



Charles James Daley

August 31, 2023

Charles James Daley, age 62, passed away peacefully at his home in Sarasota, Florida on August 31st, 2023. Charles was born in Brooklyn, New York, the son of the late Charles James Daley and Marie Catherine (Schroeder) Daley. Charles is survived by his siblings Peter (Nadia) Daley, Rosemary (Tom) Janz, Ellen (Steven) Schulz, Paul (Lisa) Daley and Mary Jean (Victor) Rivera. Charles was an adored uncle, and great-uncle, to many whom he loved fiercely, with a large extended family from coast to coast.

The Daley family relocated from New York to Itasca, Illinois in 1967. Charles was a class of 1979 graduate of Lake Park High School in Roselle, Illinois, and attended Illinois State University.

Charles was a thirty-year employee of the FedEx Corporation and had the opportunity to relocate to the places he loved: Miami and Sarasota, Florida. Charles created many friendships with coworkers and customers alike, as he had never met a stranger. Charles retired from FedEx in 2020. He was a master joke teller and always had an interesting story for every occasion. Charles had an active, curious mind providing him with a wealth of knowledge in many areas. As a result, he was also an avid and valued participant in his local pub's trivia league.

Charles had a love for the water and sailing and was a member at the Miami

Yacht Club. Charles always enjoyed a day out on the sea. Charles was also a proud member of the renowned South Florida Emerald Society since 2008.

His family will be hosting a celebration of Charles's life on October 14 from 5-8pm at Food+Beer, 5446 Fruitville Rd. Sarasota, Florida. There will also be a memorial in Illinois at a later date.

Charles was an active volunteer in his community with the local food pantry and The American Red Cross hurricane recovery efforts, so please consider a donation to your local food pantry or the American Red Cross in his memory.

Previous Events

A Celebration of Life

OCT **14**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Food + Beer
5446 Fruitville Rd
Sarasota, FL

Tribute Wall

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“ Back in the 90's, Chuck rented a room from me at my home in Miami. We lived together for 3 years. He always made me laugh. He commented on how quiet the house was on Friday nights. Since we both worked full-time at Fed Ex, we were worn out! But Saturday was a different story. It was fun to hear his jokes as we both prepared to party on Saturday nights. What a nice guy!!!

Katy Brown - October 14, 2023 at 03:36 PM

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“ I know you call him Charles but we knew him as Chuck at FedEx and he was a valued worker and co worker, and represented FedEx the way I know they valued as well. Loved his sense of humor and as expected, so did his regular customers! Whenever we were hammered with freight and I met him to help out on the route he would give me a heads up on everything about the people on his route. He knew them well and they looked forward to seeing him... that's someone who is excellent as his job. He will be missed by many here in Sarasota.

Betsy - October 04, 2023 at 12:10 AM