



# Patrick J. McGuinness

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**O**n August 29, 2022, Patrick Joseph McGuinness passed away peacefully at home with his loving wife of 36 years by his side.

Patrick spent 30 years working as the Customer Service Director for SAAB Defense and Security USA before retiring and building his dream home in Rehoboth Beach. Patrick loved traveling, surfing, playing golf, and creating beautiful driftwood artwork. He was always the life of the party and enjoyed telling a joke as much as the joke itself. Patrick gave his time generously to people in need, helping neighbors and others through his church. To know Patrick was truly to love him.

Patrick is now reunited with parents, Margaret G., and Edgar J. McGuinness; his son, Nicholas; and his brother E.J., all of whom preceded him in death. In addition to his beloved wife, Elizabeth, Patrick will be deeply missed by his son, Alexander, and wife Courtney; his grandchildren: Liam and Madison; his sister, Genevieve Wilson, and husband Gene; his brother Steve and wife Kathy; his precious dog Marlee; and countless other family members and friends.

A memorial service will be held on Thursday, September 15, 2022, at 10:00 AM, at The Crossing, 15183 Coastal Hwy, Milton, DE 19968.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations in Patrick's memory to Delaware Hospice, <https://www.delawarehospice.org/donate/> whose kind employees helped the family through a very difficult time.

Please sign the guestbook located on the tribute page.




# Events

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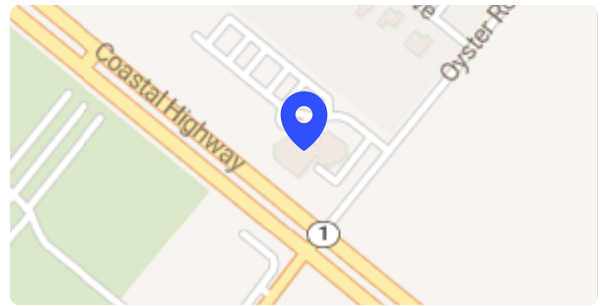
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## Memorial Service

 **Thursday**, September 15, 2022

 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET

 **The Crossing**  
15183 Coastal Highway, Lewes DE 19958





## Tribute Wall

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**Bill Crutchfield** posted:

I am so sorry to hear of Pat's passing. However, when I think of him I can only smile. Such a dry sense of humor. Quick-witted. My memories are of him at the gym regaling me with his hobbies and passions, mostly water-oriented. He was dedicated. Hitting that pool in the wee hours and just swimming laps. I remember him training for the Bay Bridge swim. After the workouts, he would have some funny comment. I'll miss that. Please find comfort that folks who knew him, loved him.

September 14 at 4:21 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Ocean Breeze Spray to the McGuiness family.



September 12 at 6:29 AM



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**Bernadette Carter** posted:

What we will remember most about Patrick was his sense of humor and his incredibly good nature. We were privileged to be friends and neighbors for 32 years and got to watch Patrick and his beloved wife Elizabeth raise their family. Patrick was always willing to lend a hand to those who needed it and was generous with his time. Such a good man. He will be missed by so many. Nick, Bernadette, Niki, and Lauren Carter

September 2 at 6:57 AM



**Mary McGuiness Fraser** September 19 at 6:55 AM

My Uncle Pat (I'm allowed to call him Pat because he was younger than I, and his dear, departed mother always called him "Pat") was always someone who made me smile and even laugh out-loud. That's something that is unusual for me. His struggle both for his own life and for his dear son, Nicholas, was both heroic, forever hopeful, and full of Grace. He loved to entertain all of his large family with his jokes and infectious laugh. We miss him and will always have him in our prayers. Our sympathy and love go out to his entire family. From- Mary McGuiness Fraser, Brock and Jen Fraser, Mark and Kathy McGuiness, and Leta McGuiness



**Cyrus** September 7 at 4:58 AM

Our deepest sympathies to Patrick's family and friends. We are so saddened and miss him so much. We have been so blessed to have known him and his family for close to 20 years and truly enjoyed his amazing sense of humor, his kindness towards everyone, his commitment to his church and community, always lending a hand to those who needed help. Patrick was an amazing person and will be forever missed. Cyrus and Dee Sabzevari



**Gail And Mike Altenburger** September 5 at 2:02 PM

We loved Patrick's kindness and sense of humor, and his love of his family. Love to all



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Patrick by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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