



George Francis Kane

September 10, 1937 - May 9, 2015

George Francis Kane died at Hospice House, Stuart, FL on May 9, 2015.

Captain Kane was born in New Haven, CT on September 10, 1937 to Dorothy Moore and George F. Kane, Sr. He attended Pelham Memorial High School and the University of Notre Dame. He joined the Navy and was designated a Naval Aviator in 1960. During his service George was carrier based and flew attack aircraft. Afterward he joined United Air Lines where he was a pilot, flight manager and finally Chief Pilot and Acceptance Pilot for the Boeing 767.

United was the first airline to buy this plane which had the first 'glass' cockpit. Bypass surgery in 1984 prevented him from flying but he continued his career in aviation with Cockpit Resource Management; Vice President of Aviation Training for the Control Data Corporation; Corporate Vice President and Board Member of The Roach Organization; Director of International Airline Training Center.

George lived in Pelham, NY for 50 years and served in many volunteer capacities there. In 1997 he retired to Turtle Creek in Tequesta, FL. and was an avid golfer at both the Pelham Country Club and Tequesta Country Club. Surviving are his wife of 52 years, Emily Jansen Kane; three daughters, Elizabeth Kane and Emily (Mark) Mather of Pelham, NY and Nancy Howard of Lynchburg, VA; five grandchildren, Matthew, Elizabeth and Jennifer Mather and William and Emily Howard.

The family will be at home May 15, 2015 from 4 to 6 PM. A memorial service will be held at Christ Church, Pelham, NY at Noon on June 27, 2015.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Treasure Coast Hospice or the charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall



“ *George Francis Kane*

October 22, 2023 at 10:17 AM



“ *Dear Emily & Family, My deepest sympathy for the loss of your dear husband George.
Although my words cannot ease your pain, if you keep his memory alive in your heart, he will always be with you.*

Bea Cooper - St Lucie West, FL - Fellow FFGC Judge, - May 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

Christine and Phil Biscoglio - Wellington, Florida, FL - Friend - Fellow Judge - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry to hear the sad news about George. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this difficult time*

Venetia Heintz - Garrison, NY - friend - May 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM