

LOUIS V. KUMER, JR.



Lou passed away on August 9, 2022, at the age of 79, with his children at his side. He will join Diane, his wife of over 55 years, who passed in 2017.

He grew up in Oakmont, PA, working many weekends at his father's clothing store. He attended the University of Pittsburgh and taught American History, largely at Seneca Jr. High in Penn Hills, for the next 30 years, where he was well liked by teachers

and generations of students.

Lou enjoyed hunting, great music, a cold beer with friends, but it was golf that he cherished. In his prime he was a scratch golfer, and for a number of years he even held the course record at Buffalo Golf Course in Sarver, PA. One of his greatest pleasures in life was golfing with family and friends each Sunday, a ritual that he rarely missed in over 50 years, and one that served as the impetus for many epic "Louie" stories that will live on forever. He was a lifelong member of SNPJ (Slovene National Benefit Society), and enjoyed vacationing and spending time with his extended family at SNPJ's campsite in Enon Valley, PA.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Louis V. Kumer, Sr. and Jacobine Kumer (nee Berg), his brother Frederick and his wife Diane L. Kumer (nee Berkoben). He is survived by daughter Jill Gobrigh (Stan) and son Ken (Beth), five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Beyond his immediate family, he had an amazing support structure of relatives and many close friends. Charismatic and kind, Lou filled their lives with laughter, friendship and many good times.

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