



Walter Albert Jr.

January 2, 1950 - September 1, 2025

Lafayette - It is with deep sorrow that we announce the passing of Walter Albert, Jr., age 75 on Monday, September 1, 2025 at Morristown Medical Center. Born in Orange to the late Walter Albert, Sr. and Alice (Strack) Albert, Walter grew up in Bloomfield and lived in West Orange before moving to Lafayette 40 years ago. He earned a bachelors degree from Upsala University and went on to become a technical coordinator for Verizon in their data center until his retirement. He took on additional roles as an animal control officer and school bus driver. In his youth he was Eagle Scout with a passion for the outdoors and travel. This passion combined with his desire to always help others continued when he joined the Vernon Valley Ski Patrol, having taught both of his daughters to ski as young children while also protecting and helping other skiers. A true girl dad, Walter made sure both of his daughters had everything they ever wanted, sacrificing so that they could have a better life, raising them on a beautiful farm with goats, sheep, bunnies, cats and of course his beloved golden retrievers and all of the family's many pets. Walter was also a proud Veteran who had served in the United States Navy during the Vietnam War. He spread his kindness wherever he went, with his devotion to community service as a volunteer EMT for Lafayette Township. Walter was also a former member of the Sparta Elks and the former Samaritan Masonic Lodge No. 98 in Hardyston. Besides his parents, he was predeceased by his sister, Harriet Fekter. Walter is survived by his devoted wife of 42 years, JoAnne (Goralski); his two loving daughters, Jessica Bradley and her husband

Erik of Mt. Olive and Jaclyn Albert of Lafayette; his two grandchildren, Madison and Harper and two grandpets Alaska and Aura. Friends may pay their respects to the family on Friday, September 5, 2025 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Military Honors will immediately follow at 6 p.m. at the funeral home. Private cremation services have been held at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial donation in Walter's memory to <https://everloved.com/life-of/walter-albert/?flow=264> Online condolences may be offered to the family at www.pinkelfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Private Cremation Services

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 5. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Pinkel Funeral Home, Inc.
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Tribute Wall

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“ *In love & friendship, Laverne & Debbie purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Walter Albert Jr..*



In love & friendship, Laverne & Debbie - September 05, 2025
at 09:44 AM

JE

“ *John Elzinga purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Walter Albert Jr..*



John Elzinga - September 05, 2025 at 08:24 AM

VW

“ *Our sympathies go out to the Albert family. Our neighbors for 40 years . The Woortman family would like to send our deepest sympathies. RIP walter*

valarie woortman - September 04, 2025 at 09:57 AM

VF

“ *Vincent Jackson and Family purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Walter Albert Jr..*



Vincent Jackson and Family - September 03, 2025 at 09:22
PM

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“ So very sorry JoAnne, Jess & Jaclyn. God bless & comfort you ask during this difficult time.

AnnaRose Fedish - September 03, 2025 at 06:57 PM

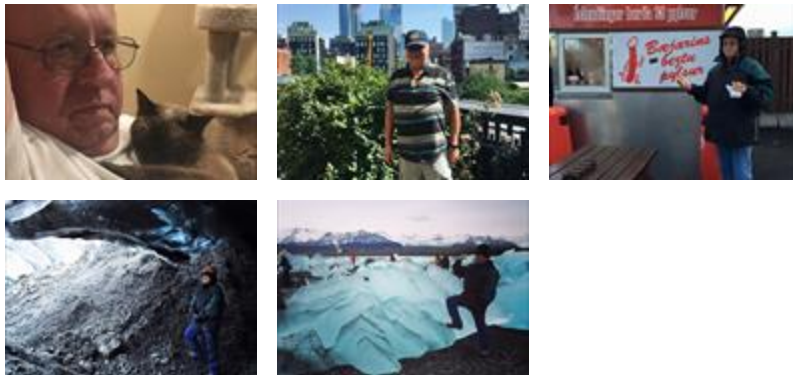
JA

Thank you AnnaRose, we are all heartbroken.

Jaclyn Albert - September 03, 2025 at 07:12 PM

JA

“ I miss you so much.



Jaclyn Albert - September 03, 2025 at 06:52 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Walter Albert Jr..



September 03, 2025 at 06:35 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Walter Albert Jr..

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