



Jeffrey A. Elizeus

February 2, 2021

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“ Thinking of you today, Jeff you had the best laugh I have ever heard, the best poker face for a brief moment hidden behind the abrupt laughter. Always a blast to work with on Cat Duty. You could make home to wherever we traveled. Gone way too soon. Peace be with you my brother from another mother! Cheers! ❤️😎

Brian Reid - November 19, 2025 at 11:49 AM

PG

“ Jeff I will forever remember you as the best person I met in my life.
Patrick

Patrick GOUDIN - January 01, 2022 at 05:31 PM

JC

“ I Have known Jeff since high school . His dad and my dad were good friends . Jeff always had good humor and sincere laugh . Jeff , your house was the biggest house I ever wired . I Believe it took almost 4 years over 12000 feet of wire and a lot of holes to drill . I had great fun during construction we had many stories we talked about growing up . Jeff you will be sorely missed . Rest in peace my friend . Joe Ciufu

Joseph Ciufu - February 23, 2021 at 06:15 PM

JB

“ I met Jeff when I first started at FM back in 1990 when I started as a field engineer. He was already in the adjustment department but was always ready to help. I vividly remember Jeff helping Ellen Christian to get me home as soon as possible from a visit I was on at AK Steel in Middletown, OH as my wife was rushed to Allegheny General Hospital where she gave birth to our son Alex via an emergency C-Section. Back in those days Jeff had a book that listed all the various flights and they were able to get me on a flight from Cincinnati to Pittsburgh quickly as I drove to the airport. That is where I met his wife Kathy in the High Risk OBGYN Department as she was the head intern at that time. Every year at the Cleveland Operations kickoff meeting Jeff and I would catch up on what everyone was up to in our families. During the 2020 KO meeting Jeff was telling me that his daughter Alex (Alexandria) was looking at going to medical school and I told him that was funny because my son Alex (Alexander) was also applying medical school. We both thought that was kind of neat. I will truly miss Jeff as I know all of you will and I have to say that I am a better person for having known him. My family and I will keep all of you in our prayers.

Jon, Becky and Alex Barna

Jon Barna - February 13, 2021 at 02:18 PM

JJ

“ I was 20 years old and nervous for my interview for my first “real job”. I remember walking into Jeff’s corner office. The interview must have gone well because he offered me the job to be his assistant and to support other insurance adjusters on his team & a few engineers. Because of that job, I met some lifelong friends. Amazing and great friends. We would get together once or twice a year with Jeff at the Olive Garden to catch up, reminisce, talk about life and to witness my former colleagues eat countless amounts of the all you can eat soup, salad and breadsticks. It was quite embarrassing at times. Because of Covid, we didn’t have our Olive Garden visit in 2020. Today, I learned that Jeff passed away suddenly to a brain aneurysm. I will never forget him and am thinking of his wife, daughters and friends. It’s never easy losing someone suddenly.

Life is short & today was another reminder of that. I know that Jeff was proud of me and of my career, and he will always be my first “real boss”. He was awesome. RIP Jeff Elizeus

Jessica Jarosz - February 07, 2021 at 09:53 AM

AO

“ *Our sincere condolences to all.
I have known Jeff since 1976.
He was a good man who did the right things. He had courage. He was fair. He was a good communicator.
He always included B&M Field Engineering in his initial field visits. I respected that much.
I played cards with him at lunch for many years. He would roll his eyes when we would bid too high.
I still do not understand how he knew how fast he was driving with his odometer system disconnected.
I think he was the last Pittsburgher to get paid by check in person on payday. John Puck handed him his paycheck.
I will miss him much during my few 25 year club visits to Cleveland.
He always spent time with me.
I know he is resting in peace.*

Al and Denise Onda

al onda - February 06, 2021 at 11:22 AM



“ *My dad was one of the most selfless people I have ever met. He would give you the shirt off his back if you needed it. He would come to every swim meet as a kid, cheering me and my sister on in the stands. He was the best horse show dad who stood right by the arena to watch us ride. He helped my other friends with their horses and always had a smile on his face. When I started my job, he was so ecstatic that I was following in his footsteps.*



*I always wished that I could work on a loss with him, but I know that he'll be with me everywhere. I keep thinking that he's on a trip and he'll come home soon, but this time it's a different trip.
I love you forever and always*

Ashley Eliz - February 05, 2021 at 04:55 PM

WF

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Wagener family - February 05, 2021 at 03:10 PM

MA

*Kathy, Alex and Ashley,
I am so sorry for your loss, We have fond memories of Jeff at those swim meets.*

Marilyn - February 06, 2021 at 05:58 PM

CW

“ To the Elizeus family: I was saddened to hear the news of Jeffrey’s passing on Monday. I last communicated with Jeffrey on January 20th and we shared car stories, photos and specs / details of his recent hot rod purchase (1931 Ford Deuce Coupe), as well as our past vintage cars and current rides. Since I’m recently retired, we had the opportunity to share more stories of our loving families and passion for classic cars. RIP Jeffrey. I will always have fond memories of our time together in Claims the past 35 years and on several CAT Duty stints for FM Global from the late 1980’s through 2017. You helped show me the ropes and for that I will be forever grateful. Our prayers and thoughts are with you all, Christopher & Judy Wasko and family.



Christopher Wasko - February 04, 2021 at 11:21 PM

DG

“ I met Jeff as a young insurance adjuster in the late early 1990's. At that time, he was managing the Pittsburgh claims office of Factory Mutual Engineering Association. My initial thought of this big burley guy is that I didn't want to cross him. However, Jeff's warm personality made me feel at ease and welcome. Over the course of the next 28 or so years, I spent many a day with Jeff working and "playing" together. I came to Jeff many times for advice or to bounce things off him. He always seem to say the right things. He was a great mentor to me and a good friend.

He was always a company guy and always tried to do the right thing for FM Global. As I spent many days with him out of the office on Catastrophe duty, we had many long conversations over dinner or beers, talking of many things. He would tell me of his house building issues and problems, his wood working, his love of cars, many of his day to day adventures such as working with the code inspectors or issues he had with the state automobile inspection, tools he had purchased, or how his swimming pool wasn't at a perfect angle to the house. I came to his home many times to see the status of his house building project which I believe took a number years to complete. He would also bring up the family and what all the girls were doing, how they were doing in school, etc. He was so very proud of them. We spoke of our wives and how they were much happier when we were on cat duty. I will miss Jeff. He was a great man and a good friend.

Dennis Gutknecht

Dennis Gutknecht - February 04, 2021 at 04:16 PM