



## Ronald E. Musiak

November 27, 1941 - January 4, 2024

Ronald E. Musiak, 82, passed away peacefully at Baystate Noble Hospital on Thursday, January 4, 2024, with loving family at his side. Born November 27, 1941, son of the late Felix and Josie (Wytaniec) Musiak, he was raised and educated in Chicopee, and was a Chicopee High School graduate. A US Navy veteran, Ronald served aboard the USS Long Beach. He graduated from Western New England College with a Bachelor of Science degree in electrical engineering, followed by a Master of Science degree in electrical engineering from Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and a Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of Massachusetts. A professor of electrical engineering at Western New England University, Ron retired in 2014, and continued to teach as adjunct professor until 2023. He enjoyed painting, reading, travel, and working as a consultant. Ronald is survived by his beloved wife of fifty-three years, Susan B. (Szymczyk) Musiak; loving son, Matthew Musiak and wife Elena Massa-Musiak; and cherished grandson, Aidan Musiak. He was predeceased by his sister, Cathy Musiak. Funeral services for Ronald will be held Friday from Kozikowski Funeral Home, 565 Front St., Chicopee, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 10AM in St. Stanislaus Basilica. Burial will follow in St. Stanislaus Cemetery. Calling hours are Friday morning from 8:30-9:45AM. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Massachusetts General Hospital Healey Institute, 15 Parkman St., Wang Ambulatory Care Center, Suite 435, Boston, MA 02114, or Dakin Humane Society, 171 Union Street, Springfield, MA 01105.



# Cemetery Details

## St. Stanislaus Cemetery

800 Montgomery St.  
Chicopee, MA

# Previous Events

## Calling Hour

JAN 12. 8:30 AM - 9:45 AM (ET)

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

## Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 12. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Stanislaus Basilica  
Chicopee, MA

# Tribute Wall

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“*Prof Musiak was my thesis advisor at WNEC and also a great teacher. I remember some would avoid his classes because he was tough but I learned more about electrical engineering from him than others. He made me become a better engineer. When I was struggling with some health issues, he helped me out and I never forgot that. May he rest in peace and may his family know that he was a beloved teacher and kind person to his students.*

*Joe Hala '85*

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