



Andrew David Panichelle Sr.

June 11, 1980 - May 16, 2017

Andrew (Andy) Panichelle was born in Latrobe, PA on June 11, 1980 to the late Mary Ann Rodkey (d. 2016) and David Panichelle, and grew up in Pennsville, NJ. Andy graduated from Pennsville Memorial High School in 1998 and recently resided in Newark, DE.

Andy is survived by his devoted girlfriend of 10 years, Jessica Knowles and their son, Drew. He is preceded in death by his mother, Mary Ann Rodkey of Wilmington, DE and by his sister, Katie Panichelle (d. 2017) of Devon, England, and survived by his father, David Panichelle of Wilmington, DE; a sister, Amy (Ken) Seitel of Fairfield, CT; a multitude of loving aunts, uncles and cousins; four nephews; one niece; and an abundance of long-time friends.

Andy worked at Clark & Sons in Newport, DE as a garage door mechanic; at Mesco in Thorofare, NJ as a forklift operator; at M&S Painting, in DE as a painter; and at M&M Sporting Clays in Pennsville, NJ, which he enjoyed the most of all his jobs and was known for his efficiency and professionalism.

Andy enjoyed fishing with his son, fly fishing with his father, hunting, shooting sporting clays, camping and spending time at the beach; and he loved watching the Pittsburgh Steelers. Andy perhaps had one of the largest collections of 59FIFTY hats in the tri-state area (at least one to match every

outfit), rivaled only by his vast collection of lighters which were gifted to him by his close friends and family over the years.

Andy cherished the time he spent with his immediate family and his extended family in PA. The highest points and proudest moments during Andy's life were with his loving girlfriend, Jessica and their son, Drew. Andy's final wish was to give the gift of life through the donation of multiple organs.

A viewing will be held Sunday evening from 6 to 8 PM and Monday morning from 10 to 11 AM in the Ashcraft Funeral Home, 740 S. Broadway, Pennsville, NJ where a funeral service will be held at 11 AM. Burial will be private.

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY **21.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Ashcraft Funeral Home (PV)
740 S. Broadway
Pennsville, NJ 08070
(856) 299-3366
ashcraftfuneralhomes@gmail.com

Viewing

MAY **22.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

MAY **22.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Andrew David Panichelle Sr..*



May 20, 2017 at 03:32 PM



“ *Cathy lit a candle in memory of Andrew David Panichelle Sr.*



Cathy - May 20, 2017 at 12:07 PM



Rip Andy...You will be missed by many people...Cathy Harvey Jessicas Aunt

Cathy - May 20, 2017 at 12:09 PM



“ *Peggy Moore lit a candle in memory of Andrew David Panichelle Sr.*



peggy moore - May 20, 2017 at 10:18 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Andrew David Panichelle Sr..*



May 20, 2017 at 07:44 AM

TP

“ A friend of mine posted this earlier today and I wanted to share it. I will truly miss my cousin Andy.

-Tim Powell

Death is nothing at all.

It does not count.

I have only slipped away into the next room.

Nothing has happened.

Everything remains exactly as it was.

I am I, and you are you,

*and the old life that we lived so fondly together is untouched,
unchanged.*

Whatever we were to each other, that we are still.

Call me by the old familiar name.

Speak of me in the easy way which you always used.

Put no difference into your tone.

Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow.

*Laugh as we always laughed at the little jokes that we enjoyed
together.*

Play, smile, think of me, pray for me.

Let my name be ever the household word that it always was.

*Let it be spoken without an effort, without the ghost of a shadow
upon it.*

Life means all that it ever meant.

It is the same as it ever was.

There is absolute and unbroken continuity.

What is this death but a negligible accident?

Why should I be out of mind because I am out of sight?

*I am but waiting for you, for an interval,
somewhere very near,*

just round the corner.

All is well.

Nothing is hurt; nothing is lost.

One brief moment and all will be as it was before.

How we shall laugh at the trouble of parting when we meet again!

~ Henry Scott-Holland

Tim Powell - May 20, 2017 at 12:06 AM



I love this..so beautiful..and so sorry for your loss

Ranee Maurer - May 20, 2017 at 02:04 AM



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DH

“*I've known Andy since elementary school. We worked together at M and M throwing trap and stocking fields with pheasant. Went on countless camping trips to just about every trout stream in Pa every summer as kids. Worked for days building deer stands only for Anthony to make us take them down. We rode our bikes to Mcgills bbq and all over Penn Beach. I will miss the guy dearly.*

Dan Houtz - May 19, 2017 at 07:51 PM

AS

Thanks for sharing your memories, Dan.

Amy Panichelle Seitel - May 19, 2017 at 08:24 PM



JayAmerica
Freedom

Andy has been my brother since the day I met him. He was not only my older brother but he was my nephew's father and my sister's world. I couldn't have asked for a better person to be in our families' lives. From living together in Pinebrook to fishing down the beach, Andy it was a pleasure. I will forever miss you. I will be rooting for you boys this season, but we both know the dolphins are the better team!! Love you brother #steelernation

JayAmerica Freedom - May 19, 2017 at 08:38 PM



AS



Amy Panichelle Seitel - May 19, 2017 at 10:38 PM



DM

It's been a very sad NE Regional without Andy. His smile and friendly outgoing personality made everyone enjoy shooting his 5 stand. Filling Andy's shoes this week has been a challenge. He always held a soft spot in my heart for his endless hours he would help me with Anthony and Michael years ago. Rest In Peace Sweet Andy

Donna Matarese - May 20, 2017 at 11:12 AM



JS

Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to Andrew's family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We hope the wonderful memories of Andy give you peace. JoEmma and Steve Sauer.

JoEmma Sauer - May 22, 2017 at 07:42 AM