



## Joseph Senarine Persaud

July 10, 1922 - November 16, 2016

### Obituary of Joseph Persaud

Joseph S. Persaud Sr. 94, died November 16, 2016 in Mt. Dora, FL. Joseph was born July 10, 1922 in British Guiana. He was Executive Vice President of Design Packaging Company in Chicago, IL. He also was Cofounder and CEO of Palm Tree Packaging, Inc. in Apopka, FL. He was a lover of writing and literature. He was also an avid White Sox fan. Joseph was devoted to his loving family and will be missed by all.

Mr. Persaud is survived by his loving wife of 68 years: Joann Lindsey Persaud; Sons: Joe (Peggy) Persaud; Adam (Stasia) Persaud. Daughters: Sue Parry; Kathy Tetzlaff; Julie (Sam) Lehman. Sister: Agnes Deonarine and 6 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his son: James Persaud.

Funeral Services will be held Sunday, November 20, 2016. A viewing will be held from 1:00-3:00pm with a service to follow at 3:00pm at the Beyers Funeral Home Chapel in Leesburg, FL with Pastor Dave Johnson officiating.

# Tribute Wall

NJ

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Neelima June - January 02, 2017 at 12:00 AM

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JF

“ *Such a kind and gentle man. R.I.P.*

Joseph Fanning - November 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AH

“ *Please accept my condolences. May he rest in peace.*

Ann Roberta Hanoman - November 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ To: The Family of Joseph Persaud - I know how tough it is losing a father, a mentor and someone like your father who was as caring and loving as he was. My father passed suddenly in 2003 in an auto accident. I lost my business partner and my best friend in the blink of an eye without warning. Your broken hearts will start to heal with time and the best parts of what your father passed on to your family while he was here with us - and his spirit - will still be there to guide you and fill your lives and heart with warmth and happiness. I will never forget your father - and truly miss him as well. My deepest sympathy and condolences to you all - Scott

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**Scott Gilbert** - November 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM

HR

“ Condolences to the family of Joseph Persaud. He will be missed by all of us. Uncle Joe was an inspiration to me. He was not only my oldest family descendant alive but a friend and mentor to me. Uncle Joe left British Guiana before I was born. I heard about him through my dad who was his nephew and best friend while growing up. Uncle Joe told me many stories about his life growing up and almost fifty years after he left British Guiana, I found him and from that day we had a close family bond. I spoke to him a few days before his death not knowing that would be our last conversation. He was excited in publishing his book "Ramblings" at age 94 and told me that I would be the first to get a copy from and indeed I received a copy before his funeral. The gates of heaven are open for Uncle Joe as he had chosen for the cover of his final book "Ramblings". He told me that he was ready to go whenever the lord ready for him. He is in a better place now. Farewell Uncle Joe, you will be always remembered. We will miss you. RIP.

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**Harry Rickheeram** - November 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ *It's hard to feel bad when someone lives 94 years, yet I do. I met Joe somewhere around 1960 and knew immediately that he was a unique person. The world will be a lesser person without hi.*

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**Jerry Reinsdorf** - November 21, 2016 at 12:00 AM

HM

“ *Sincere condolences to JoAnn & the Persaud family. Our friendship was brief but this fine gentleman left his foot print in my heart, it is an honour & a privilege to call Joe my friend, may he R.I.P With love & best regards Helena Martin & Family (Guyanese living in Western Australia)*

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**Helena Martin** - November 19, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *so sorry Joe, god bless u and your family*

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**jr beverly** - November 19, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *I sat with Joe many times as we shared our creative contributions with the Sun City writers club. He was a prolific writer, witty, interesting and interested in those around him. He will be missed.*  
*Dan Glaubke*

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**Dan Glaubke** - November 19, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ I am deeply saddened to hear of the demise of Mr. Joseph Persaud. On behalf of the Rawana and Ramotar Singh families, the CHS-JCCSS Alumni, I would like to express heartfelt sympathies and sincere condolences to his spouse, children, grandchildren and other bereaved family members. Although this is a very difficult time for all of you, may you find comfort and strength in God's love and mercies, and in each other. May you cherish the beautiful times you have shared with him over the years, and the knowledge that his life has brought joy to all of you. It is an honor and a privilege to have signed copies of the books Mr.Persaud wrote and published, spoke with him over the phone and reminisce about his nostalgic years in Guyana. May his soul rest in everlasting peace. Beauty Anita Rawana Ramotar.

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**Beauty Anita Rawana Ramotar Singh** - November 19, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ My deepest condolences to all of Joe's family. A bright light has gone off in the world. I know, however, that Joe has already started writing his next book, in the good place that he's in. We'll miss you down here, young man.

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**Arnold R. Girdharry** - November 19, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ I LOVE YOU, DAD###GESTURE###

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**Adam J Persaud** - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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**Stasia Collins-Persaud** - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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Adam J Persaud - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ It is not a secret as to what a great man Joe was. Many times I've stated how I feel as though I "hit the jackpot" with my husbands family. Joe lived his life by example, and I will always be grateful for the influence he's had on myself and countless others. He will be missed until we meet again, and he will be loved forever.

Stasia Collins-Persaud - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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JJ

“ Joseph Senarine Persaud

Joe Persaud, Jr - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ We are heart broken at the loss of such a wonderful man. He will be sincerely missed and leaves a profound void in the lives of all who knew him. Roger and Penny

Roger and Penny Percival - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ We are sure your father left you with a flood of happy memories. Thinking of you all. Bob and Gale.

Bob & Gale Simmons - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ *It was my pleasure and privilege to call Joe my friend. He was a man of many talents who lived an extraordinary life. We shared a love of words and writing. My sincerest condolences to his dear wife, Joann, and their children. Rest in peace, dear friend.*

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**Mary Ann Weissmann** - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM