



## Peter "Pete" Schubring

September 24, 1938 - March 7, 2018

Peter "Pete" Schubring was born on Saturday, September 24, 1938, in Rice Lake Wisconsin. The attending doctor had to be tracked down at a local football game. Pete and his family briefly lived in Wisconsin, Chicago, and Florida before settling in Washington, DC. They moved to Chillum, Maryland in the 1950s. As a teenager, Pete served in the DC National Guard and in the US Navy, aboard the aircraft carrier USS Antietam. As a young adult, he began a 38-year career in the restaurant business.

Pete started as a \$2.00 per day curb hop at the Mighty Mo in Queens Chapel, then signed on with Tops Drive-Inn, on New Hampshire Avenue, Takoma Park, MD. He became a store manager in 1967. Pete then worked at Gino's, Roy Rogers and Hardees throughout the DC, Maryland, and Virginia area, as one company was bought by another. His success in the restaurant business can be attributed to the fact that he enjoyed forming relationships with people and was very organized.

After his retirement in 1998, he worked as a custodian for the Prince William County schools, mostly at Neabsco Elementary School, which his daughters had attended. He always said that this job was enjoyable and not like a job at all.

In 2002 Pete and Rosanne moved to a condominium in the City of Manassas after he was diagnosed with emphysema. Pete enjoyed socializing with friends over coffee at the Manassas Park Roy Rogers and helping his neighbors. As his health deteriorated, Pete entered the hospice program run by Capital Caring. He and Rosanne considered it a blessing to be helped by so many dedicated people. The program enabled Pete to live at home while receiving top-notch care.

Pete was predeceased by his parents, Walter and Marcella, and a sister, Wallis "Wally". He leaves behind Rosanne, his wife of 55 years, whom he met at Tops Drive-Inn, daughters Stephanie (Hugo) and Rosemarie "Rosie" (John) and four beloved grandchildren. He also leaves his cherished brother Fred and several nieces and nephews.

Pete was always considered a fair-minded and even-tempered person. He believed in equality, and valued hard work and helping others. He took great pride in his daughters' college degrees and successful career paths. He encouraged his grandchildren to do well in school with cash bonuses for good grades.

Pete considered himself very blessed. He said he was grateful that he lived a life full of wonderful extended family, neighbors, and colleagues. In lieu of flowers, Pete would want you to go out and enjoy, guilt-free, a fast food burger or chicken dinner with family or friends. A Celebration of Life get-together will be held on April 22, 2018, from 2:00 – 4:00 pm at the Sumner Lake Community Center located at 9399 Nash Drive, Manassas, VA 20110.



# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

APR **22**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Sumner Lake Community Center  
9399 Nash Drive  
Manassas, VA 20110

# Tribute Wall

DB

“Pete hire me in 1964, my first job. I was a young scared kid. He was a wonderful person. He gave me a chance and did not give up on me. This helped me to become confident. I am thankful that our paths crossed. Condolences to his family and friends.

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**Dorothy (Manning-maiden)James Ball** - May 21, 2020 at 09:36 PM

GD

“Peter was the single best manager, I ever had, in my entire life. And I am 58.

Condolences to Pete's family. ❤️❤️❤️

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**GINNA DARDEN** - June 30, 2018 at 07:20 AM

CF

“The man is a success who has lived well, laughed often and loved much.” Well done, Pete.

*Christina Frank, Larry Hughes and Family*

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**Christina Frank** - March 20, 2018 at 03:21 PM

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*“Pete was the best boss I ever had. He lead by example and oh what an example he was. He would never ask you to do anything that he wouldn't do himself. Most of the times he would be right beside me doing the task with me. I never ever saw him lose his temper although us youngins gave him reason, he never did. My mother also worked with Pete and thought the world of him. My thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends. Just know his light still shines in every person that had the pleasure and honor to know him.*



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**Sandy Jenkins Thomas "Little Opal"** - March 18, 2018 at 07:13 PM

FG

*“My first real job was working for Pete and Tony at Gino's. Pete taught me how to properly mop by comparison of mop to a woman....ha! Still makes me laugh but I never forget it and shared it with generations of young men I managed always giving Pete the credit. RIP*

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**Frank Gomez** - March 18, 2018 at 10:16 AM

TK

*“Pete and my brother Tony Arbisi were managers of Gino's and I got to know Pete through Gino's. He was a great manager. Friday nights we would have parties and come in the next day like zombies. Pete would tease us and asked us how much we drank. When Mike and I got married you and your family were there and I believe we share the same anniversary. I will always remember what a great and caring guy you are. Love and God Bless to Petes family and friends*

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**Terry Arbisi Kearns** - March 18, 2018 at 09:45 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Peter "Pete" Schubring.*



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March 14, 2018 at 08:52 PM



“ *Uncle Pete enjoyed a good laugh. He got a kick making his sister Wallis think she was a millionaire. She came down to the kitchen one Sunday morning and wanted to check her lottery numbers. Uncle Pete started reading off the winning lottery numbers. After she got all excited, she was told Uncle Pete had written down the numbers off her lottery ticket.*

*Uncle Pete was always a fun and interesting person and easy to talk to. He will be missed.*

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**Shawn Sewell & Jack Warner** - March 14, 2018 at 07:57 PM



“ *As a child Uncle Pete would take us kids for a ride in his car. He pick a road that was hilly and hit the accelerator. This made us feel like we were flying and it would tickle our bellies. :-)*

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**Wanda F. Sewell** - March 13, 2018 at 07:15 PM