

# JOSEPH "SPIKE" BARCA



Joseph Barca, 54, of Hays, passed away on May 1, 2024, surrounded by his family. Joseph worked at the University of Pittsburgh for 36 years. He loved working outside, and chopping wood for his wood burner.

He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Gertrude Barca, and father-in-law, Bill Allison.

A loving husband and father, Joe is survived by his wife, Trudy; and sons, Joseph, Jacob, and Justin. He will be dearly missed by his siblings, John (Mary), Edward (Muffie), Susan (the late Michael), and Carol (Rick); mother-in-law, Jennifer (Bill); sister-in-law, Tracy (the late Clint); and his many nieces and nephews.

A Memorial Service will be held at **JEFFERSON MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME**, on Thursday, May 9, 2024, at 12 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Family Hospice Foundation at [UPMC.com/FamilyHospiceDonate](https://UPMC.com/FamilyHospiceDonate).

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