



Jerome "Jerry" Lay

December 13, 1941 - July 30, 2019

Jerome "Jerry" Lay, aged 77, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, July 30th, 2019 in Middletown Delaware. Jerry was born in San Diego California on December 13th , 1941 to Francis and Ethel Lay. He married Joyce Ann Lay on June 3rd, 2006 in Stevensville, MD. Jerry was self-employed owning Swimming Pool Consultants for over 50 years and was dedicated to his profession, displaying a wonderful knack for solving problems and servicing his customers with complete care and dedication. Jerry lived life to its fullest as he enjoyed chatting with friends and family and had a wonderful way to seek out the best in people. Jerry proudly served in the Air Force, was a proud member of the American Legion as well as a member of the Freemason Society.

Jerry is survived by his wife, Joyce Ann Lay as well as his children Richard Goninan & Michael Goninan, Tamara Lay, Milane Lay as well as two brothers Don & Frank Lay. He is also survived by three grandchildren Savannah, Ricky and Mikey Goninan.

Celebration of Jerry's life will be held at the American Legion, Post 278 in Stevensville MD from 4-6pm on Saturday August 3rd, 2019

Previous Events

celebration of life

AUG 3. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

American Legion Post 278
800 Romancoke Road
Stevensville, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Jerome "Jerry" Lay*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Jerome "Jerry" Lay*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Jerome "Jerry" Lay*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *I just received the news from a mutual friend that Jerry had passed away. My name is Tom Clark. Jerry and I were room mates while we were stationed at Keesler Air Force Base in Biloxi Mississippi back in the early 60's. I could ramble on for hours on what a great person Jerry was and the many memories that I have from those days. Jerry taught me how to cuss in Taiwanese and in later years I taught him how to cuss in German. We spent many hours "socializing" at the West End Lounge in Biloxi while playing the slot machines. We bowled on the same team and league. Seems like every game had at least 2 or 3 beer frames. There was never a dull moment with Jerry around. Heaven is a better place now but St. Peter has his hands full. Rest in Peace my friend. You were truly "one of a kind" and will be missed by many*

Tom Clark - September 19, 2019 at 01:52 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Jerome "Jerry" Lay.*



August 02, 2019 at 09:39 AM



“ *Jerry, we had a good run. Lots of great times over the years. Rest easy my friend. You will be missed.*

Dan Thornton - August 01, 2019 at 11:56 AM