



## Michael Gerard Jagielski

March 13, 1962 - September 18, 2022

Michael Jagielski, of St. Augustine, Florida, passed away in the early hours of September 18, 2022, at age 60. He was an adoring husband to wife Teri, a loving father to daughters Brittany and Jessica, and papa to grandson Jaxon.

Michael grew up in a large family in the suburbs of Chicago with his four siblings and caring parents from whom he learned to spread joy to those around him. He became an accomplished gymnast, diver, and trumpet player in his youth and an expert sailor and craftsman in his adult life. Michael's greatest passion was the ocean and he dreamt of sailing around the world. He also had a deep appreciation for music and fine arts.

He is remembered for his immediate connections with any being around him. Michael never met a stranger and went out of his way to introduce himself to every dog he came across. He had a larger-than-life personality, an unmatched sense of humor, and wit like no one else. He lived to make others laugh and smile. This is where he found the most joy.

Throughout his life, he became an incredibly patient and understanding man. A non-judgmental person with a bold presence. When Michael Jagielski walked into a room, you knew it. He reminded us all to slow down and appreciate the little things in life. To observe rainstorms, sunsets, and sails billowing in the wind. He had a true appreciation for nature and the energy

around him. A simple game of cribbage with a loved one or helping out a friend would be the highlight of his day because he had such a strong appreciation for quality time.

Michael is deeply missed by his surviving family and will be joining his mother Bobbi and Father Raymond in heaven above.

A memorial service will take place at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, November 21, 2022, at Trinity Episcopal Church, 215 St. George St. in St. Augustine.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV **21**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Trinity Episcopal Parish  
215 St. George Street  
St. Augustine, FL 32084

# Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Michael Gerard Jagielski.*



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November 19, 2022 at 07:01 PM



“ *Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Michael Gerard Jagielski.*



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November 16, 2022 at 03:27 PM



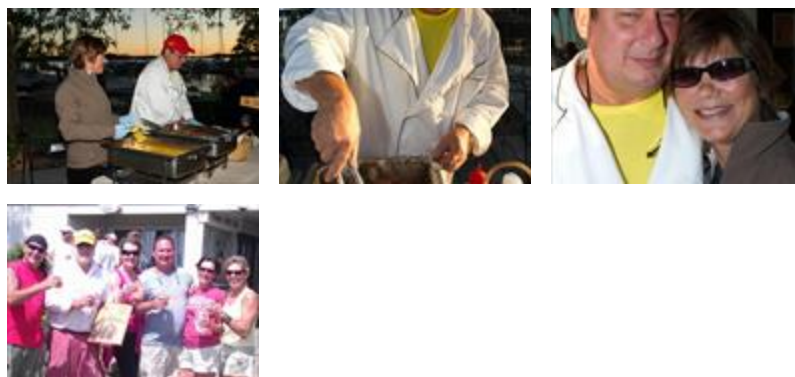
“ *I'm only now hearing of this. I was just thinking of you both (Mike and Teri) this past Saturday, about how I had not seen you in a while. So sorry, Mike was a good guy and that is way too young to pass. My condolences to you, Teri (and to the rest of your family.)*  
*Elizabeth Roth*

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**Elizabeth Roth** - October 23, 2022 at 12:21 PM

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“ *It was my pleasure to know Mike and share his enthusiasm for life. We had fun competing against each other in the Top Chef contest at the Wayzata Yacht Club where he placed 1st and even raced together in a Commodore Cup taking 1st place. He was a great, talented, fun guy and a good friend to many.*



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**Mark Puariea** - October 02, 2022 at 12:26 PM

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“ *Our family (Didy the dog too!) will miss Mike's smile, his hugs and sense of joy. He seemed in love with life and he was amazingly warm and welcoming. Clever at trivia, Michael was definitely our trivia leader. You always knew it would be a fun night whenever we got together- in a group or just the four of us. He loved to joke and tease- and we embraced every minute with him. We will miss our friend, gone too soon.*

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**cathlynD** - October 01, 2022 at 07:41 PM

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“ *Mikey missed his calling as a standup comedian. But I had the sincere pleasure of being entertained by his never-ending quick wit on a barstool next to him in many many casual beach bars. I also got to enjoy his love of sailing on several trips including a race to Key West and pushing off of sandbars in the intercoastal waterways at night. You were one of a kind brother and I feel blessed to have been your friend! I hope we meet again.*

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**Kenny** - September 28, 2022 at 01:46 PM