



John A. Casey

September 12, 1927 - March 26, 2014

John (Jack) A. Casey, Jupiter, FL

Casey, John Arthur, 86, of Jupiter, FL and Osterville, MA (formerly of Westwood, MA), passed away peacefully on March 26, 2014.

Born in Dorchester, MA on September 12, 1927, he was the son of the late Daniel and Anne (Cain) Casey, the brother of the late Joseph and Robert Casey, and the late Helen (Casey) O'Neill. He went to Boston College High School, joined the Navy in 1945, and graduated from Boston College in 1951.

Jack is survived by his beloved wife of 54 years, Ann (Wenstrup) Casey, from Huntington Valley, PA, their five children, and twenty-one grandchildren: Maura and her husband John O'Brien of Westwood, MA and their children Connaught, Jill, Sara, Aimee, Ian and Emmett; Daniel and his wife Lisa (Foppiano) Casey of Weston, MA and their children Camille, Mia, Natalie and Juliet; Beth and her husband Steve Koertje of Easton, MA and their children Meredith, Steven and Jack; Pamela and her husband Bill Crabtree of Medfield, MA and their children William, Caroline, Molly, Kevin and Steven; Julie and her husband Paul Kennedy of Medfield, MA and their children Maria, Annie and Christopher.

Jack spent a dedicated career in the industrial safety equipment business. He

began as a salesman for Granet Glove Co. and ended his career as President and CEO of WGM Safety Corporation. Jack was responsible for some important innovations, including a program to build hand-safety awareness that was adopted by many leading corporations. WGM Safety Corp. is now owned by the Honeywell Corporation.

Jack served on the Board of Directors of the National Safety Council for 20 years.

He was President of the Work Glove Manufacturers Association, and President of the International Safety Equipment Association and Distinguished Award Recipient. In 1993, the National Industrial Glove Distributors Association inducted him into its Hall of Fame.

Jack was a member of Jonathan's Landing Golf Club in Jupiter, FL and Oyster Harbors Golf Club in Osterville, MA. He was also a member and past President of Woodland Golf Club in Auburndale, MA. Jack was past President of the New England Senior Golfers Association and founder of the NESGA Scholarship within the Francis Quimet Scholarship Fund. The scholarship has been renamed in his honor.

In lieu of flowers, please send your remembrance to the "Jack Casey NESGA Scholarship within the Francis Quimet Scholarship Fund", 300 Arnold Palmer Boulevard, Norton, MA 02766, or to the charity of your choice.

Visiting hours will be held on Friday, March 28th from 4:00pm – 8:00pm at Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home, 250 Center Street, Jupiter, FL. The funeral service will be held at 11:30am on Saturday, March 29th at St. Patrick Church, 13591 Prosperity Farms Rd., Palm Beach Gardens, FL.

Tribute Wall



“ *John A. Casey*

October 22, 2023 at 10:17 AM



“ *Edna and I have just learned of Jack`spassing and want to extend our deepest sympathy to Ann and your entire family.I worked closely with Jack from 1974 to1993 at ISEA, and became very fond of him. He was a great human being. Frank Wilcher*

Frank Wilcher - Hilton Head Island, SC - April 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am saddened by the loss of Uncle Jack, and smile as I remember the many happy times spent on Cape Cod with him, Aunt Ann and my wonderful cousins! My thoughts are with you all and I send hugs your way.*

*Much Love,
Janet*

Janet Allman - North Wales, PA - Niece - April 08, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are extended to the Casey family, with love and good memories our condolences.*

Brian Wenstrup - Ivyland, PA - Nephew - April 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ C. H. Powell Company expresses its gratitude to Jack's family for his ten years of service as a company Director. A generation of Powells received its first exposure to sound business management from Jack, who deftly exerted his influence and imparted his vast knowledge in a nuanced family environment. His impact is still felt more than a decade later. He will be sorely missed.

*With Appreciation,
The Powells*

C. H. Powell Company - Canton, MA - Bus. Colleague & Family Friend - April 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ To All the Casey Family, We are all so sorry to hear about your dad passing. He was such a wonderful man and always so giving to everyone. He was so kind to Gretchen and I. Our thoughts and prayers are with you always. Love Karen and Gretchen Synk

A friend - April 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ I first met Jack when he was a supplier to our company, Safety Supply Canada and later, as a golfing partner during my family vacations to Jupiter where Jack spent his winters. Each March when I came to visit my in-laws we always managed to get in a few games on the links as Jack loved the game immensely, not to mention the spirit of competition. When I think of Jack one word comes to mindclass. Jack had it. He was very well respected in our industry and was an excellent role model for those of us coming into the business in his footsteps. Funny, but I was just down in Jupiter a few weeks ago visiting my wife's parents, and looked to see if I could see Jack and Ann in church but did not see them. I commented at the time to my wife that I wondered how Jack and Ann are doing and if they were even still in Jupiter. He will be missed by many.

Larry Kilian - Pittsburgh, PA - Business Associate and Friend - March 31, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ JACK:
FRIEND, CLASSMATE, NEIGHBOR: A GOOD MAN.
MAY HE REST IN PEACE,

Jim Derba - Lexington, MA - Friend, Clasmate - March 30, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ so sorry to hear of the loss of a wonderful man. mr. casey's smile always lit up a room. we will miss him and our thoughts and prayers are with you all. fondly, jenn and tim drain

A friend - March 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ To all of the Casey's, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. I have such fond memories of the early years at Woodland. What a great man and a great family! Love to all you! Diane Mccafferty

A friend - March 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ To Jack Casey's family: I met Jack over 20 years ago thru golf at JL and we both played at least every Monday with the Art Howard group. He was a friendly man and we maintained a good relationship since day one. He always had a smile and showed unusual fortitude in his dealing with his declining health. He was a class act.
My sincere condolences.

*Sam Blumenthal*QQMt7

Sam Blumenthal - Jupiter, FL - JL friend - March 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM