

PETER DEVENS (1947-2016)

Peter M. Devens was the son of Arthur Lithgow and Leanice (Martin) Devens. He was the husband of Barbara (Tabor) and father of their daughter Tyler and her husband Paul Towns. He is survived by his brother Arthur (Miff) and his wife Connie, his sister-in-law Cheryl Cavanagh and brother-in-law Bob Tabor and his wife Leslie and numerous cousins and nephews.

Peter was born and raised in Nahant and attended Nahant schools through Junior High going on to Tabor Academy in Marion, Ma., where he was a three-sport athlete: lacrosse, squash and co-captain of football. He attended Suffolk University until drafted, at which time he chose to enlist in the United States Marine Corps and served in Viet Nam. Peter loved the sea and from boyhood did all he could to be on it, having his own dory and lobster traps. He ran an offshore lobster vessel for many years when returning from Viet Nam and was Vice President of Boston Wholesale Lobster Corp. for over twenty years.

Peter was an avid runner and racquet sports enthusiast. He was a member of the Union Boat Club in Boston, MA, where he enjoyed playing Rugby Fives, The Newport Reading Room in Rhode Island, The Nahant Country Club, and The Cary Street Club in Nahant, where he served on various boards.

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