



Gene Caple

June 9, 1951 - November 11, 2016

CAPLE, NORMAN EUGENE Ocala - Gene Caple, 65, passed away on November 11, 2016 after a short illness. He was born in Miami on June 9, 1951 to Norman and Dolores Caple and had three brothers, Danny, Paul and Donald. He graduated from Palmetto High School and lived in Miami-Dade County for 54 years. Gene started flying at age 14, soloed at 16, and enjoyed flying planes and helicopters all his life until he was grounded by poor health. He enjoyed cooking, his dogs, boating in the Keys, target shooting, and all kinds of music. Gene was a police officer fulltime for 10 years, starting at South Miami Police Department. He continued as a reserve officer for 13 years at Miami-Dade and Marion County Sheriff's offices. Gene was hired by FAA at Miami Center as an Air Traffic Controller in 1982 until he retired in 2005. He especially enjoyed working in QA and as a military liaison specialist. Gene is survived by his loving wife, Robin; and two dogs, Bella and Penny. He loved his goddaughters, Kelsey Zeigler and Michelle Patrick; nieces, Heather, Adrienne, Janelle, Shelby and Leslie Ann; nephews, Bret, Daniel, Jonathon, Bob, Brian, Tim, and Ellis. Visitation will be held November 18, 2016 from 6-8pm at Roberts Funeral Homes, East, 2739 SE Maricamp RD, Ocala, FL 34471. Funeral Mass will be held November 19, 2016 at 11am, Blessed Trinity, Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th ST, Ocala, FL. Reception to follow church services at Blessed Trinity Fellowship Hall. In Lieu of flowers, please donate to Humane Society of Marion County, PO BOX 1542, Ocala, FL 34478, 352-873-7387, or Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4870,

352-873-7400, Please write in memory of Norman 'Gene' Caple.

Tribute Wall

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“ It seems there's very little anyone can say or do to ease the loss of one who meant so very much to you, but may you find some comfort in the sorrow that you bear, just knowing there are many hearts that understand and care. Our thought and prayers are with you and your loved ones.

Vicki & Bill Moore - November 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ Indeed it is sad to learn that you are mourning the loss of your dear Norman. This must be a very painful period for your family. Please be assured that our loving and compassionate God is not only aware of your pain, his word shows that in due time, he will act to remedy it (Rev. 21:3, 4). In the interim, God warmly invites you to trust in him for comfort (2 Cor. 1:3, 4). Please accept my condolences at this most difficult time. 🌹

S. Crump - November 14, 2016 at 12:00 AM