



## Joseph Conrad Pado

July 25, 1936 - January 7, 2017

Joseph Conrad Pado, age 80, passed away on January 7, 2017 at INOVA Fairfax Hospital in Falls Church, VA.

He was born on July 25, 1936 in Boston, Massachusetts to the late Theodore Alexander and Mary Frances (Jamros) Pado.

After Joe graduated from Cumberland High School in Cumberland RI, he joined the army and spent three years in Beppu, Japan and Fort Campbell, KY. He served 30 years with the US Department of State and its Foreign Service, where he was stationed in Karachi, Pakistan; The Hague, Netherlands; Kathmandu, Nepal; Montreal, Canada; Rome, Italy and Washington, DC before retiring in 1995. Post-retirement, he lived in Vienna VA, Denver CO, and most recently in Haymarket VA. Joe loved to travel and experience foreign cultures, play golf and bridge, attend concerts, the symphony and opera, and read substantive books. Most of all, he enjoyed following his children and grandchildren in their lives.

Predeceased by his parents; two sisters: Felice Blazin and Frances Francoeur; one brother: Henry Pado.

Survivors include his loving wife of 49 years, Melinda (McIntosh) Pado, of Haymarket, VA; three children: Darlene Gail Pado of Seattle, WA, Mark

Joseph Pado of Waterford, VA and Darren Edwin Pado and wife Catherine of Haymarket, VA; four grandchildren: Langley Grace Pado, Blagen Maclean Pado, Keegan Christopher Pado and Gannon Alexander Pado; one brother: Francis Theodore Pado of Bristol, RI; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends on Friday, January 13, 2017 from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM at Pierce Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Saturday, January 14, 2017 at 10:30 AM at St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church, 23331 Sam Fred Road, Middleburg, VA 20117 with Rev. Christopher D. Murphy officiating. Interment will be held at a later date at Arlington National Cemetery with military honors.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of donations to: St. Jude's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 in loving memory of Joseph C. Pado.

Condolences may be sent to: [www.piercefh.com](http://www.piercefh.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Arlington National Cemetery

Arlington, VA 22211  
<http://www.arlingtoncemetery.mil/>

# Previous Events

## Family to receive friends

JAN **13**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 257-6028  
[pfh@piercefh.com](mailto:pfh@piercefh.com)  
<https://www.piercefh.com>

## Mass of Christian Burial

JAN **14**. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Stephen The Martyr Catholic Church  
23331 Sam Fred Road  
Middleburg, VA

# Tribute Wall

HO

“ *Deepest Sympathy to your family God's Word says, "He will swallow up death forever, and wipe away the tears from all faces " Isa. 25:8.....*

Holland... - February 21, 2017 at 08:55 AM

CM

“ *I'm sorry to learn of Joe's passing. I have so many memories of us playing with the gang in the park in back of his house. Many, many good times were had. I'm proud to read of his many accomplishments. My deepest sympathy to his wife and family.*

Chris Marshall - January 16, 2017 at 06:28 PM

WA

“ *Wanrong and Alan purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Joseph Conrad Pado.*



Wanrong and Alan - January 12, 2017 at 11:12 PM

MM

“ THIS, IS STRANGE,, AS Bruce Cranshaw AND MY SELF Michael McClelland,, BRUCE FRON VALLEY FALLS,, AND ME FROM THE VILLAGE IN LONSDALE,, WERE JUST TALKING ABOUT JOE A COUPLE OF DAYS AGO,, WE ALL WENT TO CUMBERLAND HIGH ON BROAD ST.,, JOE WAS A FEW YEARS AHEAD OF ME,, AND I THINK HE AND BRUCE WERE ABOUT THE SAME TIME,, I REMEMBER JOE CLIMBING ON THE ROPES IN THE GYM ,, AND THOUGHT THAT WAS COOL,, ON BE HALF OF MY BROTHER RONALD MCCLELLAND AND MY SELF AND DAVID DUFFEY ,, WE ARE SORRY TO BE READING OF THE PASSING OF A OLD SCHOOL MATE.

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**Michael McClelland** - January 12, 2017 at 09:23 PM

FS

“ From all your friends at Nova Power Systems purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Joseph Conrad Pado.



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**From all your friends at Nova Power Systems** - January 12, 2017 at 04:07 PM

CB

“ We will always have precious memories of Joe in our hearts...the ball games with the grand kids, sunning with the family at the beach, attending dance recitals with his grand daughter, and opening his home to the warm hospitality at Thanksgiving and Christmas. Joe is in our prayers, as are the members of his family. Rest in peace, Joe.

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**Chick Beville** - January 12, 2017 at 03:33 PM

FF

“ From Brother Ted (Francis) and family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Joseph Conrad Pado.



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**From Brother Ted (Francis) and family** - January 11, 2017 at 11:00 PM

AF

“ Aunt Louise Pado and Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joseph Conrad Pado.



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**Aunt Louise Pado and Family** - January 11, 2017 at 12:32 PM



“ Garden of Serenity Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joseph Conrad Pado.



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January 11, 2017 at 12:29 PM