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CANNONMICHAEL Y., 73, passed away suddenly on August 9, 2012, leaving behind family and friends to remember a man who lived life to the fullest in both his personal and professional lives. One of the most honored and respected real estate appraisal experts in the country, Michael was the Executive Director of Integra-Miami/Palm Beach/Orlando/Naples-Sarasota and was the former President of Appraisal and Real Estate Economics Associates (AREEA) of Miami. In business for nearly half a century, he served as a trusted real estate advisor to investors and lenders throughout South Florida, the Caribbean, and across the United States. He had testified as an expert witness for the U.S. Senate Banking Committee, authored a weekly real estate column in the Business Monday Section of the Miami Herald, and was in demand across the country and around the world as a guest speaker and commentator on real estate issues. In the 1980's Michael's son Mark and son-in law Chris Librizzi joined AREEA. Surrounded by family, together, they helped to build AREEA into one of the largest commercial and residential appraisal firms in all of South Florida. Prior to Mike's real estate career, he was a professional bowler. As a young man, Michael achieved the rank of Eagle Scout. In his later years, Mike became the consummate bachelor and grandfather. A popular resident of Coconut Grove, Mike will long be remembered by his moniker, Mad Dog. The life of every party, Mike loved his four grandchildren Hershel and Hailey Cannon, and Courtney and Carlie Librizzi. He will be sorely missed by his daughter Cindy Librizzi of Coral Springs, her husband Chris, his daughter-in-law Annette Cannon of Miami Beach, and his sister-in-law Edythe Cannon. Michael was predeceased by his son Mark, brother Dr. Stanley Cannon and parents Miriam and Irving Cannon. Donations in memory of Michael can be made to Integra Forefathers Scholarship Fund, IRR Miami/Palm Beach, Attn: Paula Constantine, 9400 S. Dadeland Blvd., PH1, Miami, FL 33156. Chapel Services 2:00 p.m., Sunday, August 12, 2012 at Levitt-Weinstein



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Memorial Chapel, 18840 W. Dixie Hwy., N. Miami Beach. Arrangements
by BLASBERG-RUBIN-ZILBERT (305) 538-6371



Tribute Wall

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Anonymous posted:

Mike was a teacher to me as he was to so many professionals. As a business writer for the Daily Business Review and other South Florida publications since the late 1980s, I regularly called on Mike for guidance. His expertise was exceeded only by his enthusiasm. And that humor. His humor really came through today at the touching service at Levitt-Weinstein Memorial Chapels. Journalists should be content just to get a good interview. With Mike, I inevitably got a good laugh, too. My thoughts are with his family, friends and colleagues who knew Mike much better than me.###imported-begin###Mike Seemuth###imported-end###

August 12 at 6:11 PM



Anonymous posted:

I was shocked to hear of Mr. Cannon's death. I am a journalist who frequently spoke to Mr. Cannon regarding real estate matters. He had a wealth of information. And he was always patient with me, a novice in land use matters. I'm sorry I didn't get to know him better. I'll miss him.###imported-begin###Erik Bojnansky###imported-end###

August 12 at 3:18 PM



Anonymous posted:

To all who had the pleasure of knowing Michael I had the privilege to work and collaborate with Michael and I intend to keep within me some of his courage, professionalism and optimism. Michael always had a good story about every developer and project in South Florida. Working with him was like being part of a family. Michael provided not only his expert opinion and know-how, but also his human warmth and a generous attitude toward the world. To wit: he nicknamed me, His preferred French Canadian Lady JosÃ©e de Repentigny On behalf of all TMSA team in MontrealGuy TrudeauBernard ThibaultMartin Galarneau###imported-begin###Josée de Repentigny###imported-end###

August 11 at 6:03 PM



Anonymous posted:

Mike was a bundle of energy and always willing to help. He will truly be missed.###imported-begin###Michael Ambrose###imported-end###

August 10 at 1:44 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Michael by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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