



John Malik

August 18, 1931 - March 30, 2014

Obituary of John Malik

John C. Malik, 82, of Leesburg, Florida passed away March 30, 2014. He was born August 18, 1931 to John and Pauline Malik in Chicago, Illinois. He was an entrepreneur and business owner in the Chicago area where he lived and worked for many years and operated Trend Automotive in Lyons, Illinois for 30 years. He moved to Leesburg, Florida in 1993 and purchased the Harley-Davidson dealership, establishing Gator Harley-Davidson and later Stormy Hill Harley-Davidson in Clermont, Florida and Harley-Davidson at The Villages in The Villages, Florida. He loved spending time in the dealership and did so until his health no longer permitted.

Survivors include: wife of 59 years Arlene of Leesburg, Florida; daughter Janice Marie Malik of Clermont, Florida; sons John P. and Steve M. Malik, both of Fruitland Park, Florida; 4 grandchildren: Amanda, Johnny, Alex and Rachel Malik; as well many loving and beloved friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 AM on Wednesday April 9, 2014 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Mt. Dora, Florida.

Tribute Wall

BF

“ *John. Sr never forgot a name. He was nearly always at the front door greeting customers. No bike would leave his business dirty. He loved riders. He never missed a meeting with his. H. O. G. Chapter. This was 100 percent family owned. Always will be. John I'll forever miss you. Bruce*

Bruce. fuller - May 15, 2025 at 03:45 PM

JL

“ *Our heart goes out to the Malik family in this difficult time. John, we will be thinking of you and your family. John Levandoski Atlantic Site Development*

John Levandoski - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ *To the entire Malik Family...Our heartfelt thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. Mr John will be missed, but forever and always in our hearts. Much love and support to you. Margo and John*

Margo and John Loomis - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

EH

“ *Noelle and Alex,so sorry for your loss, will keep you and your Family in my prayers. Ed*

Ed Hahnfeldt - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ Dear Arlene and Family, our prayers are with. John was an icon at Gator Harley and an asset to our community and country. May you find comfort in knowing others share in your sorrow....God Bless.

Desiree Coleman Cohn - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JK

“ Our sympathy and condolences are sent to all the Malik family. We share in your grief. Joe and Linda

Joe and Linda Kennedy - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SK

“ To Arlene and Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We will miss John and his sense of humor.

Skip & Eileen Kinsey - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ I am sorry for your loss. My thoughts are with you all.....

Tim Sennett - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM