



## Charles Edward Petersen

August 27, 1935 - March 1, 2016

Our beloved husband, father, and grandfather: Charles Edward Petersen of Maitland, Florida passed away on Tuesday 3 1 2016. He was born in Long Island, New York leaving behind wife Melanny DeAusen, along with his 3 children Charlie, Ronnie and Donna and step son, Howard. Also, grandchildren James, Christine, Nathaniel and Sheena and great-grandchildren Riley and Torieasa Lucas and Jupiter Chmielewski. Charles was the second child of 12 siblings and only four remaining Roger, Billy and Al & Jimmy.

As for work, Charles had an apprenticeship with Sperry Gyroscope in New York in the 60's they continue to become an inspector with them .

Mr Petersen moved to Orlando with wife Edna and children in 1971 then went into the marketing division of Southern Bell AT&T.

Charles loved to draw pictures of nature and planes and ships also enjoyed traveling. He never met a stranger, always a social butterfly

May you rest in peace with God now.

You will be missed very much, but, we will keep you alive and in our memories.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 11. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

DeGusipe Funeral Home & Crematory Maitland Chapel  
9001 N. Orlando Ave  
Maitland, FL 32751  
(407) 695-2273  
todd@degusipe.com  
<https://www.degusipefuneralhome.com>

## Prayer Service

MAR 11. 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Mass

MAR 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St Mary Magdalen Catholic Church  
861 Maitland Avenue  
Altamonte Springs, FL 32701  
(407) 831-1212  
<http://www.stmarymagdalen.org>

## Burial

MAR 12. 11:30 AM (ET)

Highland Memory Gardens  
3329 E. Semoran Blvd.  
Apopka, FL 32703

# Tribute Wall

LP

“ We will continue to cover the family in prayer!  
Our most heartfelt condolences for peace and  
comfort. Love Jim & Eileen Petersen and  
family



Laurie Petersen - March 12, 2016 at 09:43 PM

NM

“ My most sincere condolences to his family  
and friends



Nancy Manco - March 12, 2016 at 10:09 AM

RP

“ My memory is from when I was 6 yrs. old and my big brother,  
Charlie, was 16. Charlie built a spaceship out of two barrels for me  
and my brother, Al. We were so excited! Because of Charlie's  
creativity and generous spirit, we had fun for months!

Roger Petersen - March 12, 2016 at 02:00 AM

RP

“ Roger Petersen lit a candle in memory of  
Charles Edward Petersen



Roger Petersen - March 12, 2016 at 01:52 AM



“ *Miss. Charles. He was. A neat man. He. Gave. The publix. People. Flowers and. Candy. And. Wad concernrd. About. My. Seizires... he will be missed.*

Barbara Madderom - March 11, 2016 at 09:54 PM



“ *Fields of Europe for Spring was purchased for the family of Charles Edward Petersen.*



March 10, 2016 at 09:40 PM



“ *From the time we bought Charlie and Edna's Brentwood home, our lives would be interwoven. Charlie was a larger than life character. He was a whirlwind who blew in and out, leaving everyone laughing! He was energetic, witty, generous, and lovable. He was was larger than life. We kind of thought he'd always be here... Roger and Dianne Petersen*

Dianne Petersen - March 10, 2016 at 04:22 PM



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Roger Petersen - March 12, 2016 at 01:47 AM



“ 70 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**DeGusipe Funeral Home & Crematory** - March 10, 2016 at 10:34 AM



“ *Colleen Tomassetti-Cartier lit a candle in memory of Charles Edward Petersen*



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**Colleen Tomassetti-Cartier** - March 09, 2016 at 09:28 AM



“ *Donna Chmielewski lit a candle in memory of Charles Edward Petersen*



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**Donna Chmielewski** - March 08, 2016 at 07:33 PM