



## John Peter Menzo

January 20, 1942 - October 8, 2024

John Peter Menzo, 82, of Salisbury, NC passed away Tuesday, October 8, 2024 at TerraBella Senior Living.

John was born January 20, 1942 in Hackensack, New Jersey to the late Dorothy Reed Menzo and John Peter Menzo. He earned his Bachelor of Science from Fairleigh Dickinson University in New Jersey. John worked as a mechanical engineer and as a financial planner. He enjoyed woodworking, fishing, golfing, birdwatching and playing cards.

John was a member of St. Matthews Catholic Church in Charlotte, NC.

He was predeceased by a brother, Ray Menzo.

Left to cherish his memory is his wife, Ellen Elefante Menzo whom he married Aug. 7, 1965; son, Darrin Menzo (Krystan Hale) of Landsdale, PA; daughters, Michele Godlevski (Greg) of Youngsville, NC and Gina Grothoff (Don) of Salisbury, NC; grandchildren: Harrison Grothoff, Abigail Grothoff, Lexi Grothoff, Aaron Menzo and Eva Menzo; and sisters, Cindy Aldighere, Roberta Palino, Barbara Bray and Melanie Pedalino.

The family will receive friends from 9-10 AM Monday (Oct 14) at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with a Mass of Christian Burial following at 10 AM, officiated by Rev. John Eckert. Memorials may be made to The Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, PO Box 5014, Hagerstown, MD 21741 or Parkinson's Association of the Carolina's, PO Box 1465, Matthews, NC 28106.

Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Menzo family. Online condolences may be made at [www.summersettfuneralhome.com](http://www.summersettfuneralhome.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **14.** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
375 Lumen Christi Lane  
Salisbury, NC 28144

## Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **14.** 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *I never knew John but I played pickleball with Ellen in Sun City Carolina Lakes. My condolences to Ellen and the family.* ”



Lois Goldhammer - October 12, 2024 at 01:51 PM

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*Thanks Lois. Since I have moved to Salisbury, I will miss playing pickleball with y'all.*

Ellen Menzo - November 09, 2024 at 11:51 AM

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“ *The entire Best Buy concord team purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of John Peter Menzo.* ”



The entire Best Buy concord team - October 10, 2024 at 05:15 PM



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Michele Godlevski - October 10, 2024 at 11:24 AM