



Gerald Wayne Walker

September 21, 1934 - September 14, 2022

With heavy hearts, we bid farewell to a great gentleman. Our father, Gerald Wayne Walker, has joined our beloved mother, Margaret, in Heaven. Kind, generous, decent—there are not enough words to adequately describe this good man.

Gerald “Jerry” is survived by his daughters, Katherine and Martha; his grandchildren Renée, Kim, and Heidi; and his great-grandchildren, Sophia, Kora, Jordan, Matthew, Brandon, and Nate.

Gerald gave his family unconditional love and security. He was doer, a thinker, and a great conversationalist. His creative talents, skills, and craftsmanship were innumerable. Gerald was a sunny optimist with a bright intellect who embraced new adventures every day of his life. He welcomed and made friends easily. His was a life well and happily lived, and always in God’s grace. Gerald was born in Winston-Salem, North Carolina, and spent his childhood and adulthood in Richmond, Virginia. In 1972, he and Margaret set course for a life in Sarasota, Florida. Upon his retirement from the Sarasota Herald-Tribune, they moved down the coast to Venice. His last years were spent in Leesburg, Florida, near his great granddaughters, Sophia and Kora. Beyers Funeral Home of Leesburg, FL has been entrusted with his arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ Gail, We are so very sorry for Gerry's passing. A soft spoken guy who always was so kind when we world visit with your mom and dad. Thankful I got to meet him. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Paulette and Bob - September 26, 2022 at 07:24 PM