



James "Jud" Allen, Jr.

September 1, 1955 - January 2, 2019

James Judson Allen, Jr., known to all of his friends and family as "Jud", passed away suddenly on Wednesday, January 2, 2019, at his home in Fernandina Beach, Florida. He was born on September 1, 1955, in Tallahassee, Florida, to James Judson Allen and Betty Lee Allen (Brown). He lived his whole life in his beloved Tallahassee, graduating from Godby High School in 1973, and going on to study computer programming at Tallahassee Community College. He worked in the construction and building code field at the City of Quincy, Florida State University, and Leon County. He had recently taken the position of Building Director at the City of Fernandina Beach and was looking forward to finishing his career in a beautiful place he was growing to love.

Jud loved all things sports-related, but nothing even came close to his love for his Florida State Seminoles. He saw his first game at eight years old, and they were "his" team ever since. He could rant and rave about their performances, but no one else was allowed to disparage them. He loved construction and building, and was constantly working on projects and ideas. He loved his family, pups and his home. Jud was intelligent and funny, cranky and loving, and fiercely loyal to those he cared about.

Jud is survived by his wife of twelve years, Lori Lee Allen, his parents, his son, Carl Judson Allen, step-daughter, Nikki Poole (Jason), step-son, Kevin Baker, the loves of his life, his granddaughters, Lyla (10) and Frances (7) Poole, brother James Allen (Sharon), brother Danny Allen (Cathy), sister Carla

Campbell, sister Suzan Blackburn, and countless aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and life-long friends.

A celebration of life to honor Jud will be held on Saturday, January 12, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. at Bevis Funeral Home (200 John Knox Road).

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

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JAN 12. 3:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ 126 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Bevis Funeral Home - January 11, 2019 at 11:11 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray* was purchased for the family of James "Jud" Allen, Jr..



January 10, 2019 at 06:35 PM



“ *Jim and Ceceille Poole* purchased the *Fiery Lily and Rose* for the family of James "Jud" Allen, Jr..



Jim and Ceceille Poole - January 10, 2019 at 11:01 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of James "Jud" Allen, Jr..*



January 09, 2019 at 04:56 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of James "Jud" Allen, Jr..*



January 08, 2019 at 03:14 PM



“ *I loved my bro in law. Spent the weekend several months back painting at the house in Tallahassee and got to spend some time with Jud one on one. He went to het our supper at Sonny's BBQ that he loved by the way. We talked about our football teams. He actually bragged on my Alabama team and talked about how good our quarterback was. I dont know if he would of ever done this had there been anyone else there to witness it. He was die hard FSU with his Seminole spear and Osceola head is display for everyone to see that entered his home. I hid his Osceola head one time on a visit. Took him a while to find it . Haha*

You will be missed Jud. We love you very much and were blessed to have known you. GO NOLES!!! (and roll tide)



Carrie McInnis - January 08, 2019 at 01:01 PM