



## Jan L. Kennedy

February 21, 1938 - March 12, 2022

Jan L. Kennedy, 84, of Ft. Myers, Florida, passed away, surrounded by his wife and son on March 12, 2022. Jan had a difficult time with diabetes and Parkinson's diseases and is finally at peace..

Jan was born on February 21, 1938, in Columbus, Ohio. After graduating from South High School, he went on to study accounting at The Ohio State University. He was always a proud Bulldog and Buckeye! After OSU graduation he landed his first job with Deloitte. He went on to The Palm Beach Post, Cox Enterprises, Inc.

Jan was an avid reader who enjoyed fishing/lobster diving with his family, traveling, walking on the beach with Judy, and was always attune to the stock market. Jan was predeceased by his parents, John and Grace Kennedy, his brother, Jack Kennedy, Gwen (Reed) Kennedy, and brother in law, John Reed. He is survived by his wife Julia (Judy Maxwell) Kennedy; his sons, Michael (Tracey), Douglas (Caroline), and John; his 5 grandchildren, Colby (Sara), Kayley, Ayden, Summer, and Colton; 1 great grandchild, Greyson; Judy's family, Cathy (Chris) Masters, Denice (Mark) Meadows, grandchildren, Anna (Nathan) Brummel, Collin (Kristi) Masters, Eric (Taylor) Meadows, Cody (Colleen) Masters, Kurt (Jill) Meadows and 9 great grandchildren. Sister in laws, Sue Kennedy, Sue Reed, Karen Maxwell, many nieces and nephews and many wonderful friends and caregivers.

There will be a CELEBRATION OF LIFE at St. Columbkille Catholic Parish, 12171 Iona Road; Fort Myers, FL. 33908

on FRIDAY, MAY 6, 2022 AT 11:00 A.M.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Jan's name to Hope Hospice, 9470 Health Park Circle, Fort Myers, FL 33908; American Diabetes Assoc., PO Box 7017, Merrifield, VA. 22116; or Parkinson's Foundation, PO Box 6003, Albert Lea, MN. 56007

He will be forever loved and remembered.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Jan L. Kennedy*

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM

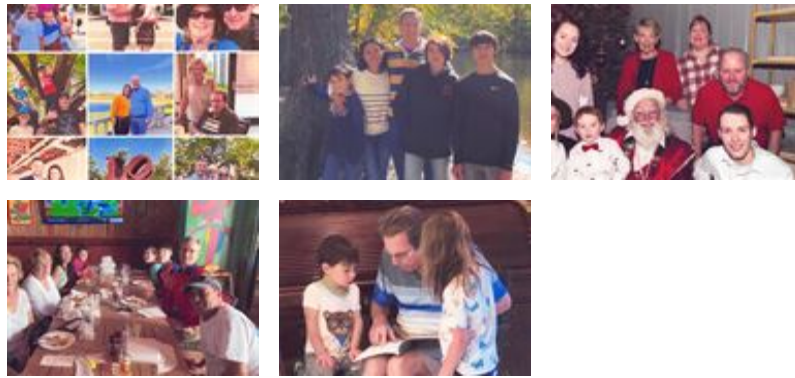


“ *Jan L. Kennedy*

January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM



“ *59 files added to the album LifeTributes*



**Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services Inc.** - April 08, 2022 at 11:55 AM

SR

*Such beautiful memories.* ❤️

**Sue Reed** - May 02, 2022 at 12:50 PM

AD

“ So many wonderful memories of Jan and Roy working together at Palm Beach Newspapers, Cox Enterprises and of course, Davidson, Kennedy & Associates. Always lots of laughter when the two were in the same room. And, now they are once again . . .

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**Alyson Davidson** - March 31, 2022 at 02:56 PM

JM

“ We were in Indian Guides in the early 80's. All the best to you.  
Jim McCann

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**Jim McCann** - March 31, 2022 at 02:23 PM

SG

“ We spent so many good times with Jan and Judy in Florida. Our New Years Eve tradition was so precious to us. We hurried back from Columbus to share with him his favorite crab claws and good times. A dear friend who will be sadly missed.

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**Susan and Bill Gillam** - March 24, 2022 at 11:00 AM

SR

“ So many memories of laughter, fun, and family togetherness surface as the sadness of his death hits my heart. Precious times. Precious family. Rest In Peace, Jan. ❤️ P.S. give Gwen a big hug from me & both of you look down on Judy & me as we continue on the path we started so long ago.

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**Sue Reed** - March 21, 2022 at 09:31 PM

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“ Sue Reed lit a candle in memory of Jan L. Kennedy



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**Sue Reed** - March 21, 2022 at 09:17 PM

ES

“ The best people in my world attended South High School Columbus Ohio. I treasure my sweet memories forever. May God comfort and give you peace. Love, Elona Sabo

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**Elona Sabo** - March 18, 2022 at 07:28 PM

TA

So sad to read Jan's obit today. Tom and i have memories of fun times with the family in NPB. He and Tom shared the love of being CPA's, Kiwanis members and just being great fathers! love to all!  
Tom and Martha Andres

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**Tom and Martha Andres** - April 01, 2022 at 08:28 AM