

John Joseph Reilly



John J. "Jack" Reilly, 76, of Skillman, N.J., passed away on January 30, 2014 at Foothill Acres Nursing Home in Hillsborough, N.J.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., to John and Marion (Sahm) Reilly, Jack graduated high school from St. Francis Prep in Brooklyn, N.Y. He was a proud graduate of the US Naval Academy - Class of 1960, after which he served four years in U.S. Air Force as a missile control officer during the Cuban Missile Crisis, and was honorably discharged in 1964.

While balancing a successful career as a corporate executive, Jack also did the things he loved most in his life: spending time with his family, playing golf, coaching Little League, leading the Boy Scouts, running school booster clubs and volunteering for many charitable organizations, especially Catholic Charities.

Most of all, Jack treasured the many years he spent with his beloved wife, Dorothy, travelling to over 37 countries and making everlasting memories with his dear family and friends.

Jack was predeceased by his parents and sister, Bette Anne Manning. Besides his wife, Dorothy (Wargo), Jack is survived by his sons, John and fiancée, Gina, and Steven and wife, Sandy; daughter, Lori Schaefer and husband, Frank; sister, Christine Almskog and husband, Douglas; brothers-in-law, Albert Wargo and wife, Patricia, and John Wargo and wife, Linda; seven grandchildren, Joshua, Jessica and fiancée, J.R., Benjamin, Erin, Julia, Jae, and Jack, and two great grandsons, Damon and Avery.

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