



Jeffrey L. Recker

February 12, 1953 - February 27, 2026

Jeff Was born in Toledo, Ohio to Norma and Robert Recker, who preceded him in death. Jeff attended St. Patrick's of Heatherdowns grade school where he enjoyed playing baseball and football with his childhood friends. Eventually trading in backyard sports for a job with Lums Restaurant in order to attend and graduate from Central Catholic High School in 1971.

He married Kate O'Donnell on October 8th 1977 in Toledo, Ohio. They moved to Florida eventually settling in Orlando. Together they raised 3 children and Jeff was property manager of their real estate holdings. While raising their family and running their real estate business they still found time to enjoy adventures together, such as vacationing in North Carolina, Niagara Falls, Alaska, Gettysburg and even Costa Rica. Jeff was a very kind and patient father, husband and grandfather. His favorite time of late was enjoying his grandchildren and watching them grow. They even recall the time that grandpa not only dared them to swim in his pool during a hurricane but joined them as well.

He is survived by Kate, his loving wife of 48 years, daughter Melinda (Rob) Snyder, sons Curt (Stacey) Recker, and Joe Recker as well as 5 grandchildren, Sam and Nathan Snyder, Nicole Snyder Picone, Zach and Lexi Recker, sisters Christine (David) Willis, Susan (Rick) Gannon, brothers Rick and Bobby Recker. He was preceded in death by his brother David Recker.

Kate and family invite you to a gathering to celebrate Jeff at their family home of 40+ years between 2-6pm on Wednesday March 18th.

Additional memorial will be held at a later date in Toledo Ohio.

Memorials are suggested to Jeffs favorite charity, Wounded Warrior Project or a charity of donors choice.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAR 18. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Family residence

5534 Lake Mary Jess Shores Ct

Orlando, FL 32839-2967

Tribute Wall

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“ *The Oliver Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Jeffrey L. Recker.*



The Oliver Family - March 16 at 12:23 AM

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“ *Katoria Mincey sent a virtual gift in memory of Jeffrey L. Recker*



Katoria Mincey - March 03 at 12:24 PM

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May God comfort and strengthen you. You all are in my prayers!

Katoria Mincey - March 03 at 12:46 PM

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“ *From Katoria Mincey and Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Jeffrey L. Recker.*



From Katoria Mincey and Family - March 03 at 12:20 PM