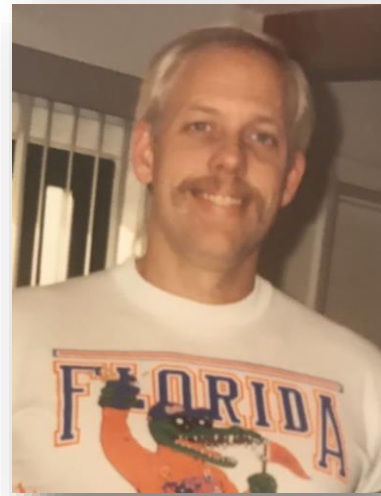


Obituary

It is with great sorrow that the family of David Raymond Swan of St. Petersburg announces his passing on Sunday, May 31st from complications of cancer. Dave was born in Chicago on July 22, 1953 to Charles and Margaret Swan and moved to Florida as a teenager. He attended Gulf High School in New Port Richey, where he met his wife, Noel, to whom he was married his entire adult life. After high school Dave attended the University of Florida, where he earned a Bachelor's in Electrical Engineering. He remained a loyal and passionate Gators fan for the rest of his life; some would even call him "Gator Dave." After college, Dave and Noel settled in Seminole, FL, where they raised four children and managed the family business, Windows Inc. alongside his father and brother, Greg. In 1997, Dave's work took him and his wife to Orlando. While there, he earned a Master's Degree in Civil Engineering. Later they moved to Macon, GA where he continued his career in manufacturing management. He and Noel eventually ended up back in Pinellas County, where Dave enjoyed going to the beach and spending time with his family. Throughout his life, Dave was devoted to his family, enjoyed fitness/health, and remained passionate about the pursuit of knowledge to the very end.



He is survived by his adoring wife of 45 years, Noel; his son Paul (Lisa) and grandchildren Marie, Paul, Astrid; his son Aaron; his daughter, Kristen (Thaddeus) and grandchildren Eli, Ronin, Max; and his daughter Cinnamon. He will be lovingly remembered as a wonderful husband, father, grandfather, and friend and for his calm, collected spirit, infectious love of knowledge, and undying devotion to the Florida Gators. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to your local food bank to support those in need from recent economic hardships. "Go Gators!"

A Celebration of life will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, June 5, 2020 at the Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Please join us on Face Book Live at www.facebook.com/brownfuneralhomeandcrematory at 2:00 p.m. Friday. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Dave's memory to the Metropolitan Ministries or to your local food bank.