



Stephen M. McGrath

January 11, 1958 - January 2, 2020



Amesbury, Mass. - Steve McGrath, 61, died on Thursday, January 2, 2020, at High Pointe House, Haverhill, Mass., after a courageous battle with cancer.

Born in Newburyport, Mass., Steve had many interests over the years including scouting, camping, model rockets, boating, remote-controlled cars, skiing, snowboarding and fishing. He was a talented woodworker who made beautiful boats, furniture, and toys. He was an avid van enthusiast, and was a member of the Salisbury Seaside Van Club for many years. As a lifetime member of the North End Boat Club, Steve supported and promoted local musicians and served on many committees. He was also a lifetime member of the Neptunes, and enjoyed going to musters and participating in the competitions. Together, Steve and Sharon were deeply involved in fundraising for Toys for Tots. His various careers included wooden toy manufacturing, spiral staircase manufacturing, and working at nuclear power facilities.

Steve was predeceased by his father, Tom McGrath Jr., and survived by his mother Jackie (Crooks) McGrath; life-partner Sharon Blanchard; brothers Tom McGrath III, Joe McGrath, David McGrath; sister Jean (McGrath) Neely; step-daughter Nichole Crandall; granddaughter Norah; many nieces, nephews, and cousins, and countless dear friends. Steve was a kind and wonderful man who was well-loved by many, and will be dearly missed by all.

No wake or funeral services will be held. Instead, we invite family and friends to join us for a Celebration of Life at the North End Boat Club on Saturday, January 11, at 2 p.m. In honor of Steve, please consider donating to High Pointe House or the American Cancer Society.

**No Events Scheduled At This
Time**