



It is with great sadness that I am writing to you to inform you that long-time member, and former Board Member, Peter Caroe has passed. He had been visiting his daughter Pia, for the Mother's Day weekend. After a stroke Saturday the 13th of May; he was hospitalized. His children, Pia and Per, their spouses, children and cousins sat with him over the next few days till he passed on 17<sup>th</sup> May 2017.

Peter was a fixture in the Danish and Scandinavian communities for decades as the proprietor of the Nordic House; which his daughter Pia now owns and runs. Peter liked to joke that he was part of almost all the Scandinavian Clubs and Societies in the Greater Bay Area; sitting on most of their Boards at one time or another. Peter was also on the Board and Auxiliary for Aldersly, where he lived his final years.

Peter is survived by his children Per and Pia, their spouses Denise and Arve; and his six grandchildren - Thor Erik Caroe, Henrik Peter Caroe, Kai Friðik Caroe, Kristian Caroe Klausen, Courtney Caroe Klausen and Tyler Caroe Klausen.

His passing is a great loss, not only to his family, but also to the greater Danish and Scandinavian Communities, he so enjoyed here in the SF Bay Area. Our thoughts go out to his family and friends.