



Jack Louis Christiansen

July 28, 1937 - May 7, 2021

Jack Louis Christiansen, resident of Racine, passed away on Friday, May 7, 2021. Jack was born in Racine on July 28, 1937, the son of the late Clarence and Ruth (nee: Goodland) Christiansen. On February 23, 1963, in Racine, he was united in marriage to Margaret “Peggy” Jean Peterson.

Jack was a member of The Lutheran Church of the Resurrection. He was a lithographer at Western Publishing Company, retiring in 1998. Jack was a proud member of the Graphic Arts International Union, Local 254. He was a member of the WI National Guard, Red Arrow Division, serving at Fort Lewis, WA during the Berlin Crisis in 1963.

He enjoyed spending time at the family cottage, golfing with his son Peter, boating, and fishing with his daughter Sara, finally shooting a Hole-in-One at Ives Grove Golf Course in 2013.. A daily walk with his canine friend, Holly, was his favorite pastime.

He will be deeply missed by his wife of 58 years, Peggy; loving daughter, Sara Jane Richards (Steve Schleicher) of Door County; nieces, Susan Schanstine, Virginia (Scott) Miller, Dianna (DJ) Butler, Chris Christiansen; nephews, Rev. Christopher (Donna Gardner) Manke of Wauwatosa, WI and Matthew (Christine) Manke of Brookline, MA.

He is further survived by other relatives and friends.

Jack was preceded in death by infant daughter, Jenny Margrethe in 1966; beloved son, Peter Andrew (age 23) on April 2, 1992; brother, Laurance (Betty Jo); sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Mary Jo and Bill Manke; in-laws, Andrew

K. and Jane M. Peterson; step-father, Edmund Luckzys.

Funeral services will be held at Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, 322 Ohio Street on Saturday, May 22, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. with Rev. Karen Pahl officiating. Visitation will be held at the church from 12 noon until service time. Private burial service will take place at Graceland Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials in Jack's name are encouraged for Lutheran Church of the Resurrection, Outreachforhope.org (P.O. Box 341695 Milwaukee, WI. 53234) or the Racine County Humane Society.

“May his life and memory bring Glory to God”.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

Racine, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **22**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Lutheran Church of the Resurrection
322 Ohio Street
Racine, WI

Memorial Service

MAY **22**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

GG

“ It is always hard to hear of family members passing. While it has been many years since we connected, we have fond memories of our occasional meetings. Peg and Sara, we offer our sincerest of condolences and pray for your comfort from a lifetime of memories. Sarah, Glen Jr and Gregg Goodland

Gregg Goodland - June 02, 2021 at 01:17 PM

RS

“ Worked with Jack for several years, sorry to see about his passing. God bless. Dick Shaw

Richard C Shaw - May 21, 2021 at 07:00 AM

DA

“ I could always tell how much Jack loved his family, even as a child visiting at Christmas or the 4th of July. I distinctly remember Jack's ready and warm laugh even though it's been years since we were able to get together. I'm really sorry for your loss Peggy and Sarah.

Dave Andersen - May 20, 2021 at 06:11 PM

CJ

“ Dear Peggy...we are thinking about you with our hearts upon Jack's death and remembering you in our prayers. With sympathy and pleasant memories, Dick & Carolyn Janecky

Carolyn Janecky - May 20, 2021 at 10:18 AM

JN

“ Peggy,

Tom and I are very sorry to hear this news about Jack. Both of you have always greeted us with warm smiles when we saw you at church. We'll always remember how kind and welcoming both of you were when we were new members back in the early 1980's. We are sending you our warmest sympathies.

Jackie and Tom Nelson

Jackie and Tom Nelson - May 19, 2021 at 11:35 AM