



John Daley

August 23, 1923 - April 11, 2012

John F. Daley, Jr.

John F. Daley, Jr. died Wednesday, April 11, 2012 in Pawleys Island, SC after a short illness.

Mr. Daley was born August 23, 1923 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He graduated from the Taft School, in Watertown, Connecticut and the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia. He served as a fighter pilot in the Ninth Air Force in Europe during World War II. After the war he joined the DuPont Co. in Chattanooga, Tennessee and later transferred to Wilmington, Delaware, in Textile Fibers Marketing before leaving to form his own businesses. In 1983, Mr. Daley retired to Georgetown, South Carolina, where he became involved in the community, specifically with The Architectural Review Board, Winyah Indigo Society, and War Birds. He was also an avid boater spending 6 months out of every year cruising up and down the eastern seaboard with his wife of 60 years. Their hobby was the restoration of their historic home in Georgetown.

Surviving are his wife Mason Marston Daley; two sons, John F. Daley, III, of Norco, California, and W. Talbot Daley and wife Susan of Parkton, Maryland; a daughter, Frances D. Marsh and husband Robert W. Marsh III, of Centreville, Maryland; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren and numerous nieces

and nephews.

Services will be held at the convenience of the family. If desired, individuals may send contributions to: Holy Cross Faith Memorial Episcopal Church, 113 Baskerville Dr., Pawleys Island, S.C. 29585 or Tidelands Community Hospice, Inc. 2591 N. Fraser St. Georgetown, S.C. 29440.

An online guestbook is available at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

LW

“ *Mason, I will surely miss Jack. He had a great sense of humor even when he was frustrated and technically challenged! I will never forget the time you called and Jack was in a panic - his desktop was turned sideways. I never knew what to expect when I got "that" call. Jack never took his frustrations out on me and I enjoyed working with him over the years. My deepest sympathy. Your friend and computer guru, Leslie Weiss*

Leslie Weiss - April 16, 2012 at 08:59 AM

MD

Leslie, I just saw this; how funny! He really could get in a mess with that computer but it certainly gave him a lot of pleasure...most of the time.

Mason Daley - April 22, 2012 at 02:45 PM

MQ

We send love to all the Daleys from all the Quicks, with happy memories that we cherish.

Mary Quick

Mary Quick - July 11, 2012 at 01:20 PM

CK

“ *Dear Mrs Daley and family, I was very sorry to see in the paper that Mr Daley died. I have fond memories of you all and I just wanted to let you know that I am very sorry for your loss. Cee Rump Kelsey*

Cee Rump Kelsey - April 14, 2012 at 03:40 PM

MD

Hi Cee, Thanks for your thoughts. I just think about all the fun we had at Gemweald and then your trip with Fran to the Far East. Much as I miss him he left me with 60 years of great memories.

Mason Daley - April 22, 2012 at 02:50 PM

KS

“ *Mason, we are deeply sorry for the loss of your beloved Jack. It was an honor to meet him and listen to his rich experiences. What a fabulous personality! May all the joyous memories you've shared, as well as knowing he's with our Lord now, comfort you at this difficult time. All the best, Kathy and Dennis Sullivan*

Kathy and Dennis Sullivan - April 13, 2012 at 09:11 PM

MD

*Thanks Kathy,
It seems we've lost another HoDAR. It really enjoyed that National Defense luncheon. Wish there were a way to jump start it again in some other form.*

Mason Daley - April 22, 2012 at 02:53 PM

GB

“ *Dear Mason, We are so saddened by the news of Jack's death. We are so happy to have known him for the remarkable man he was, and will be forever thankful for the wonderful gift (Wahoo) ne (Recovery Room) we purchased from you both 22 years ago. It gave us more joy for a longer time than any other thing we have ever owned. We are keeping you and your family in our prayers in the realization that he is at rest in his eternal life now. All our love, Essie & George*

George & Essie Blalock - April 13, 2012 at 04:49 PM

MD

Thanks you two. Isn't it wonderful that I got to have that 80th birthday and he got to catch up with all his best boater buddies. The last thing I said to him that I know he understood was "let's take the boat and anchor out at Butler Island". It's a great visual for me. Love you, Mason

Mason Daley - April 22, 2012 at 02:58 PM

EP

“ *Dear Mason,
Just read Jack's death notice in the Coastal Observer. He was a wonderful man and will be missed. May you and your family have the Lord's peace knowing he is in even a better place. Please let me know if I can help you in any way. Love, Ellie Petersen-Waltemyer.
Your realtor and friend.*

Ellie Petersen-Waltemyer - April 12, 2012 at 07:41 PM

MD

Hi Ellie, I'm just glad we got to this spot on the creek that I love so much. "We" still have a drink at 5:30 on the back deck. Even though I'll miss him a lot, I'll be very content right here. Thanks for your help with that.

Mason Daley - April 22, 2012 at 03:05 PM

MP

“ *Dear Mason,
I was so saddened to hear of Jack's death. He will be remembered by many of us here at the Manor. Love, Marion (Powell)*

Marion Powell - April 12, 2012 at 03:34 PM

MD

*Thanks Marion,
Isn't it wonderful that he was able to enjoy so many years of golf at RVM and then to come back here to the water that meant so much to both of us. I count myself as very lucky even though I miss him so much.*

Mason Daley - April 22, 2012 at 03:08 PM

KS

“ *Mason - you, Tal, and your family have all been in my thoughts. Jack was so full of brightness and I am so sorry for your loss. I am so glad to have had the fortune to know him.*
Kathryn Schwartz

Kathryn Schwartz - April 12, 2012 at 12:47 PM

MD

*Thanks Katy,
I can see you are going to be my constant companion for a while. Jack took care of so much.*

Mason Daley - April 22, 2012 at 03:11 PM

LW

“ *Dear Mason and family, So sorry for your loss. Sending sincere sympathy to you all from an old Wilmington/needlepoint friend, Lynn Weymouth*

Lynn Weymouth - April 12, 2012 at 10:34 AM

EL

*Dear Mason and family, Thank you for letting us know of Jack's passing. He will be missed very much by all who knew and loved him. We will be thinking of all of you in the days ahead.
With our deepest sympathy.
Elle Lewis*

Eleanor Lewis - April 12, 2012 at 03:39 PM

MD

Oh my goodness! Do you realize I still use my check book holder you made me for my birthday way back in 1975!!!! We've both come a long way since the "Jolly". I am so thankful that Jack went downhill very fast. I miss him a ton but know that he's in a safe place now. Thanks for thinking of me. Love you, Mason

Mason Daley - April 22, 2012 at 03:19 PM