



Daniel Goodman Stephenson Jr

December 3, 1947 - September 11, 2020

With saddened hearts we announce the passing of Daniel Goodman Stephenson, Jr., age 72. Daniel passed away on Friday, September 11, 2020 at Flagler Hospital and was born on December 3, 1947 in Houston, Texas. Daniel was a proud US Navy veteran serving from 1966-1988. He graduated from Texas A&M with a bachelor's degree in 1993 and was employed at Red Lobster from 1993 – 2008. He enjoyed days at the beach and camping at the river. He was a student of history and avid reader. Daniel followed college football and basketball but he loved adventures with his grandchildren especially to Disney World.

Daniel is preceded in death by his father, Daniel G. Stephenson; mother, Joy Fay Thompson; son-in-law, Brian Stewart.

Daniel is survived by his wife of 44 years, Virginia G. Stephenson; son, Donald Carpenter and his wife, Lisa; daughters, Gerri Ann Stewart, Leslie Trimboli and her husband, Marc; grandchildren, Lauren, Kyndal, Haleigh, Jessica, Noelle and her husband, Paul and Grace; great grandson, Devin all from of St. Johns County; sister, Paula Whiteley; brother, John Stephenson and his wife, Jody all of Texas; numerous in-laws, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends who will miss him dearly.

“We thank the Lord for sending this wonderful, hard working, devoted family man to show us how great fun can be had no matter the circumstances. We will miss him something fierce.”

In lieu of flowers donations may be sent in Daniel's memory to the American

Diabetes Association, <https://diabetes.org/> or the Shriners Hospital for Children, <https://donate.lovetotherescue.org> .

St Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *St. Johns Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Daniel Goodman Stephenson Jr*



St. Johns Family Funeral Home - September 17, 2020 at 09:43 AM



“ *God bless you*

Michael Perez - October 18, 2020 at 01:19 AM



“ *15 files added to the album Life Tributes*



St. Johns Family Funeral Home - September 17, 2020 at 09:38 AM

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“ *Rosemary lit a candle in memory of Daniel Goodman Stephenson Jr*



Rosemary - September 16, 2020 at 11:39 PM

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“ *I would like to share some memories. Pappy (as we called him) and Gran allowed us teenagers to hang out with Lauren and Kyndal and the family at the Hawthorne house. It was our safe place. A second home. No time limits. Always welcomed. Gran and Pappy let us hang out in the den and office. Pappy let us eat his key lime pies. He let us play our music and watch our movies. They let us be teenagers and most importantly ourselves. I also loved seeing him at red lobster. As we all grew older, we started our own families. I ran into gran and pappy at Flagler hospital with my kids a year and half ago (also with my father) we got to sit and chat for a little bit and they met my kids. Pappy always asked about my brother, who he knew from red lobster. He still asked about all of us girls and was the sweetest. I ran into him again a few months ago at the Ponce care center. He always remembered me and still asked about my family. He had such a big Heart. He cared for everyone. He was a family man. My deepest condolences to Gran and the family.*

corinne forrester - September 16, 2020 at 06:37 PM