



## Peter Drew Cozza

May 23, 1949 - February 27, 2025

Peter Drew Cozza, age 75, of Schererville, IN, passed away surrounded by his family on Thursday, February 27, 2025. He was born in East Chicago, IN on May 23, 1949 and was a graduate of Hammond High and served in the U.S. Navy. Peter enjoyed traveling, gardening, driving his corvette and spending time with his family and friends. He retired from Patten Caterpillar after 38 years. Peter was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Irene Cozza; sister, Tamara Murray; nephew, Brad Murray; great nephew, Danny McKeown. He is survived by his wife, Patricia Cozza; son, Steve and daughter, Melinda; stepdaughter, Renee La Penta; stepson, Joseph La Penta and sister, Blythe Cozza; grandchildren: Sarah Cozza, Alex Routh, Peter Routh and Noah Madera. A memorial visitation will be held on Thursday, March 6, 2025, from 4 p.m. until the time of memorial service at 6 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home & Crematory, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Tunnel to Towers Foundation. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

MAR 6. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (cst)

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - Crown Point  
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Crown Point, IN 46307  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Peter Drew Cozza.*



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March 05, 2025 at 02:26 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Peter Drew Cozza.

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March 04, 2025 at 08:17 PM



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March 04, 2025 at 03:30 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Peter Drew Cozza.*



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“ *Deepest sympathies, prayers and love. Pete & Patti are our wonderful neighbors and dear friends. Pete always looked out for us and treated all of us with love. My kids grew up with him. He gave only them king size candy bars at Halloween, chatted about cars and guy stuff and we were always greeted with a wave and smile. He is deeply loved and missed. Always in our hearts. ~The Holley's*

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**Colleen Holley** - March 03, 2025 at 08:33 PM

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“ *Connie and Mike Jeha purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Peter Drew Cozza.*



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**Connie and Mike Jeha** - March 03, 2025 at 04:06 PM