



## Jeffrey Allen Sturm

August 23, 1941 - April 15, 2024

Jeffrey Allen Sturm, age 82, of Pawleys Island, SC passed away peacefully with his family by his side, at his residence on Monday, April 15, 2024.

Born August 23, 1941 in Akron, Ohio, he was a son of the late Max Sturm and Edna Orman Sturm.

Jeffrey was educated and degreed at the Cleveland Institute of Art and began his professional career at Scherr McDermott as a Senior Designer, and then throughout his career his talent was shared with: the City of Akron, Ohio as Graphics Director, Norman Malone Advertising as Senior Designer and a Commercial Art Teacher at Howard Vocational High School and finally opening his own Graphic Design Studio: Jef Sturm Graphic Design. He taught oil painting and drawing at Sea Coast Artists Guild and was a local celebrity at Brookgreen Gardens and the Georgetown Art Gallery where his work is exhibited extensively. He was a member of the Gold Tee Golf Association where he devoted ample time to his love of golf at the Traditions Golf Club. In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his brother, Byron Sturm. Surviving is his wife of 30 years, Debrah M. Sturm, his daughter, Erin Kummet and her husband Blaine of Lawrenceville, GA; his son, Kevin Sturm and his wife Kristie of Charlotte, NC; his stepson, Kenneth Myers and his wife Marci of Fowler, MI; 6 grandchildren: Sophia Hammond, Noah Sturm, Sydney Sturm, Samson Sturm, Gabriel Myers, Nathaniel Myers; his sister in law, Beverly Sturm and numerous nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews. A Celebration of Jeffrey's life will be held at a later date by his family.

Please share a memory and support by signing Jeffrey's guestbook at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is assisting Jeffrey's family.

# Tribute Wall

AH

“ Sending you love and prayers for comfort, Deb.

Allison Hardin - April 18, 2024 at 10:24 PM

MC

Debbie, I am so sorry to hear that wonderful Jeff has passed on. What a shock. I send you and your darling Morgan all my love and prayers.  
Marcia Constance

marcia constance - April 19, 2024 at 02:40 PM

KA

“ Our sincere condolences for the loss of your loved one. May cherished memories and earnest prayer bring comfort for family and friends at this time. Isaiah 41:13

Kathryn - April 18, 2024 at 04:32 PM



“ 3 files added to the album Memories Album



Goldfinch Funeral Home - April 18, 2024 at 04:25 PM

KK

“ Keith & Linda Kimmel planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Jeffrey Allen Sturm.

Keith & Linda Kimmel - April 18, 2024 at 04:13 PM

TS

“ Jeff,

*It was always a blessing to play a round of golf with you and just share some conversation with you. Rest in peace my friend!*

*Tom Swanson*

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**Tom Swanson** - April 18, 2024 at 04:07 PM

SA

“ *I believe that tears can heal, memories can comfort & love lives on forever. We are very sorry for your loss - Robert & Sally Becker*

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**Sally** - April 18, 2024 at 01:01 PM

JT

“ *We only knew Jeff for a short time but we would get together and play cards and talk about his work and golf. I was our pleasure to know Jeff just a little bit and we are sorry we didn't have more time with him. God bless Jeff and his family.*

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**jerry and barb thimpson** - April 17, 2024 at 04:53 PM