



Jason Lorne Kennedy

February 2, 1970 - June 5, 2020

Jason L. Kennedy, Attorney at Law, a resident of Chicago, Illinois and always a citizen of Bloomington, Indiana died as a result of a heart attack at the age of fifty years.

He was a 1988 graduate of Bloomington High School south where he ran cross country and track and was a senior class officer. He then graduated from Indiana University in 1992 from the School of Business and was president of his social fraternity, Sigma Alpha Epsilon. He went on to law school at Indiana University Bloomington and earned his Juris Doctorate in 1996. After completion of his studies he went to Chicago to begin the first of almost a quarter of a century of practice with the law firm of Segal, McCambridge, singer, and Mahoney. He enjoyed his firm, the partners, associates, and support personnel and he truly enjoyed the practice of law. He served on the firm's executive committee and was chair of a major practice group within the firm.

He fully embraced Indiana University sports, the Liverpool Football Club and his association with men in Blazers.

He is survived by his brother Jeffrey L. Kennedy and his father, James L. Kennedy. His mother, Jerilyn L. Kennedy predeceased him in 1999. Also Aunt and Uncle, Mary Jean and Tim Greene, Aunt, Gail E. Kennedy and Uncle, Bill

Jones, as well as several cousins and other relatives survive.

He would want it known to his special group of boyhood friends from Bloomington and to his later made friends from Chicago that he thought the world of them and deeply valued them for their friendship and years of support, comradeship, and loyalty. His family feels the same way. A gathering will be held later.

A bright light extinguished far too early.

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory, 4155 S. Old State Road 37, Bloomington, have been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences

Tribute Wall

SS

“ I am in shock! Somehow in the craziness of 2020, I completely missed this. I actually was looking Jason up to give him a call. We have been friends since high school and hung out in college at his SAE house.. He was such a good friend... His mother and my mother died from the same cause... He was the one friend who really understood what I was going through... Jason was one of those friends that you could go out and have a drink with one year, not see him for two... and pick up right where you left off the second you see him again. We tried to stay in touch through the years and made it a point to get together at the Crazy Horse or Irish Lion for dinner/drinks every few years around Christmas time... .. Jason was a true-blue friend... Full of laughs, adventures, and always willing to offer a listening ear.

So tonight, my son (who is also an SAE) and daughter-in-law, casually suggested that I talk with an "attorney friend" for some non-official legal advice... My son suggested that I call my friend in Chicago. He knows Jason was always willing to offer friendly advice from a legal perspective... "Yeah", I thought... I haven't talked to Jason in a while... I wonder what he is up to?" And as I looked him up online, my heart sank.....

I am still sitting here in disbelief.... There are truly no words... A friend of mine gone too soon...

To Jeff and all of Jason's family, I send my sincere condolences. I can only imagine the sadness and grief that you must be feeling... especially as time continues to march on... Duff, if you read this... I have lots of fun Jason stories to share if you ever want to hear them.. :)

Jason... You really shocked me this time! I guess you got out of me bending your ear with a long-winded conversation! :) and you got out of buying me some drinks at a future get-together! :) Thanks for always being a good friend! Know that you were loved by many and will always be missed!

I hope you are with your mom and are enjoying a great life on the other side! Until we meet again!

Shelley :)

Shelley Stephens - June 22, 2021 at 05:01 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Jason Lorne Kennedy.*



June 14, 2020 at 01:44 PM



“ *Dear Jim - May your many wonderful memories of your beloved son, Jason, bring you and your loved ones peace. With love from Lorraine Merriman Farrell & Richard Farrell*

Lorraine Merriman Farrell - June 12, 2020 at 03:49 PM



“ *Chicago Liverpool Supporter's Club purchased the Red Rose Fireside Basket for the family of Jason Lorne Kennedy.*



Chicago Liverpool Supporter's Club - June 12, 2020 at 12:59 PM

KA

“ Jason was a key part of the Chicago Liverpool Supporter's club, and the whole community here will miss him dearly. I had the pleasure of getting to know Jason over the course of several years and I consider myself lucky for having that privilege. Truly a great man that had an impact on so many. You'll Never Walk Alone.

Kevin Achettu - June 12, 2020 at 12:49 PM

BK

“ Jason and I go way back in our litigation careers handling asbestos matter in Indiana. He was bright diligent and great at his job. Whenever we got to see each other - usually at depositions - he was always prepared. That is a trait essential to a successful career, which he definitely had. Jason will be missed by all who knew him. Peace be with you.

Bruce Kamplain

Bruce Kamplain - June 12, 2020 at 09:58 AM

RA

“ Jason lived his life in a way that created wonderful memories for his friends. He will be dearly missed.

Ray Alt - June 11, 2020 at 01:46 AM

3N

“ 3843 N Southport Ave Neighbors purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Jason Lorne Kennedy.



3843 N Southport Ave Neighbors - June 10, 2020 at 02:50 PM

TC

“ *The Men In Blazers, Good Friend of the Pod Crew purchased the Healing Tears - All White for the family of Jason Lorne Kennedy.*



The Men In Blazers, Good Friend of the Pod Crew - June 10, 2020 at 01:30 PM

HF

“ *RIP.*

#YNWA

A Fellow Red and Hoosier

Hoosier Red Fan - June 10, 2020 at 01:25 PM

AW

“ *You'll never know how much your support over the years meant to me and all of us at AnfieldShop. I'll never forget sitting on the green monster with you cheering on the mighty Reds. You were always so nice and generous with your time and feedback. All of us are better for having you in our lives. You are already so missed.*

Alisha Weiss - June 09, 2020 at 08:34 PM

JM

“ Jason was a true, salt-of-the-earth, genuine, caring person that I was lucky to know for so long through Chicago LFC and our mutual love of Liverpool Football Club. He was full of joy and energy but never needing to be the center of attention. His attention was much more focused on how everyone else was doing than toward anything about him. A Top Hoosier, A Top Chicagoan, A Top Red, and anytime LFC score toward The Kop end, I'll think of him. Condolences to his entire family and all of his close friends. Rest In Peace. You'll Never Walk Alone.

Joseph Maxon - June 09, 2020 at 08:12 PM

KI

“ It's really not sinking in. Jason was the lynchpin of our high school class. His sense of humor was matched by his intelligence and kind heart. I'll never see pinstripes without thinking of him. His large, all-encompassing group of school chums will miss him terribly. I send my love to his dad and brother, and all of his friends. A bright light gone too soon ❤️

Kristin Ingersoll - June 09, 2020 at 06:03 PM

BA

“ Deepest Sympathy to Jeff and his family. Jason and Jerilyn will forever be in my heart.

Barbara Y. Allen

barbara allen - June 09, 2020 at 05:42 PM

CW

“ I was Jason’s secretary for 19years at Segal, and he was absolutely the Best Boss to work for. He was a good listener and very supportive in ways no one knew. Jason was full of knowledge from sports to major news. He gave back so much to his community and schools. He was a big contributor to the Boys and Girls Club as well as his support to various causes. Jason you will be missed.

Carla Woodall - June 09, 2020 at 04:14 PM

JB

“ Jason was opposing counsel in many of my cases; nevertheless, I considered him a friend. A true gentleman and brilliant and always fair litigator. He will be missed by many. The world is a lesser place without him. My deepest condolences to his family and loved ones.

Jena Borden - June 09, 2020 at 03:06 PM

KF

“ Jason and I attended middle school and high school together. We connected about four years ago. The past four we never missed a good morning or a good night babe. He meant the world to me.

Jason my dear you will forever be the man that has made the lives of others better.

My heart goes out to Pops and Duff.

With love always, Kari

Kari Follick - June 09, 2020 at 02:49 PM

LL

“ Love The Georgs Andy, Mariciel, Luke purchased the Fields of Europe for the family of Jason Lorne Kennedy.



Love The Georgs Andy, Mariciel, Luke - June 09, 2020 at 12:51 PM



“ At the pub, I never saw him not smiling. I think he saw it his responsibility to lift everyone around him up, especially when things weren't going well for us on the pitch. Forever Red, Jason. YNWA

Mitch Hurst - June 09, 2020 at 12:26 PM

BR

“ So sad to hear this. Jason Kennedy was such a positive, warm and friendly person I'm so glad to have known him. I still remember how pleased he was to win these custom Liverpool adidas and how pleased I was to see him proudly putting them on! His pleasure made my day as well as his. Rest in Peace mate, what a top Red. You'll Never Walk Alone.

Bryn - June 09, 2020 at 11:58 AM

AG

“ James and Jeff - Jason was a one of a kind! For me, 42 years of crazy adventures and laughs. We are all devastated and wish we were all together...but we will be soon.

Love,

The Georgs

Andy, Mariciel, Luke

andy georg - June 09, 2020 at 11:35 AM

JD

“ He was one of a kind! A brilliant and timeless sole who would give you his seat at the bar and always had time for a handshake or hug and great chat! There is no line like Jason! His presence will always be at AJ Hudson's! The best of the Chicago Reds! #YNWA

jonathan B. david - June 09, 2020 at 11:28 AM

CM

“ Jason and I became close friends six years ago and always kept in touch. He was the sweetest, funniest, goofiest guy I knew and I am going to miss our many text conversations and our wonderful friendship. He was one of a kind and will never be replaced.

To Mr. Kennedy, his brother, all of Jason's close friends and coleauges, I am so sorry for your loss and I am mourning this wonderful guy with all of you.

RIP my dear friend, you will NEVER be forgotten.

Christine Miller - June 09, 2020 at 11:21 AM

JH

“ *Jim and Family:*
I am so very sorry for your loss. Jason and I have met on a few occasions in our careers and I always enjoyed our time together. My colleagues who knew Jason much better than me, always spoke of Jason in glowing terms for both his personality and his professional skills. I wish peace to all of you in the days to come.

Jim Hehner
IUPD Class of 1979

Jim Hehner - June 09, 2020 at 11:06 AM

DS

“ *I was one of Jason's friends through the Men in Blazers community. His positive energy and generous spirit helped bring everyone together on-line and in person. I am honored to have become friends with him. His wit, kindness and generosity will be greatly missed.*

I will miss Jason's friendship. I promise to carry on his legacy and support the community of people who he connected me to through his leadership of the MIB GFOP crew. God willing I will go to the next Men In Blazers event, probably sobbing, but also celebrating the life of my friend. Courage.

Don Steele - June 09, 2020 at 10:57 AM

BW

“ Jason Kennedy was one of a kind. In his second year of law school, three of us shared the “exec” wing in the fraternity. One night, he invited us to see him in a mock trial. After watching a brilliant performance, I’d like to think the three of us convinced him that he would be doing the world a disservice if he stayed on a path toward tax law. Through the years, we saw him mature from a great mentor and leader into a trusted advisor and loyal friend. The Weiss family will miss the Bum’s ever present smile and hug to connect so many great people!

Brad Weiss - June 08, 2020 at 10:37 PM

JF

“ My deepest condolences to the Kennedy family.




Julie Fowler - June 08, 2020 at 10:28 PM

DS

“ Condolences to the Kennedy family.

Don and Becky Schmuhl - June 08, 2020 at 08:21 PM

 Renee Harrell-Smith

“ Gone far too soon. Rest easy Jason. Thoughts & Prayers to all who loved him.



Renee Harrell-Smith - June 08, 2020 at 04:41 PM

GA

“ I’ve known Jason since kindergarten. Our paths crossed constantly and I have fond memories all through the years. We went through Childs Elementary, Binford Middle School (he was the Gold Block Quiz Bowl guru and I was Blue Block’s) and South. Our conversations always included memories of growing up and every single time we would say “Kurrambis” (the way the Laker’s PA announcer introduced Kurt Rambis). Every reunion we’d chat for a while and remember the good times. I’ll miss you seeing you at IU games and reunions. Jason, you were a great one.

Geoff Aiken - June 08, 2020 at 04:16 PM

EC

“ Edward Clinch lit a candle in memory of Jason Lorne Kennedy



Edward Clinch - June 08, 2020 at 12:10 PM