



## Kenneth M. Pietras

March 27, 1948 - December 11, 2025

Kenneth M. Pietras, 77, passed away peacefully on Thursday, December 11, 2025, at Agawam South Rehab and Nursing. Born on March 27, 1948, he was the son of the late Walter J. Sr. and Jennie E. (Kowalczak) Pietras. A proud United States Army veteran, Kenneth honorably served his country during the Vietnam War. After his military service, he worked at Chicopee Equipment and later in vehicle maintenance at Westover ARB. He went on to serve as a supervisor at the Massachusetts Veterans' Memorial Cemetery in Agawam, retiring after ten dedicated years. Kenneth was also a former member of the Agawam Veterans Council and a proud member of the American Legion Post 0185. Kenneth is survived by his loving wife of forty three years, Janice H. Pietras; sons, Jeffrey Pietras of Chicopee, Michael Pietras and wife Christina, of Wilbraham; two grandchildren, Isabella and Jake Pietras of Wilbraham; brothers, Ronald, Richard, Steven, and David; sisters, Jane Heh, Christine Nutter, Sandra Jalbert, and Margaret Lennon; and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his infant daughter, Beth Ann; his infant son, Matthew; and his siblings, Walter, Patricia Rose, and Cynthia Gilman. Calling hours will be held from 4-6PM on Wednesday, December 17th, at Kozikowski Funeral Home, 565 Front St., Chicopee. A committal service with Military Honors will be held at 11AM on Thursday, December 18th, in the chapel of the Massachusetts Veterans' Memorial Cemetery, Agawam. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758516, Topeka, Kansas 66675 or the Vietnam Veterans Memorial Fund,

1530 Wilson Blvd, STE 550, Arlington, VA 22209.

# Cemetery Details

## MA Veterans' Memorial

1390 Main Street  
Agawam, MA

# Previous Events

## Calling Hour

DEC 17. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Kozikowski Funeral Home  
565 Front Street  
Chicopee, MA 01013  
(413) 592-9256  
kozikowskifh@gmail.com

## Committal Service

DEC 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

MA Veterans' Memorial  
1390 Main Street  
Agawam, MA

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Keri L lit a candle in memory of Kenneth M. Pietras*



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**Keri L** - December 23, 2025 at 03:42 PM