



## MR. Jai Krishan Pahwa

September 19, 1929 - February 19, 2018

Jai Krishan Pahwa passed away peacefully in Summerfield, FL on February 19th, 2018 after a long battle with dementia. He was at home, surrounded and supported by his entire family, including his beloved dog Nick.

Born in Multan, Punjab, Pakistan on September 19th, 1929 to Amir Chand and Pairi Bai Pahwa, he spent a happy childhood there before moving with his entire family across the border into India during the Partition of 1947. Soon thereafter he married his wife, Chander Kanta Pahwa. He served in the Indian police force all his life, including on the personal detail to Indian Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi, eventually achieving the rank of Deputy Superintendent of Police in Karnal, Haryana, India. After retirement, he moved to the United States to be with his children and grandchildren, settling in Ocala, FL where he was a part of the community for more than 28 years prior to his passing. He was always admired for his exacting nature and was known all around town as he ran errands, bought the family groceries, and shuttled his grandchildren and friends from place to place. He never accepted a thank you and always felt that in working for others he was simply fulfilling his duties as a father, grandfather, and friend. He loved watching the Indian Cricket Team from across the world and did so until the very end.

He was preceded in death by his wife and his brother, Chander Kumar. He is survived by brother Ved Kumar of Gurgaon, India; daughters Anju Vasudevan of Ocala, FL and Ashima Sastry of Baltimore, MD; and grandchildren Kumar

Nita Vasudevan of Atlanta, GA and Neha Neal Sastry of Baltimore, MD. His graceful presence and steadfast love will be missed by all.

# Tribute Wall

MG

“ I remember uncle fondly as part of our summers gone by,playing badminton,driving kids back and forth from summer camp.He was lucky to have received such great care in his final years by his wonderful family.May God give all of you peace.These bodies are perishable,but the dwellers in these bodies are eternal,indestructible,and impenetrable-Bhagavad Gita.

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**Meeta Gulati** - February 22, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ I was blessed to have known Uncle. He was always full of love and affection. He reminded me of my father whenever we had conversations. I will miss him very dearly. May his Soul rest in peace.

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**Rajesh Gulati** - February 22, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ i was blessed to know this wonderful person as papaji . he was always very energetic, active, well dressed, compassionate , helpful and a Religious person. he gave the love of a grandpa to my kids .we all miss you papa. Rip papa.

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**Manjusha Godi** - February 22, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ I am blessed to know him as papaji .I have learnt a lot from him. He was always occupied, busy , working, helping . I remember him as well dressed , punctual , well organised and a religious person. he gave my kids the love a grandpa gives as they never had any . we miss you papa .Rip papa.

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**Manjusha Godi** - February 22, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ I knew him as papa . Things I remember about papa are small moments,like-He wouldnt mind driving to the grocery store for 3 rd time just because we needed bananas -he would do his fasting even though it was getting difficult with age- he told us if you ate better , you dont have to stress so much about exercise He connected with me as if he was my own dadRIP papa- lots of love - savitha

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**savitha shivananda** - February 22, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ I was blessed to have known such an amazing man. His life lives on thru his girls and grandchildren! He was very wise strong and caring. He will be missed by many all who knew him loved him, he has gained his wings now he is free. God Bless all, Big Hugs!!!

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**Tiffany Vanlue** - February 21, 2018 at 12:00 AM