



Gordon "Jerry" Gluesenkamp

January 10, 1945 - February 29, 2020

Gordon "Jerry" Gluesenkamp, age 75, passed away on February 29, 2020 in Tallahassee, Florida. He was born in South Charleston, West Virginia to parents Gordon J. Gluesenkamp, Sr. and Demarius Dobson Gluesenkamp.

Jerry has lived in North Florida since childhood, in both Tallahassee and Saint Teresa. He was a National Guard veteran as well as a licensed contractor, entrepreneur, and investor specializing in real estate. He served many roles throughout his lifetime: President of Florida Home Builders of Tallahassee, board member of First South Bank (previously Andrew Jackson), advisory board member of Vineyard Capital Partners LLC and previous member of Tallahassee 100 Club. Jerry was an artisan craftsman and loved woodworking in his leisure time. He also enjoyed hunting, fishing, and hosting his family and friends at his house in Saint Teresa. No matter what Jerry was doing at any given time he always had his beloved dogs, Mr. Blu and Waylon, happily by his side. He is remembered as an enthusiastic storyteller, a friend everyone was lucky to have, and the loving patriarch of his family.

Jerry is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Josephine Douglas Gluesenkamp; his sons, Ben Gluesenkamp and Jack Gluesenkamp; his grandchildren Emory Gluesenkamp and Bennett Gluesenkamp; his siblings Judith K. Gluesenkamp and Jon Mark Gluesenkamp; and many nephews, nieces, and cousins whom he loved dearly.

Memorial services will be held at Bevis Funeral Home of Tallahassee on Monday, March 9, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. with a reception to follow.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Gluesenkamp Student Athlete Fund in care of Maclay School: 3737 North Meridian Rd. Tallahassee, Florida 32312.

Breanna Green of Bevis Funeral Home is assisting the family with their arrangements. (850-385-2193 or www.bevisfh.com)

Cemetery Details

MeadowWood Memorial Park

700 Timberlane Rd.
Tallahassee, FL 32312

Previous Events

Memorial Service

MAR 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory
200 John Knox Rd
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 385-2193

Reception

MAR 9. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LR

“ *Dear Josephine,*

Please know we are so sorry to learn of Jerry's passing. Through the years so many memories. Our hearts and prayers are with you and the family.

*Love, Lois and Jim Tatum
Loisanne, Laurie and Lee*

Loisanne Robins - March 07, 2020 at 02:53 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Gordon "Jerry" Gluesenkamp.*



March 06, 2020 at 07:59 PM

LG

“ *Lisa Graganella purchased the Divine Light for the family of Gordon "Jerry" Gluesenkamp.*



Lisa Graganella - March 05, 2020 at 06:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Gordon "Jerry" Gluesenkamp.*



March 05, 2020 at 05:40 PM



“ , *When Rob married Lesley, he inherited the most wonderful, loving family in the whole world and that included the Gluesenkamp family! We send our most loving prayers that the special memories of the joy you shared will bring you peace and comfort during this sad time.*

Janelle and Bob Proctoe - March 05, 2020 at 04:24 PM



“ *Al Deeb,Rania,Ragda,Elias and Rami purchased the The Endless Sky Spray for the family of Gordon "Jerry" Gluesenkamp.*



Al Deeb,Rania,Ragda,Elias and Rami - March 04, 2020 at 10:57 PM



“ *Louis and Becky Martin purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Gordon "Jerry" Gluesenkamp.*



Louis and Becky Martin - March 03, 2020 at 05:07 PM

DC

“ Dear Jo and family,
We were so sad to learn of Jerry passing away. Just wanted you to know that all of you are in our thoughts and prayers as you go through this very difficult time. Dick considered him a very dear friend, and has so many special memories of times spent with him that will be treasured.
May God bless and comfort all of you.
Dick and Karyl Cochran

Dick and Karyl Cochran - March 03, 2020 at 10:17 AM

DH

“ I have such fond memories of Jerry. I knew him to be a devoted, generous and caring father to his boys. Growing up with Ben and spending countless hours on the baseball field together, I never knew his dad to miss a ballgame. Whether it was Fall, Winter, Spring or Summer. Whether it was a home game, at Maclay, or a game on the road, Jerry and Jo were always there...literally, always. Jerry had a kindness that made Ben's teammates feel as if they were sons of his own. I remember his laugh and his sense of humor distinctly. Jerry had a great, everlasting impact on me as a boy and a young adult and I consider myself so fortunate to have had him in my life.

Donald Herndon - March 03, 2020 at 09:35 AM

SW

“ Dear Mrs Jo I'm so sorry about Mr Jerry he was a sweet wonderful person & will be missed terribly. My thoughts & prays are with you pleaser let me know if there's anything I can do for you. 🥹❤️🙏



Suprena Wilson - March 02, 2020 at 03:19 PM

ES

“ I had the privilege to work for Jerr & Jo at his St.Teresa home. He was generous, kind hilarious & most of all a friend to Steve & I



Elma & Steve - March 02, 2020 at 03:16 PM

MB

“ We are so, so sorry for your loss. Mark and Barbra Boutin



Mark Boutin - March 02, 2020 at 01:04 PM

JM

“ We're deeply saddened by the loss of dear friend Jerry. We have wonderful memories and much love for Jo and the boys. Rest In Peace.



Joan and Jimbob Maddox - March 02, 2020 at 09:39 AM

MN

“ Mr. Jerry, you are an amazing man. You was always so kind to D.j. and me. May you fly high with the angels. You surely will NEVER be forgotten and will FOREVER be loved and missed. My deepest condolences to to Mrs. Jo, Ben, Jack and the rest of the family. Earth will never be there same without you.



Mystic Newton - March 02, 2020 at 09:03 AM

CW

“ *My love, heart and prayers go out to all of you. Jerry will be missed deeply by my family. He was not just a friend, he was family! The kindest, loving and giving man I have ever known. We love and miss you. You will always be tucked deep inside our hearts. Fly high Jerry!*

Cathy Winburn-Allen - March 02, 2020 at 08:50 AM

CW

“ *Carla Wisznia lit a candle in memory of Gordon "Jerry" Gluesenkamp*



Carla Wisznia - March 01, 2020 at 09:00 AM