



Jerry Hagen

May 11, 2020

Jerry Hagen of Niagara On The Lake and formerly of Wallaceburg, passed away peacefully at Fiddick's Nursing Home in Petrolia on Monday, May 11, 2020 at the age of 76. Jerry is the son of the late Harry & Helen Margaret (Simpson) Hagen. Loved brother of Pat Hagen (Arline), Chris Hagen (Bob Leach), Barb Vandergulik (Jamie McDougall) and the late Jim Hagen. Fun and caring uncle to Michelle, Jim, George, Emily, Jessica, Ryan, Sara, Katelyn, Tamika and Allison. Jerry's vibrant journey has come to an end. After attending the University of Windsor Teacher's College, he was hired by the Lincoln County Board of Education, beginning a very successful career. Jerry loved traveling throughout the world, especially if the destination had a beach. He spent many summers in Mykonos, Greece and later at his condo in Naples, Florida. Jerry loved his home in Niagara On The Lake where he had many close friends and was always the life of the party. He was generous and kind, always bearing gifts for his family and friends. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted The HAYCOCK-CAVANAGH FUNERAL HOME, 409 Nelson Street in Wallaceburg. Due to the Covid-19 situation, please celebrate Jerry's life by having a glass of wine, watching a good movie, and remembering his wicked, sarcastic sense of humour. We love and miss you Jerry. If desired, remembrances to Parkinson Canada may be left at the funeral home 519.627.3231. Online tributes may be left at www.CavanaghFuneralHome.ca

Tribute Wall



“ *Jerry Hagen*

January 29, 2023 at 11:37 PM



“ *Had Mr. HAGEN as my grade teacher at Alexandra in St Catharines. One of my great influences in my life. Thank You.*

Msrk Vago - January 06, 2022 at 08:45 PM



“ *Thanks Jerry, lovely moments in Mykonos, Amsterdam and Niagara.*

Ronald - September 03, 2021 at 06:16 PM



“ *Very very sad news! I was very lucky to be part of Jerry's life for few years & to hear that he's not here anymore it's very very sad!*

Georgios Polymeros - October 01, 2020 at 10:50 AM



I am sure that you have a wonderful story to think about, today, on Jerry's birthday. More laughter than tears!

Chris Hagen - October 01, 2020 at 09:24 PM



omg where to start .. so many happy and funny memories (tears too) but definitely so many happy memories! I was very very sad to hear find out about his passing! Very sad that i never got the chance to see him again

Georgios Polymeros - October 05, 2020 at 03:51 PM

LJ

“ I had the pleasure of meeting Jerry on the Naples Beach years ago. I will miss our walks and talks and having cocktails at the condo. Jerry was a big part of my beach family for MANY years and will be sorely missed. He ALWAYS brought a smile to my face. Ill miss you Jerry... Lisa Jaric Youngstown, Ohio

Lisa Jaric - August 07, 2020 at 01:44 PM

CH

Thank you for sharing your memories of Jerry. He always was the greatest host! Chris

Chris Hagen - August 28, 2020 at 10:09 PM

SF

“ Suzanne Flink lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen



Suzanne Flink - July 28, 2020 at 07:00 PM

ST

“ Rest In Peace my good friend. I will never forget all the wonderful times we had on Mykonos and the long-distance phone calls catching up.
- Steve

Steve - July 16, 2020 at 09:05 PM

CH

Thank you Steve for your donation to the Parkinson's Society. Enjoy your memories. Chris

Chris Hagen - July 21, 2020 at 03:32 AM

DB

“ In 1983 Jerry spent the summer in Ibiza. He did love a beach! His apartment was above mine. From the day he arrived until he left months later we spent time together. We just laughed all summer. We stayed in touch by letter and amusing birthday cards. When I was getting married in 1986 Jerry secretly contacted my parents and arranged for him to be surprise guest at our wedding in the UK. My daughter was born in 1988 and Jerry was our first visitor. He bought her a set of Bunnykins chinaware which we still have. When I was 50 in 2007 my daughter invited him to my party and again he made the trip to the UK from Canada to be with us. That was the last time I saw him. He had such a wicked sense of humour and I have so many great memories. I was lucky to have known him. My thoughts are with your family.
Dawn Byrne

Dawn Byrne - May 26, 2020 at 09:57 AM

BV

Thank you for sharing

barb vandergulik - May 27, 2020 at 09:38 PM

PC

“ Jerry was an unique individual and had a magnetic personality that pulled you in with his charm and wit. Our years at WDHS were fun filled. After the fortieth WDHS Reunion we lost touch but I still have very fond memories of him.

Patricia Shephard Capes

Patricia Shephard Capes - May 21, 2020 at 07:08 PM

JC

“ Jerry was a good friend in high school with his irreverent wit and engaging personality.
We had lost touch over the years but I am happy to hear that he had an awesome life and many loving friends. Jerry was one of a kind and I smile when I think of him.
Judy Morrow Capps

Judy Capps - May 21, 2020 at 12:32 PM

CH

I can remember Jerry mentioning you throughout the years. For some reason, I thought that you may have randomly ran into you in some distant place. I am glad that you have memories to make you smile.
Chris

Chris Hagen - May 21, 2020 at 05:20 PM

JC

Thanks Chris. I sat beside him on a flight to Hawaii and we laughed and chatted all the way. Friends of mine met him on a plane to Malaga and they toured Spain and Morocco together and had a ball, of course with Jerry it was always fun.
Judy

Judy Capps - May 22, 2020 at 12:13 PM

MB

“ Marcel & Christine Birch lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen



Marcel & Christine Birch - May 14, 2020 at 11:47 PM

SC

“ *Sherry&Dave Crowe sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Sherry&Dave Crowe - May 14, 2020 at 07:06 PM

GW

“ *We miss Jerry so much. He was part of our Niagara family since we met about 56 years ago. We had so much fun, laughter and wonderful times . All precious memories of this unique man.*



John and Gerri

Geraldine Waud - May 14, 2020 at 02:40 PM

BV

John and Gerri you were both very kind to Jerry and our family appreciates the friendship you had

barb vandergulik - May 27, 2020 at 09:41 PM

CB

“ *My sincere condolences to the Hagen family. So many great memories of growing up on Park St. We were all like family.*
Carol and Vince Bryden

Carol Bryden - May 14, 2020 at 09:36 AM

MD

“ *Condolences to the Family. Jerry was a great guy and will be missed by many. We all had fun with Jerry and good memories growing up in the old neighbourhood.*
Sincerely, Marsha(Thompson) Delanghe.



Marsha(Thompson) Delanghe - May 13, 2020 at 07:05 PM

CC

“ *Always much fun and laughs to be had when in the company of Jerry! We enjoyed a wonderful afternoon last June, sipping and reminiscing about our exploits as colleagues in Lincoln County. Thanks to a mutual friend we had one last get together. So sorry to learn of his passing. My condolences to his family and friends at this sad time.*

Catherine Cookman - May 13, 2020 at 06:20 PM

JH

“ *I well remember Jerry and his sister from when we lived at 20 Hagen Court . We were good friends of Helen and Harry.*
Rest In Peace Jim!



Jo Dunlop Tarita my name then would have - May 12, 2020 at 10:50 PM

GH

“ *Gayle And Austin Hockin lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen*



gayle and austin hockin - May 12, 2020 at 09:57 PM

RW

“ I worked at the Shaw Festival with Jerry but he was also a friend. I remember in an emergency he rushed my son to the hospital in his little Mini without a second thought and that was just one instance that he was there for me. Underneath his wry sense of humour (which I loved!) there was a heart of gold. He will be missed.

Rebecca Walsh - May 12, 2020 at 06:53 PM

BV

Thank you for sharing

Barb VanDerGulik - May 13, 2020 at 09:33 AM

BQ

“ Spent many a high school night with Jerry. My name is betty de kort quesnel.rest in peace

Betty quesnel - May 12, 2020 at 06:14 PM

TN

“ Todd & Nancy(Lewis)Sharrow lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen



Todd & Nancy(Lewis)Sharrow - May 12, 2020 at 03:42 PM

GF

“ Gerry Flynn lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen



Gerry Flynn - May 12, 2020 at 11:16 AM

VS

“ *Virginia Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Virginia Smith - May 12, 2020 at 10:59 AM

VS

Our deepest condolences to Pat, Chris, Barb, and all the families. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.. Arden and Virginia Smith

Virginia Smith - May 12, 2020 at 11:03 AM

MJ

“ *Michelle Judson lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Michelle Judson - May 12, 2020 at 10:44 AM

SO

“ *My deepest condolences to All of the Hagen family members*



Sandy Ouellette - May 12, 2020 at 09:40 AM

MB

“ *Marlene Bushey sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Marlene Bushey - May 12, 2020 at 09:28 AM

KM

“ *Karen Morrow lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Karen Morrow - May 12, 2020 at 09:25 AM

RY

“ *Rose-Marie Yazbeck lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Rose-Marie Yazbeck - May 12, 2020 at 09:01 AM

EJ

“ *Eric & Sandra Johnston lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Eric & Sandra Johnston - May 12, 2020 at 08:50 AM

MC

“ *Deepest sympathy from Stan Jackson and Mari Cole*



Mari Cole - May 12, 2020 at 08:48 AM

KL

“ *Karen And Larry sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Karen and Larry - May 12, 2020 at 07:39 AM

KL

Jerry I will miss you thanks for the laughs over the years Love ya

Karen and Larry - May 12, 2020 at 07:40 AM

AM

rest in peace Jerry... good memories.. great laughs

Antoinette Moore - May 12, 2020 at 03:49 PM

CM

“ *Condolences to the Hagen family. Not easy losing a family member especially at this time with virus, makes it even harder on everyone. Hugs to all.*

carol ann matthews-holek - May 12, 2020 at 01:29 AM

GF

“ *Gerry Flynn lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Gerry Flynn - May 12, 2020 at 12:20 AM

KD

“ *I am sorry to hear of Jerry's passing my condolences go out to all the family. I grew up across the road and remember all the family.*

Kathleen Donahue - May 11, 2020 at 10:48 PM



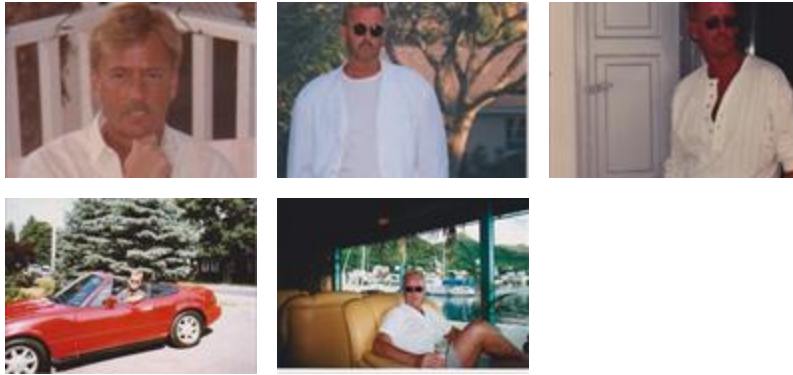
“ *Kimberly Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Kimberly Smith - May 11, 2020 at 10:39 PM

EZ

“ We are sending our deepest condolences to your family. We loved Jerry so much. He met my husbands family in 1974 when he was a tour guide in Canada. They became lift-long friends and had many fun trips and adventures together over the years. Jerry had good friends, great travels, and a loving family. He was the best Jeopardy player ever, and his famous line to anyone who wanted to play was "me against all of you, that way it's fair". Jerry will be missed.



Elizabeth Zihelr - May 11, 2020 at 08:28 PM

BV

Thank you for sharing the photos of my brother

Barb VanDerGulik - May 12, 2020 at 09:08 PM

EJ

“ *Eric & Sandra Johnston lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen*



Eric & Sandra Johnston - May 11, 2020 at 06:26 PM

CB

“ Chris & Cheryl Byrne sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerry Hagen



Chris & Cheryl Byrne - May 11, 2020 at 06:26 PM

LS

“ Lola, Matt Pamer And Wayne Saunders lit a candle in memory of Jerry Hagen



Lola, Matt Pamer And Wayne Saunders - May 11, 2020 at 05:36 PM

MB

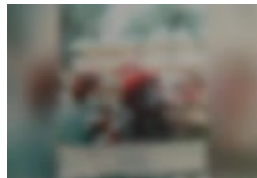
“ So sorry for your loss Emily



Marlene Bushey - May 11, 2020 at 05:32 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Emily Simpson - May 11, 2020 at 05:05 PM

PS

Thank you for a heart warming timeline of Jerry, a cool, sophisticated gentleman who will live on with fond and loving memory among all the lucky people he touched. As Junzie once said, "Jerry packed a lot in", enjoyed life. I loved "Jared" for his individuality, great sense of humor, and for including his Florida friends over many years. Much love and condolences to your family, Pam Slocomb

Pam Slocomb - May 13, 2020 at 12:36 PM

JR

Thank you for sharing Pam ❤️ Your name as well as June's have come up many times over the past few days. You were not just his Florida friends you were his Florida family ❤️ Chris and Jess

Jessica Rabideau - May 14, 2020 at 01:13 PM