



## James Floyd Peters

February 17, 1941 - February 6, 2025

James Floyd Peters, 83, of Irwin, passed away on Thursday February 6, 2025. Jim was born February 17, 1941 in Larimer, a son of the late Walter A. and Sarah A. (Brown) Peters. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Kurt D. Peters, and his brother, Walter W. Peters. Jim was a graduate of Indiana University of Pennsylvania where he earned a Master's in Education. He attended Ardara United Presbyterian Church and was a retired teacher for Norwin School District where he taught 9th Grade Science and high school Physics. Jim truly cared about people and did all he could to help those in need. After retiring, he volunteered as a Tax - Aide coordinator with AARP for 25 years in the Irwin, Penn Trafford, and Jeannette areas. He especially enjoyed fishing, golfing, attending his grandchildren's activities, and vacationing in Myrtle Beach with his family. He is survived by his wife of 59 years Bonnie "Odeana" (Pyle) Peters; children Douglas J. (Cherie) Peters of Harrison City, and Erin (Dr. Ryan) Barnot, of Cortland, OH; grandchildren Sarah (James), Jared, Iain, Aidan, and Rylee; sister Ruth E. (John) Terhorst of Jeannette, and sister in-law Jane Peters of Ardara; also nieces and nephews. Friends and family will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday, February 10, 2025, at the William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc., 521 Main Street, Irwin, 724-863-1200. A funeral service will be held 11 a.m. Tuesday in Ardara United Presbyterian Church, with Pastor Glenn Meyers officiating. In lieu of flowers, those wishing may make contributions to the Ardara United Presbyterian Church, 3380 Nehrig Hill Rd., Ardara, PA 15615, or to St. Jude

Children's Research Hospital, <http://stjude.org> . For online condolences please visit [www.snyderfuneralservices.com](http://www.snyderfuneralservices.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Penn Lincoln Memorial Park

14679 U.S. 30  
North Huntingdon, PA 15642

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 10. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc.  
521 Main Street  
Irwin, PA 15642  
(724) 863-1200  
<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

## Visitation

FEB 10. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc.  
521 Main Street  
Irwin, PA 15642  
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<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Service

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FEB 11. 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM (ET)

Ardara United Presbyterian Church  
3380 Nehrig Hill Road  
Ardara, PA 15615

# Tribute Wall

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“ He and his brother took a bunch of us from his 9th grade science class spelunking (caving) back in the mid-1970s. Such a cool experience, obviously as I still remember it.

Michael Mashoney - August 16, 2025 at 02:51 AM

GG

“ An absolutely brilliant physics teacher and wonderful man. I use the lessons he taught me on a daily basis 29 years later. He will be deeply missed.

Grace Jane Gollinger - March 30, 2025 at 10:15 PM

SF

“ Slape and Lay families purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of James Floyd Peters.



Slape and Lay families - February 09, 2025 at 09:33 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of James Floyd Peters.



February 09, 2025 at 08:55 AM

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“ *Expressing my Deepest Sympathy to Odena and family. I had the privilege of meeting and volunteering with Jim and Odena for Blood Mobile sponsored by David Smith.*

*Sending Prayers  
Barbara Crissman*

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**Barbara Crissman** - February 08, 2025 at 04:20 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of James Floyd Peters.*

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February 08, 2025 at 12:41 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of James Floyd Peters.*



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