



Alfred John "Jack" Light

December 13, 2024

Alfred John Light (Jack to his family and Al to some), age 84, passed away at his home with the love of his life, Carol, by his side on the same street on which he was born. Survived by his wife, his high school sweetheart, Carol Downs Light, with whom he had almost been married for 64 years; his son, John Light, San Francisco, CA; daughter, Cynthia (Sebastian) Pistrutto, West Chester, PA; grandsons Matthew and Daniel; and granddaughter, Katherine; and daughter-in-law, Patricia Curran Light. He was preceded in death by his son, Brian Light; his parents, Alfred George and Sarah Harper Craig; his grandfather, Alfred M.; his grandmother, Lillian Tenant — who helped raise (and spoil) him after his mother passed away when he was a toddler; his sister, Norma Jean McClurd; and brothers, Craig Light and Kenneth Light. He also leaves behind many nieces and nephews who affectionately called him Uncle Jack.

A 1958 graduate of Penns Grove Regional High School, Jack lived in Carneys Point his entire life and worked for DuPont Chambers Works as an Instrument Mechanic for nearly 40 years. His fondest memory was the family trip he and Carol took with their children John, Brian and Cindy in 1973 traveling in their motorhome to the Grand Canyon, Yellowstone, Mt. Rushmore, Las Vegas, Painted Desert and the Champion Motorhome Factory. They also would camp on the Skyline Drive, Niagara Falls and spent countless summers at the Jersey shore with Carol's family. In their empty nest years, Jack and Carol

started their motorhome adventures again. Camping out at the Green Dragon in Ephrata, PA almost every weekend. They also frequented the fire house carnivals in Reinholds, PA, Cambelltown, PA, and Sunset Park in West Grove, PA where they enjoyed listening to some of their favorite performers including Ronnie McDowell, Neal McCoy, Dierks Bentley, Zac Brown Band, Jimmy Wayne, and Marty Stuart. During the winter their RV adventures would see them flee the Jersey winters to spend some time in the warm sun of Lady Lakes, FL where Jack would always drive back to the brisk March weather still in his favorite pair of shorts; still wearing them all the way through November. His greatest joy was his children and his three grandchildren, whom he adored reading to while they sat on his lap and helping with his grandson Daniel's Eagle Scout project and thus, he surprised "Poppi" with the Mentor Award at his Eagle Scout Ceremony which made him feel especially honored and proud.

All services will be held at the Union Presbyterian Church, 254 Shell Rd., Carneys Point NJ 08069. The viewing will start at 9:30 with the service following at 11 AM. Burial will take place at Lawnside Cemetery following the service. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Union Presbyterian, 254 Shell Road, Carney's Point, NJ 08069. adamsfuneralhome.org

Cemetery Details

Lawnside Cemetery

896 NJ-45
Woodstown, NJ 08098-2800
(856) 769-2626

Previous Events

Viewing

DEC **21**. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Presbyterian Church
254 Shell Rd.
Carneys Point, NJ 08069

Service

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Tribute Wall

SP

“ 10 files added to the tribute wall



Sebastian pistritto - January 11, 2025 at 05:41 PM

SP

“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Sebastian pistritto - December 30, 2024 at 09:52 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Alfred John "Jack" Light.

December 25, 2024 at 11:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Alfred John "Jack" Light.*



December 25, 2024 at 11:18 PM



“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Sebastian pistritto - December 23, 2024 at 10:07 AM



“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Sebastian pistritto - December 22, 2024 at 10:14 AM



“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Sebastian Pistritto - December 20, 2024 at 09:34 PM

CP

“ 1 file added to the album Jack



Cindy Pistritto - December 20, 2024 at 09:24 PM

JG

“ 1 file added to the album Light Family



Julie Light Githens - December 20, 2024 at 09:15 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Alfred John "Jack" Light.



December 18, 2024 at 11:58 AM

AP

“ All of our love, Lars and Peggy purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Alfred John "Jack" Light.



All of our love, Lars and Peggy - December 17, 2024 at 05:47 PM

DG

“ We will miss you Uncle Jack. What a lifetime of memories! Family get togethers, Holiday dinners, Birthday parties, camping trips, trips to the shore, Christmas Eve parties, swimming in the pool, barbecues and just stopping by to visit. Lots of great memories. Rest in peace Uncle Jack. Love, Donna

Donna Greever - December 17, 2024 at 03:09 PM

EJ

“ Edgar and Jessie purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Alfred John "Jack" Light.



Edgar and Jessie - December 17, 2024 at 01:46 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Alfred John "Jack" Light.



December 17, 2024 at 01:41 PM

MM

“ John and Mrs. Light, I am so sorry for the loss of your dear father and husband. There are no words to express how sorry I am. May God bless and comfort you in this difficult time knowing that Brian is there to guide him home 🙏

Michele Mattioli-Landew - December 17, 2024 at 11:32 AM