miss visiting with him and
his converstions. Tod's smiling face will be miss greatly also.
As Ever, Dick & Lois Langdon*

Lois Langdon - June 25, 2012 at 07:05 PM