



Bernie Kishton

May 1, 1952 - April 23, 2015

Bernie Kishton, a long time resident of Chateau Élan (Braselton Georgia) died on Thursday April 23, 2015 at age 62. Born to the late Frank and Helen Kishton, he was raised in Erie, Pennsylvania. Bernie loved playing sports and being outdoors as a child, a passion that continued throughout his life. Bernie graduated from Cathedral Prep High School and earned a Bachelors Degree in Business Administration from Mercyhurst College. Bernie managed several retail businesses in northwestern Pennsylvania prior to relocating to Atlanta, Georgia in 1983. After successfully managing several retail businesses in the Atlanta area, he took on the challenge of entrepreneurship in several businesses that included wine retail and real estate. Bernie was a man of boundless zest for life and was known as a true gentleman by all. He enjoyed traveling, especially to destinations that would result in visiting his extended family including his many nieces and nephews. He was an avid golfer and enjoyed spending time with his friends and golf buddies. He is preceded in death by his sister, Signe. He is survived by Debbie, his wife of 32 years, a sister Nadine and brothers Frank, Joe and Lou. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made to Emory University Hospital, Office of Gift Records, 1762 Clifton Rd. NE, Suite 1400, Atlanta, GA 30322 or online at: <http://emoryhealthcare.org/about-us/make-a-gift/index.html> Condolences may be submitted on-line at www.scotward.com. Scot Ward Funeral Services, 699 American Legion Road, Conyers, GA 30012, 770-483-7216.