



Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell

April 8, 1945 - October 27, 2023

Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell, 78, of The Villages, Florida, passed away peacefully in his home on October 27, 2023. He was a broadcaster, entrepreneur, and loving father and husband.

Janusz, son of Wojciech and Krystyna, was born on April 8, 1945 in Pienki Wozareckie, Poland. His career in journalism began after he fled occupied Poland in 1965, and spanned more than three decades. After almost a year living in a refugee camp, he was recruited by a United States government sponsored media organization - Radio Free Europe.

He then joined Voice of America to help spread America's message of hope and democracy to Poland as communism was on the march in Eastern Europe. His career had many highlights, notably announcing the devastating news that Poland was imposing Martial Law.

After retiring from public service in 2001, Janusz poured himself into his personal passion: golf. He started the first ever public driving range in Poland, at a time when golf was nearly non-existent in the country. Twenty-five years later, Golf Parks Poland remains a premier golf destination outside of Warsaw.

Janusz discovered an active retirement haven in central Florida, known as The Villages. He and his wife built a life there full of strong friendships,

laughter, and community. He became a renowned advocate for Polish culture, food, and of course vodka.

Those closest to Janusz will remember him as an avid reader, student of history, joke-teller, sports enthusiast, and music lover.

He is survived by his loving wife of forty-two years, Graciela; three children Allegra, Carolina, and Jan; and four grandchildren Alina, Augie, Roman, and Anika.

His funeral service will be held on Thursday, Nov. 2, 2023, at noon in St. Mark The Evangelist Catholic Church, 7081 SE Hwy 42, Summerfield FL 34491. A reception will follow in the parish hall.

Previous Events

Funeral Service

NOV 2. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Mark The Evangelist
7081 SE Hwy 42
Summerfield, FL 34491
(352) 347-9317

A reception will follow in the parish hall.

Tribute Wall



“ Elizabeth M. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.



Elizabeth M. - October 31, 2023 at 10:59 PM



“ Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.



October 31, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.

October 31, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.



October 31, 2023 at 03:06 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herbut-Hewell.



October 31, 2023 at 02:41 PM



“ *"In Loving Memory" 30" Chime* was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herbut-Hewell.



October 31, 2023 at 01:44 PM



“ *Enduring Grace* was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herbut-Hewell.



October 31, 2023 at 11:41 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Janusz S. Herbut-Hewell.

October 31, 2023 at 11:41 AM

IR

“ Iwona R. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janusz S. Herbert-Hewell.

Iwona R. - October 31, 2023 at 04:39 AM

SK

“ Steve K. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janusz S. Herbert-Hewell.

Steve K. - October 30, 2023 at 07:41 PM

WM

“ With love, Monina purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Janusz S. Herbert-Hewell.



With love, Monina - October 30, 2023 at 07:25 PM



“ Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herbert-Hewell.



October 30, 2023 at 02:56 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Janusz S. Herbert-Hewell.

October 30, 2023 at 02:56 PM

LS

“ Love, Shelagh purchased the Rose Remembrance for the family of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.



Love, Shelagh - October 30, 2023 at 10:38 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.



October 30, 2023 at 10:18 AM

RF

“ Janusz embodied all the attributes of a true gentleman. He was a kind, gracious and loving individual who enjoyed time with family and friends. We will all miss his friendship and his presence and how his warmth could always make you feel special.

Russ Flayter - October 30, 2023 at 09:39 AM

DZ

“ Our sincere condolences on the passing of a wonderful man. We will miss him and will never forget him. We are here for anything you need. Love, Diane and Joe Ziemplak

Diane Ziemplak - October 30, 2023 at 08:14 AM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.*



October 30, 2023 at 02:21 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.

October 30, 2023 at 02:21 AM



“ *Maggie E. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.*

Maggie E. - October 29, 2023 at 04:34 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herburt-Hewell.*



October 29, 2023 at 04:00 PM



“ *Pink and Cream Roses and Baby's Breath (Silk Cemetery Flowers) was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herbut-Hewell.*



October 29, 2023 at 03:00 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Janusz S. Herbut-Hewell.*



October 29, 2023 at 01:54 PM