



Daniel J. Coakley

November 20, 1932 - May 28, 2017

Daniel J. Coakley of Sarasota, Florida passed away on May 28, 2017 at home.

Dan was born November 20, 1932 to Helena and Jerome Coakley in Dorchester, Ma. He was adored by his late older siblings Kay and Gerry. Following his graduation from Boston College High School he enlisted in the United States Air Force during the Korean War. Dan proudly served his country as an Airborne Radio Operator from 1950-1956. Upon his honorable discharge Dan enrolled at Boston University on the GI Bill and worked full time. There he earned a BA in Industrial Engineering. He went on to receive an MBA from Boston College while raising a young family. Dan had a very successful and noteworthy career in the pharmaceutical industry retiring from Pfizer in 2000. But most important to Dan was his family.

He is survived by his children Laura Coakley (Ron Vogel), Martha Coakley and Dan Coakley (Mary) and their mother Lorraine. He was especially proud of his grandchildren Justin, Jillian, Connor, Erin, Maura, Reid and Natalie. Dan is survived by his companion Francesca Beals.

Dan was a very generous and loving man who was a great influence on multiple generations of Coakleys/ Mahoneys. He leaves behind numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews as well as a great great niece and

nephew.

In lieu of flowers Dan requested that donations be made to Tidewell Hospice, Philanthropic Department, 5955 Rand Blvd, Sarasota Fla 34238 or GivetoTidewell.org. Or because of his love and country and the pride he took in serving his country donations can also be made to the Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 State Road 72, Sarasota, Fla 34242 or any other veterans organization of your choosing.

Dan's family is tremendously grateful for the care he received at Sarasota Bay Club. And especially his two Hospice nurses Stacey and Diana.

Toale Brothers Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements.

A Committal Service will be held at the Sarasota National Cemetery at 9810 State Road 72 (Clark Rd) in Sarasota on Monday June 5, 2017 at 2 pm.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Sorry to hear of the loss of your father. I will keep you in my prayers. Godspeed and tailwinds.*

Tim Nash - June 10, 2017 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ *To Fran and family Sorry for your loss. Wanda/ Marathon Housekeeping*

Wanda Meador - June 09, 2017 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Your dad was a great man. He was always very good to me. I especially remember hanging out in his townhouse in Norwalk. I also appreciated his generosity in hooking us up with celtics/knicks tickets, those were good times. It was also so nice to see him the past few years in Rhode Island. Again, my deepest sympathies, love*
Marc Hebert

Marc Hebert - June 04, 2017 at 12:00 AM