



Lawrence Wayne Nau

December 12, 1945 - July 3, 2025

Lawrence Wayne Nau, known to all as Wayne, of Southampton, NJ, passed away peacefully at his residence surrounded by his loving family on July 3, 2025. He was 79 years old.

Wayne was born December 12, 1945, in Trenton, NJ and was raised in Hightstown, where he graduated from Hightstown High School. Wayne attended West Virginia University. After college, he went on to work as an English teacher in the Bridgeton School District briefly before starting at Shawnee High School, in 1970 when the new school opened. Wayne taught at Shawnee until his retirement in 2004. During his teaching career, Wayne was also the head tennis coach, retiring with over 500 wins, several awards, and being inducted into the New Jersey Athletic Hall of Fame. During his coaching career he was featured twice nationally in USA Today for coaching. In addition to teaching Wayne also worked weekend and summers as a gas attendant on New Jersey Turnpike to help enrich the lives of his family. After retirement, Wayne loved to travel with his beloved wife Barbara. The two saw the world together and loved going on cruises. Wayne will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Wayne is survived by his beloved wife Barbara, his sons Chris of Philadelphia, PA, Pat (Fiona) of Queens, NY, Phillip of Jersey City, NJ, and his grandchildren Darius and Stefan.

A viewing for Wayne will be held on Friday July 11, 2025, from 5-7pm and Saturday July 12, 2025, from 9:30-11am at Perinchief Chapels, 438 High

Street, Mount Holly, NJ 08060.

Previous Events

Viewing

JUL **11.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Nina Bonyak purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Lawrence Wayne Nau.*



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“ *Nina Bonyak planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lawrence Wayne Nau.*

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