



Richard Patrick "Pat" Brown

March 9, 1969 - June 24, 2025

Richard Patrick "Pat" Brown, 56 of Lancaster passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday afternoon, June 24, 2025 while arriving to work. Born on March 9, 1969 in Lancaster, he was the son of the late Richard C. Brown and Sandra Stamm Baker. He was the husband of Tracy L. Fissel-Brown, with whom he married on December 17, 2017.

Pat was currently working as a bar tender for the Alert Club in Lancaster. He absolutely loved his job and being among his friends and his customers. He enjoyed life and hardly anything ever bothered him. He had worked for Mt. Airy Lumber and Century Spouting in earlier years. He was a member of the Sons Squadron of the former Lancaster AMVETS Post 19, where he had held the State President office.

He enjoyed fishing, spending time with his grandchildren and a true Eagles and Flyers fan.

Pat will be deeply missed by his wife, Tracy L. Fissel-Brown of Lancaster; son, Garrett E. Brown of Conestoga; daughters, Amanda Brown and Shelby Brown, both of Elizabethtown; brother, David C. Brown, companion of Donna Darrenkamp of Millsboro, DE and his sisters, Ann Marie Fetter of York, Shree, wife of Christopher Shrom of Leola and Christina Bake of Birmingham, NY. He is also survived by his step children, Aleesha Westfall, wife of Perry Lefever of Nottingham; Brittany, wife of Anthony Eager of Mountville and Dakoda,

husband of Cristen Westfall of Peach Bottom and his grandchildren, Perry, Camila, Bjorn, Eva and Emelia. He was preceded in death by his stepson, Shane Tavella.

Family and friends are invited to attend Pat's Celebration of Life Gathering on Saturday, July 12, 2025 beginning at Noon at the Alert Club, 762 Crystal Street, Lancaster. Please wear Eagles colors in memory of Pat.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 12. 12:00 PM (ET)

Alert Club
762 Crystal Street
Lancaster, PA 17602

Please wear Eagles colors in memory of Pat

Tribute Wall

SB

“ When I met him he was super sweet and helpful. He and his wife helped me with get important information and it forever changed my life. I'm sorry to hear that he has passed from our presence. He is not forgotten. God bless the family and loved ones mourning his loss.



Sarah Bedi - October 15, 2025 at 10:56 AM

BA

“ Wow Pat was 1 great guy always positive had a huge personality strong presence at the AMVETS. Rest in peace Pat. 🙏
Many will miss you.

Bob Abel - July 02, 2025 at 10:27 AM

MS

“ What I will miss the most about Pat is when my husband and I will walk into the alert doors and I mean every time. Pat will yell from the top of his lungs DJ GIL IS IN TUE HOUSE, DJ GIL IS HERE. He did that for the last 5 years. Damn he will definitely be miss. We love you.

misty sanchez - July 02, 2025 at 08:58 AM

DM

“Pat, Thank you for 20+ years of friendship. Your big personality was hard to resist! We could always count on you for a helping hand, and you never failed to make those around you laugh. We hold so many wonderful memories in our hearts, from workplace antics to home improvement to the Shrek soundtrack on constant repeat... what else can we say except Gadzooks - say hi to Mooks! And keep on making people smile from up above. Love from "Big D," "Miss Linda," and "Hale-Bop." McClain”

Dave McClain - July 01, 2025 at 10:24 PM

KS

“ Met him as part of the AMVETS family- what a hoot!

karin simmons - June 29, 2025 at 09:37 PM



“ Met Pat at the end of last year bartender turned friend therapist it hasn't been a year yet and I felt comfortable to talk with you and I know for a fact it was mutual. You touched a lot of people's ❤️ wish I had more time to spend but you definitely left and amazing impact farewell friend 💋

Tynia Sunshyne Cooke - June 29, 2025 at 08:24 PM

CP

“ Pat was a very kind, loving, caring man. He was always making everyone smile. also a great friend. i will miss him dearly. Rest in Peace my friend!! Im glad he was my friend my big bro!

Ché Pérez - June 29, 2025 at 06:57 PM

GA

“ *I got to know Pat thru AMVETS. He was all for veterans.
Friendly man who made me laugh a lot. I am glad our
paths crossed in life.*
PNC Gary Fry

gary - June 29, 2025 at 02:36 PM