



# Robert Patrick Sheehy

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**R**obert Patrick Sheehy , 62, of Charlotte, NC, formerly of New York, died on January 17, 2013 at home surrounded by his loving family after an extended and valiant fight against cancer. Patrick was born in New York, NY to the late Daniel and Ruth Fox Sheehy on October 19, 1950.

Patrick and his wife moved to Charlotte in 2008. He enjoyed racquetball, swimming, bicycle riding, walking, listening to music, reading, and the New York Times crossword puzzles. With an extensive career as an Electrical Engineer, Patrick could not only build, fix, create, and solve any and all challenges around the house and car, but was always acquiring, adopting, and improving upon the latest technological devices.

Patrick is survived by his wife of 34 years, Irene, sons, Benjamin Gioia (Jennifer) of Napa, CA, and Patrick Sheehy (Kerry) of Forest Hills, NY and daughters, Kathryn Sheehy of Brooklyn, NY, Maeve Sheehy and Alice Sheehy of Charlotte, NC and his treasured grandson, Jacob. Other survivors include siblings, Daniel Sheehy (Marcia), Danville, CA, Kathleen Riethman, Tempe, AZ, J. Michael Sheehy (Georgene), Pleasantville, NY, Timothy Sheehy (Tammy), Princeton, MA, and Margaret Mephram (William), Sudbury, MA. Brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law are Edward McLaughlin, New York, NY, Gregory McLaughlin (Mary), Sayville, NY, Kathryn McLaughlin (Kathleen), Charlotte, NC, Joseph McLaughlin, Charlotte, NC, Marian O'Connor (Thomas), Port Washington, NY, and Mark McLaughlin, Stony Brook, NY; 21 nieces and nephews and 12 great-nieces and nephews.

A time of visitation will be held Monday, January 21st at James Funeral Home, 10520 Arahova Drive, Huntersville, NC from 5:30-8:30pm. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Mark's Catholic Church, 14740 Stumptown Road, Huntersville, NC on Tuesday, January 22nd at 11:00am. Cremation will follow.

The family wishes to thank Hospice and Palliative Care of Lake Norman, especially Dr. Williams, Kathy, Meg, Maria, Rick, and Ilene for their attentiveness, kindness and love toward Patrick and



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the entire family.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be sent to Hospice of Lake Norman, 705 Griffith St., Suite 203, Davidson, NC 28036. James Funeral Home is serving the family. Condolences may be expressed at [www.jamesfuneralhomeLKN.com](http://www.jamesfuneralhomeLKN.com).

Patrick will be remembered for his wonderful spirit and great smile.



## Tribute Wall

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HC

**Http://Kontax.Com** posted:

Just picture this - you can watch high quality movies anytime, right on the comfort of your own home, and never have to go to a movie theatre. It is perhaps the most common issue with HD televisions that they may be immensely challenging to install, which problem only increases with the size of the television. Many of the speaker companies offer speaker kits and instructions for creating a better system than is available in the overpriced electronics store.

August 25 at 12:41 PM

AB

**Awilda Guerrero Buchholz** posted:

Dear Irene,I just learned of Pat's passing. My thoughts and sympathy are with you. Awilda

March 10 at 7:54 AM

CW

**Cheryl Watson** posted:

Dear Irene, We taught together at Christa McCauliffe school years ago. I had the pleasure of meeting your husband and am so sorry to learn of his passing. Please know that you are in our prayers . Sincerely, Cheryl and Eboni Rogers (daughter)

March 5 at 7:06 AM

EE

**Edmond Ezra** posted:

Irene, introducing you to Pat might have been the best idea ever. You two were wonderful together. No question he found happiness and fulfillment with you and your beautiful children. best, Eddie and Vicki Ezra.

February 8 at 5:56 PM

LE

**Lila Ezra** posted:

Dear Irene, Although it's been many years since we've been in touch, you and Pat have been dear to my heart. I was thinking about Benjy's birth day and thought to look you up, and then sadly found Pat's obituary. I'm so very sorry to read the news. What a special person he was, with a smile that could light up the universe. with love to you and your beautiful family,Lila Ezra

February 7 at 10:39 AM



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AL

**Anne Lafriniere** posted:

I am so glad I got to meet Patrick in December. His peaceful spirit and sense of humor were obvious along with the love the family had for each other. We were honored to be able to spend that time with you all. I know he will be sorely missed and my deepest sympathies to the entire family.

January 21 at 8:04 AM

SN

**Susan Nowak** posted:

A life well lived...Pat Sheehy made the world a better place. He made us want to be a better person. If only we all smiled half as much as he did. May his wonderful and kind spirit remain with all who knew and loved him...especially Irene, his children, and sweet Jacob. My thoughts and sympathy are with all of you. Susan

January 21 at 5:32 AM

TS

**Tim Somers** posted:

I feel blessed that a chance encounter on a racquetball court one morning years ago led to a lasting friendship. I will miss my friend Patrick. My thoughts and prayers are with Irene and his family. God bless.

January 21 at 4:05 AM

LC

**Louise G. Conway** posted:

The world is a bit darker without the light of our noble, brave Pat. He accepted all burdens of life with grace, humor and always wearing a smile, just as he accepted the joys life brought him. His life and death is an example to us all. There is a big hole in the hearts of his immediate and extended family.

January 20 at 9:01 AM

JC

**Jeanne Conway** posted:

Irene dear, You and Patrick and all your family are in our thoughts and prayers at this time.

January 19 at 5:42 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

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



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