



John W. (Jack) Klyn

February 15, 2018

John W. Klyn (Jack), 84, died February 15, 2018 with his wife by his side at their home in Sarasota, Florida.

He leaves his wife of 41 years, Judith A. (Krall) Klyn; his son, Robert W. Klyn (Mary Ann); his daughter, Deborah K. Tomazin (Barry); his daughter, Mary Katherine Mager; his daughter, Maureen A. Zika (Jeff); his son Matthew J. Klyn (Elizabeth); his step-daughters Cheryl A. Tattonetti, Angela M. Untisz, Christine A. Untisz (deceased), Catherine J. Iovine (Mike); sixteen grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his brother Gerard C. Klyn (Jerry) and his sister Carol Anne Klyn (Sister Mary Claudia).

Born and raised in Mentor, Ohio, the son of Gerard K. and Alice (Johnson) Klyn, he was a longtime resident of Perry, Ohio before moving to Sarasota, Florida. From a young age, Jack was involved in the family's businesses, Gerard K. Klyn Nurseries, Inc. and Klyn's Garden Center, in Mentor Ohio. He graduated from Gilmour Academy High School in 1951, he attended The University of Notre Dame. After serving in the Army, Jack returned home to raise a family and work alongside his father and brother. In the mid 1960's Jack moved the mentor based nursery to Perry Ohio, where he continued the business as Owner and President of Klyn Nurseries, Inc. until his death.

Those who knew him, knew he had beautiful baby-blue eyes, a wonderful sense of humor, a kind heart and could whip up a mean breakfast at the drop of a hat.

He will be truly missed.

A funeral mass will be held at the Epiphany Cathedral in Venice, Florida at 10:00 a.m. on February 22.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations in his memory to the Ursuline Sisters of Cleveland, 2600 Lander Road, Pepper Pike, Ohio 44124. Phone: (440) 449-1200.

Tribute Wall

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“ Please accept my prayers and sympathy at this difficult time. As an Ursuline Sister for over 50 years, I remember the kindness and support of the Klyn family for Sister Claudia and her many ministries. May God continue to bless you.

Sister Elaine Berkopec - June 05, 2024 at 06:56 AM

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“ God Bless and Thank YOU, Jack for your service..RIP.. And Semper Fi... Soldier.



Herb Guyer-Sharfenaker USMCR - February 21, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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JF

“ Jack,

You always welcomed everyone into your home and heart. Rest In Peace my friend and brother in law.

Joe Konecny and family - February 21, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Very sorry for your loss, sending thoughts and prayers.* ”



Elgin Family - February 19, 2018 at 12:00 AM