



Peter Paul Schubert

October 24, 1939 - May 8, 2020

Peter Paul Schubert passed away on the morning of May 8, 2020, at the home he designed and built in Layton, Utah.

During his 80 years, Peter led a challenging, adventurous, and accomplished life. Peter was born in Hamburg, Germany in 1939 to Paul and Frieda Schubert, His early life shaped him into a resilient, hard-working and strong individual as he and his family endured life in a war-shattered and divided nation. He obtained his early education in Germany and successfully completed an apprenticeship program in mechanical engineering when he was only 18 years old. In his young adulthood, he also had an opportunity to spend several months bicycling with his friends through several countries bordering Germany. This experience further forged his independent spirit and sense of adventure and created wonderful memories that he fondly recalled and shared with others throughout his lifetime.

In his twenties, Peter had a desire to visit the United States and was able to secure a sponsorship to stay with a wonderful family who resided in the state of Utah. He had ambition and quickly obtained employment which allowed him to further develop his skills in the mechanical engineering field. While living and working in the United States, Peter met Rita Emma Wilkes. Rita captured his heart and it became clear that his stay in the United States was no longer temporary. Peter and Rita married in May in the year 1968 and Peter successfully completed the naturalization process to become a U.S. citizen shortly thereafter.

Peter continued to work and excel in the field of engineering and found his niche in the aerospace industry. He truly loved his work and enjoyed mentoring other young professionals as they entered the work force. He maintained a passion for learning and cultivated many wonderful friendships during his career.

Peter was also a talented artist and enjoyed oil painting. Once he retired from full-time work, he was able to devote more time to his painting and he looked forward to entering his pieces into the Utah State Fair art competitions each year. His artwork won multiple awards and a few of his paintings were made into prints for distribution. Peter also enjoyed travelling to destinations throughout the United States and abroad. He loved the National Parks and spent many vacations with his family enjoying the splendor of nature. He also loved to travel to Germany to reconnect with family members and to satisfy his sweet tooth by enjoying the spectacular baked goods available in the German bakeries.

The time we had with Peter was a gift and we will miss his companionship, compassion, sweet spirit and inspirational strength. We are grateful for so many wonderful memories that we will hold close to our hearts and cherish forever.

Peter was preceded in death by his parents, his wife and two brothers. He is survived by his sister, his nephew, his two daughters, and his grandson.

Due to restrictions in place as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, a public memorial is not currently planned; however, the family would love to receive condolences and any memories at www.premierfuneral.com.

The family would also like to extend a special thank you to Peter's hospice nurse, Stephanie, from Community Nursing Services Home Health Care and Hospice.

Comments



“ We are saddened to hear of Mr Schubert's passing. Peter was a good man. Many people, including neighbors, have enjoyed his beautiful paintings! He will be missed, we were lucky to have known him.
David & Gayle Tensmeyer

David Tensmeyer - May 24 at 09:09 PM



“ Onkle Peter was such a wonderful person and a great one'll to me. He was also such a great friend to my mother. I will miss him. My condolences.

Marilyn Mariani - May 17 at 07:40 PM



“ Peter was such a kind man and neighbor. Our family has had many wonderful interactions with him over the past 25 years. We will miss him.

Bruce & Esther Lloyd & Family

Esther Lloyd - May 14 at 07:33 PM



“ Camille,
Sorry to hear about your father's passing. From our conversations, it seemed to me that you two were close; keep the wonderful memories of him in mind.

Victor

Victor Gener - May 14 at 05:05 PM



“ I am so grateful for knowing this kind and gentle man. Condolences to all of his family at this time.

Sharon Hamre

Sharon Hamre - May 14 at 03:25 PM



“ Camille,

What a beautifully written obituary. Your Dad sounds wonderful just like you! My thoughts and love are with you and your family at this time. I hope you find some comfort and peace in the coming weeks and months.

Catherine Rolling

Catherine Rolling - May 14 at 09:22 AM



“ Onkle Peter was like a father to me over the years. Thank you two for sharing him.
Carol Prause

Carol Prause - May 13 at 09:59 PM



“ I love Peter! He is one of the kindest people I've ever met. I will miss him.

Sunny Cate

Sunny Cate - May 12 at 11:35 PM



“ Val and Cammie,

I'm saddened to hear of Peter's passing. He obviously was a great father raising two young daughters who blossomed into fine young women. His hospitality was top notch when I would visit with Jim and I enjoyed hearing stories from his younger days in Germany and eventually Utah.

Have peace knowing that he's in a better place now and cherish the memories that he created for you.

Rest In Peace Peter.

Ted Dedden - May 12 at 06:38 PM



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Premier Funeral Services - May 12 at 04:35 PM