



Paul Chester Seekford

March 27, 1951 - November 12, 2025

Paul Chester Seekford, 74, of Manassas, Virginia, passed away suddenly on November 12, 2025.

Paul was born on March 27, 1951 in Wetzlar, Germany to Martha Käthe Seekford. He graduated from Stonewall Jackson High School in 1970. Paul was a butcher for Giant Food for more than 40 years and retired in 2010. In 1979, Paul met his wife and soulmate Bonnie at Westgate Giant Food where he worked. Bonnie agreed to a date after many failed attempts by Paul, and their love story began. They were married on March 1, 1980 in Manassas Virginia. They went on to have two children, Melissa in 1981, and Tony in 1984. Paul was a proud and devoted husband and father. He spent many days coaching and cheering from soccer fields, football stands, and wrestling mats.

Paul was an exceptional, unforgettable man. He was strong and loved deeply. Often referred to as a teddy bear, Paul was the first person to jump in and lend a hand or a shoulder of support. He always was taking care of those he loved, and he never let you go without a meal, a drink, a ride, or a place to lay your head. Captain Paul enjoyed time at his home at Lake Anna, boating, fishing, supporting Virginia Tech, the Washington Commanders, and the Washington Capitals. His favorite activities were being a husband, father, and Opa to his grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Bonnie Jean Seekford, son Paul Anthony Seekford, and mother Martha Seekford. He is survived by his daughter

Melissa (Daniel) Moran, grandchildren Owen and Abigail Moran, brothers-in-law Ben (Jamie) and Andrew (Jodie) Musgrove, four nieces and one nephew. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to be made to the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention.

Cemetery Details

Stafford Memorial Park

154 Shelton Shop Road
Stafford, VA 22554

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 18. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

Graveside Service

NOV 18. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful Dreams* was purchased for the family of Paul Chester Seekford.



November 17, 2025 at 09:51 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Paul Chester Seekford.



November 16, 2025 at 09:29 PM

RO

“ I met Paul many years ago when my brother Skip Corle introduced me to him. They graduated together and worked together at Dulles Airport. Paul was always so kind and fun to be around. Our family tradition at Christmas was always a prime rib dinner. When he was the butcher at Giant Food, he always made sure he gave me the best cut and I was always grateful for his expertise in how to prepare it and I followed his directions. I remember telling him once you made a mistake on the price and he looked at me with that beautiful smile and said Merry Christmas!



Such a kind and gentle soul and I will always remember him. Sending my deepest condolences to the Seekford family. Rest easy my friend and say hello to my brother Skip!

Robin Corle Bast

Robin - November 16, 2025 at 09:07 PM

MM

Robin, thank you for this. Prime rib dinner was also our family tradition. Having a butcher for a father meant we always ate well! Dad mentioned Skip many times, and I hope they are catching up and having a beer together.
-Melissa

Melissa Seekford Moran - November 16, 2025 at 09:26 PM

RO

Melissa, no telling what shenanigans those two are up to! I don't think anyone is ever prepared for the loss of a mother or father. I know you lost your mom not long ago and now your dad. I pray that God will hold you in his tender arms and carry you through this loss and grief that goes so deep. Maybe not now but in time those special memories will bring you peace and make you laugh again.

-Robin

Robin - November 18, 2025 at 08:16 PM

MO

“ I'm so sorry to hear about Paul's passing. We went to high school together and were roommates for a few years, many great memories. I'll always remember Paul's big smile and a laugh that made the room light up. He was a great guy. Sincerely, Mike and Carolyn O'Donnell

Mike O'Donnell - November 16, 2025 at 08:15 PM

KO

“ To the Seekford Family So sorry for your loss of Paul. Met Paul through my brother Mike who was his roommate in Westgate back in the 70s
He was always a great person to talk with and enjoyed seeing you are in my thoughts and prayers

Kevin O'Donnell - November 16, 2025 at 06:57 PM

KF

“ Kline family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Paul Chester Seekford.



Kline family - November 16, 2025 at 02:24 PM

DW

“ Heart broken to hear Paul was called home. Many good memories working with him at Giant Food. My sincere condolences to his family. RIP brother.

David Walters - November 15, 2025 at 08:33 PM

DL

Melissa, I am sorry to hear about your father's passing. He was a great man and I will always remember his kindness towards me and his love for your family. Sending prayers of comfort to you and your family. I know Bonnie and Tony were there to welcome him home. God Bless and keep you 🙏🥹💔.

Danny Lawray - November 16, 2025 at 12:38 PM

DD

Paul thank you for the friendship, the laughter, and the memories. Rest easy, knowing your life made a difference. Debbie and Bo Davis

Deborah Davis - November 17, 2025 at 06:35 AM