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We are sad to announce the passing of loving husband and father, Barry G. Govenor, (75), of Brentwood on November 21, 2022.

Born on November 5, 1947 to Emil J. Govenor and Phyllis (Lynch) Govenor, (both now deceased) in Charleroi, PA, Barry grew up with two brothers, Ronald, (deceased), and Tim. He graduated from Charleroi High School in 1965 and from California State University in 1969 with a degree in nuclear medicine technology.

Throughout his life, Barry was very active in the American Youth Hostels, the Pittsburgh Poetry Exchange, and the Brentwood Library Board. He loved nature, was a prolific and published poet, frequent letter to the editor contributor and avid follower of current events.

He leaves behind his wife, Mary Mervosh-Govenor, his daughters, Constance Stover and Heather Govenor, his stepsons, Matthew Mervosh and Jason Mervosh, and his grandchildren, Nathaniel Stover, Jenna Mervosh, Michael Wojdak, and Abigail Stover.

Relatives and friends are invited to join the family for visitation on Sunday, November 27, 2022 from 6-8 pm and on Monday, November 28, 2022 from 10 am - 12 pm at Jefferson Memorial Funeral Home, 301 Curry Hollow Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15236. A service will be held at the funeral home at 12:00 pm on Monday. Interment will follow at Jefferson Memorial Park.

To leave online condolences please visit www.jeffersonmemorial.com



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RH

Roberta Hatcher posted:

I am very sad to learn of Barry's death. I, too, knew him through the Pittsburgh Poetry Exchange, both the workshop and the reading group, and I loved his quiet thoughtfulness, his good heart, and his wry sense of humor. He is much missed, both his poetry and his person.

November 29 at 1:44 PM

JJ

Janet Jai posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. I knew Barry through Pittsburgh Poetry Exchange meetings. He was a good person, and I am sorry he has moved on. Blessings to you all, Janet Jai

November 23 at 2:35 PM

AW

Arlene Weiner posted:

I'm sad to hear of Barry's death. He was a gentle and intelligent member of the Pittsburgh Poetry Exchange and we've missed him and his poetry in the past year or so.

November 23 at 12:17 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Barry by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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