



Mr. John H. Pirzl

August 2, 1957 - June 14, 2025

John H. Pirzl, Sr., 67, of Dalton died peacefully on Saturday, June 14, 2025. He was born on August 2, 1957, in Pittsfield to the late Herbert and Rosemary Pirzl. He

attended Lenox High School and was a 1975 graduate. After high school he attended Berkshire Community College.

John previously worked for McDonalds in high school. He also worked at a Pool Hall where he ran multiple tournaments for the business. He also worked as a driver for Pittsfield Rye Bakery, Vendor for Wachusett Chips for local Price Choppers and Stop and Shop supermarkets, as well as working night crew for Price Chopper. He coached many sports teams for his daughter and helped with donations for local sports tournaments.

John enjoyed Fishing, Watching Football, Softball and Baseball, he was a diehard Jets fan his whole life. He enjoyed watching horse racing, Playing Cards and pool, as well as swimming. He enjoyed time with his children Kelly and John and later enjoyed laughs and smiles with his grandchildren Chelsea, Bryan and Brittney Kendig. He also enjoyed puzzles and painting in his later life. He had a love for animals and had a total of 7 cats and 2 dogs throughout his life. He was a member of the Italian American Club and the Elks Club where he followed in his Father's footsteps.

Mr. Pirzl is survived by his children; Kelly Pirzl-Kendig of Pittsfield and John H. Pirzl of Dalton, grandchildren; Chelsea, Bryan, and Brittany Kendig, siblings; Herbert and Colleen Pirzl of Lanesborough and Anne and Dan Connors of

Pittsfield and Nieces and Nephews Nakiesha, Jay, Shannah, Casey, Erin and Daniel.

A Liturgy of Christian Burial will be held on Tuesday, June 24, 2025, at 10: 00 AM at St. Ann Church with Monsignor John Bonzagni, officiating. Burial will follow in St. Joseph's Cemetery in Pittsfield. Calling hours will be held on Monday evening from 4-6:00 pm at the Roche Funeral Home, 120 Main Street, Lenox, MA 01240. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The Berkshire Humane Society in care of the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

St. Joseph's Cemetery

Pecks Road
Pittsfield, MA 01201

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **23**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Roche Funeral Home
120 Main Street
P.O. Box 152
Lenox, MA 01240
(413) 637-0699
eroche120fh@gmail.com

Service

JUN **24**. 10:00 AM - 10:45 AM (ET)

St. Ann's Church
134 Main Street
Lenox, MA 01240

Burial

JUN 24. 11:15 AM - 11:45 AM (ET)

St. Joseph's Cemetery
Pecks Road
Pittsfield, MA 01201

Tribute Wall

SA

“ Johnny was a nephew who endured a lot health issues when young and overcome them. Sorry I couldn't make it up living in NC now and wife has been in hospital for awhile now. Love ya uncle Sandy

Sandy - June 28, 2025 at 08:15 AM

BD

“ I graduated high school with John. I knew him to be such a nice person! Always smiling and kind. I am so sorry for your loss. Rest in peace John.

Beth Bassett Danker

Beth Bassett Danker - June 21, 2025 at 11:33 AM