



Majid Alfalahi

July 2, 1960 - November 19, 2024

Heaven opened the gates for a very special person when Majid Alfalahi of The Villages, Florida, formerly of Irmo, South Carolina, passed away suddenly on Tuesday, November 19, 2024 at the age of 64.

Majid was born on July 2, 1960 in Baghdad, Iraq to Ali and Hasna Alfalahi and was one of 12 children. He moved to the US in 1979 to attend college at the University of South Carolina. He worked in the banquet hotel business for many years, eventually settling in Columbia, South Carolina where he met his sweetheart and the love of his life, Joleen, in 1998. They were married May 29, 1999. Majid worked for Mungo Homes in the landscape division and eventually became the owner of Blue Oasis Landscaping Company for 11 years. He was proud to become an American citizen in 2008. Majid and Joleen moved to The Villages, Florida in 2020 to be closer to Joleen's parents. He worked at The Villages Park and Rec Center (Seabreeze) and attended Good News Church.

Majid had a real zest for life. He was an excellent cook, specializing in grilling. He loved clothes and was always well dressed. He still had a thick, full head of hair. Majid enjoyed playing games, especially Rummikub, and listening to 70's music. He loved traveling-some of his favorite places were Hawaii, Italy, Blowing Rock in the Blue Ridge Mountains, California, Arizona, and Disney. Majid and Joleen celebrated their 25th anniversary in May with a spectacular

trip to Italy. Majid had a strong faith in Christ. He brought joy and laughter to those around him. He gave the gifts of kindness and generosity to everyone he met. Majid was a devoted and loving husband to Joleen. He enjoyed spending any time he could with family.

Majid was predeceased by his parents and his brother, Hassan. He is survived by his loving wife of 25 years, Joleen Purpura Alfalahi, his sister Majida and many other loving family members, in-laws Frank and Donna Purpura from FL, Susan and Frank Lynch of AZ, Sherill and Dave Chernesky of NJ and many wonderful friends.

A celebration of Majid's life will be held on Saturday, December 7th at Good News Church, 400 Executive Blvd., Leesburg, FL 34748, at 11 a.m. Donations may be made in lieu of flowers to the American Red Cross or Samaritan's Purse for the hurricane victims in NC and FL.

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home of Leesburg, Florida.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

DEC 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Good News Church
400 Executive Blvd, Leesburg
Leesburg, FL 34748

Tribute Wall



“ *Beyers Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Majid Alfalahi*



Beyers Funeral Home - November 29, 2024 at 04:05 PM

JG

So glad for the beautiful testimony of God's love and saving grace through Majid's life and the beautiful marriage He gave you together. May the Lord strengthen and comfort you as you have comforted and encouraged so many of us.

♥ Love, Joanna and Justin and the Griffins

Joanna Griffin - December 06, 2024 at 07:10 PM

BS

What a beautiful tribute, I hope all of your wonderful memories of time well spent with Majid will bring you comfort. My prayers and thoughts go out to you 🙏💕

Beth Steele - December 07, 2024 at 12:19 PM

DR

This testimony reflects the Majid we knew and loved. We met him at Seabreeze gym and were always so happy when he was on duty. We would joke and he would tell us of his and Jolene's latest traveling adventures. We will miss him terribly but will keep those memories in our hearts. Love to Jolene and family. Majid will always be looking out for all of you. God bless, Dennis and Karen

Dennis J. Roverato - December 07, 2024 at 12:20 PM

JS

Majid was a great guy! My husband Jasem an Iraqi brother, worked with Majid many years and always thought of Majid as his mentor and was appreciative of the all his kindness! Prayers for all the family, especially Jolene! 🙏❤️

Jolie Shakkori - December 07, 2024 at 01:18 PM

AJ

“*Majid! My first boss. He knew me as a little kid and showed extreme patience with me during my angry rebellious teenage years as a mentor and boss at Mungo and Blue Oasis. Majid had a profound impact in my life and I will remember him for the rest of my life. He showed some tough love when I needed it and grace and mercy often times when he probably should have fired me. I have so much love and respect for Majid and I miss him often.*

-Aaron Janzen

Aaron Janzen - March 05 at 04:57 PM

AJ

*Tough love***

Aaron Janzen - March 05 at 04:58 PM

PP

“*My thoughts and prayers are with you Joleen during this very difficult time. I am glad that I was able to meet Majid, he was a very kind person. Remember, love is everlasting. Patti Patterson.*

Patti Patterson - December 03, 2024 at 07:10 PM

NS

“ I have such fond memories of Majid when I worked for him at Mungo Homes and Blue Oasis. I learned so much about landscaping and customer service and I consider Majid one of my best mentors. A few special memories include him saying to me, "Come walk with me." It was his way of developing my eye for detail in landscaping. We would simply walk around a property and he would draw my eyes to what could use improvement. I am so grateful for those walks and I look forward to taking walks with Majid in the future where we will get to enjoy New Creation and New Earth. I hope that we can be assigned to serve our Savior together in eternity by continuing our love for the outdoors. I can also remember Majid walking a property and him singing, "Dancing Queen." I dont why this sticks out but it was funny. Majid would often confide in me on the job site maybe since we were fairly close in age and I appreciated that he knew he could trust me. Majid will be missed for sure but praise God we will see him again.

Norman Stewart - December 03, 2024 at 12:28 PM

WM

“ William And Stephanie Miller lit a candle in memory of Majid Alfalahi



William and Stephanie Miller - December 02, 2024 at 11:13 AM

TE

“ We met Majid and Joleen years ago at an inn in his beloved Blue Ridge mountains. He initiated our conversation, and we all hit it off from there. We planned another trip at the same inn a year or so later, and we enjoyed each other even more. Majid kept you laughing and made you feel like an integral part of the group. He took it to me playing pool the last night but that was one fun evening. I always wanted a rematch of it all. God bless Majid. A good man; he will be missed.

- Toye and Honora Eskridge

Toye Eskridge - December 01, 2024 at 06:51 PM

EG

*Dear Joleen,
Laurie and I are so very sad to hear of Majid's passing. It's been many years since we all attended Saint Andrews Evangelical Church. We are so sorry for your loss. So unexpected. May the Lord make himself especially real and close and comforting to you in your grieving.*

Eric Grumbach - December 01, 2024 at 09:28 PM

PB

*Dear Joleen,
We just heard of Majid's passing and our hearts are full of grief and love for you...may our Lord deeply comfort you and the rest of your family...what are precious man and your marriage, so beautiful!
Sending our love that is bound in Christ, Rick and Tricia Bailey*

Patricia Bailey - December 14, 2024 at 06:46 PM