

MAYER FONER



Mayer Foner, 80, of New Cumberland, PA, passed away Tuesday, November 14, 2023.

Mayer was born March 16, 1943, in Pittsburgh, PA, the son of the late Rose Kaufman and Joseph N. Foner. He graduated from Concord College and earned a Master's in Education from Penn State. Mayer had a long, storied, and fulfilling life, and the list of his passions was as long as it was impressive. At

various points in his life, he was a vendor at baseball games, a community organizer, entrepreneur, a teacher, a game store owner and game convention organizer, a local historian, and a candidate for elected office (Mayor and School Board). He also loved to read, work on puzzles, watch movies and TV, make jokes, watch sports, connect with the community, play tennis, and read and teach history, especially civil rights. He was particularly proud of his time as a VISTA/Teacher Corps volunteer and starred in a nationally televised PSA for the program.

He is survived by his sons, Joe and Carl; and his brother, Martin. In lieu of a funeral, there will be a celebration of life on Saturday, December 16, 2023, at 27 Colgate Dr., Camp Hill, PA. Feel free to contact his sons at joefoner1@gmail.com for details. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society and the Pajaro Valley Sunrise Center.

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