



## Joseph Charles Durinick

February 15, 1943 - January 19, 2021

Joseph (Joe) Charles Durinick, age 77, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, January 19, 2021 at Grand Villa of Deerfield Beach, Florida. He was born in Brooklyn, New York on February 15, 1943, the son of the late Joseph and Mary Durinick. He resided in Delray Beach, Florida. Joe received his undergraduate degree from St. Francis College of Brooklyn New York and his master's degree from Barry University, Miami, FL. Joe started his career as an auditor for New York Stock exchange and held various Senior Accounting positions throughout his career. He enjoyed spending time with his family and friends, cooking, sports and the beach. Joe was also a gifted musician and during college played drums with his band The Del-Fi's. He will also be remembered for his sense of humor, infectious laugh and generous spirit.

Joe is survived by his two loving children, Craig Robert Durinick and his wife Donna of Amsterdam, NY and his daughter Jennifer Durinick of Delray Beach, FL; two loving grandchildren Morgan and CJ Durinick; companion and best friend Maureen Cleary; former spouse and mother of children Marie Durinick; sister Lorraine Santora, Vero Beach, FL; niece Lisa Vivirito (Nick) Vero Beach, FL and cousins.

After cremation, a private gathering on the water for the celebration of Joe's life will take place.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Joe's memory to a charity of your choice.

# Comments

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“ I am honored to have known him as “Dad2” I have many fond memories on the Avenue joining Jennie and I for many fun events and get togethers. Some of my favorite memories are of Christmas Eve dinners with Lobster and his famous stuffed clam shells! Coming from Texas, he made me feel special and like one of the family!! His humor and laughter was infectious to say the very least!! He will be missed! I send my heart felt condolences to Jen and all of her family. Rest In Peace- Much love, Lee Ann

**Lee Ann Buchholtz** - February 05 at 08:08 AM



“ You were special to Dad and we will always have these special memories.  
**Jennifer** - February 14 at 08:01 PM



“ Our deepest condolences to the family. Joe would meet us downtown to enjoy many Holiday festivities in Delray and his laugh was infectious. He will be missed.

Prayers to the family,

Elaine & Dave Zazeski  
Delray Beach, FL.

**Elaine Zazeski** - February 02 at 10:58 AM



“ Thanks Dave and Lainey. We had a lot of fun and laughs.  
**Jennifer** - February 02 at 07:36 PM



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**JENNIFER DURINICK** - January 30 at 09:55 PM

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“ Joseph as a baby with his sister Lorraine , and his grandmother. (Mother’s Mom)



Lisa Vivirito - January 29 at 03:40 PM

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“ Joseph was a wonderful son, and brother to his sister . A family man. Even with miles , and states apart he managed to be part of each milestone , as well as sad occasions for support.



Lisa Vivirito - January 29 at 03:36 PM

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“ There is not enough room to share my favorite memories with my Uncle Joe. I was the lucky one to have a special bond with him that comes around once in a lifetime.

He was a gentle , caring soul. Laughter was always part of the dynamic. We were 20 years apart , and gladly celebrated our birthdays together many February’s. My grandfather’s stuffed lobster was a mutual joy we both made Christmas Eve. Now each year I will embrace remembering those numerous “lobster” calls.

I insisted that my daughters call him Great Uncle Joe, and he certainly was a “great”uncle! Miss you forever ...



Lisa Vivirito - January 29 at 03:17 PM



“ You both were blessed to have this special relationship. Thanks for sharing. XOXO

JENNIFER DURINICK - January 30 at 09:34 PM



“ It was always a fun time when Great Uncle Joe visited, or when we went down to Florida and visited with him. Lot of memories were made surrounding meals (seafood was a favorite), family, and laughter. I remember when my sister and I were young, Uncle Joe would always joke around and play with us, and his laugh was contagious! As a kid, I always thought it was cool that his birthday was the day after Valentine’s Day, and my mom’s (his niece, Lisa) birthday the day before. I would always tell that to my friends each February! I will remember the love, laughs and happiness Great Uncle Joe brought to all of our gatherings!



**Lauren Vivirito** - January 28 at 04:29 PM



“ Beautiful memories, never forget. Thanks for sharing.

**JENNIFER DURINICK** - January 30 at 09:38 PM



“ Uncle Joe’s voice and laugh are imprinted on my brain. I swear I can hear him right this second - as if I was with him yesterday. I see him smiling right now in my mind's eye so vividly! I loved Uncle Joe and have nothing but fond memories of him.

**Scott DeSapio** - January 27 at 08:21 PM



“ Thanks cuz, love it. And you too of course . Xoxo

**Jennifer Durinick** - January 27 at 11:49 PM



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**JENNIFER DURINICK** - January 26 at 09:21 PM



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**JENNIFER DURINICK** - January 26 at 09:10 PM



“ Joseph was many years older than I and when ever my family would go to his Brooklyn apartment to visit he was always out with his friends. I use to love playing his drums when we were there. When he would come home if we were still at the apartment I would always ask him to play his drums. He never said no. I use to love this. When we all got older he would call me once a week to find out how everyone was. Just chatting about those hockey teams always made him happy. Rest in Peace my Sweet Cousin. Love you Linda Pandolfo

**Linda Pandolfo** - January 27 at 11:06 PM



“ Thanks for sharing, very sweet. I heard how cool he was being in a band. When I was growing up, he used to take the drums out and play. I was impressed myself. I only wish I would have asked him to teach me.

**JENNIFER DURINICK** - January 30 at 09:46 PM

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**JENNIFER DURINICK** - January 26 at 09:03 PM



“ Our visits to Brooklyn with the Durinick family was always enjoyable. Uncle Joe watching football, aunt Mary in the kitchen, and all the kids watching Joseph Jr. play the drums. I remember when he started on aunt Mary's pots and pans. He even sounded good then. Joseph did get his set of drums and went to town on them. We all had a front row seat. Joseph was my super star. So handsome and talented. Maybe he didn't know but I was his biggest fan. God bless you. We all love you and will miss you. Cousin Alice & Roger

**Alice & Roger** - January 31 at 09:40 PM



“ Thanks for sharing. You told me you were his biggest fan. I did not know about the pots and pans. That's where it all starts! 🍷

**Jennifer** - February 02 at 07:32 PM

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