



Jeremiah F. O'Hern

April 19, 1938 - May 10, 2015

Jeremiah F. O'Hern, 77, of LaFayette, NY, died at home on Sunday, May, 10, 2015 in the loving paws of his best friends Wolfie, Buck and Scratchy. Born in Syracuse, NY, he was the son of the late John and Elizabeth (Maroney) O'Hern. He was a graduate of Le Moyne College. He retired as a claims examiner for the New York State Department of Labor. Was a member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and was a New York Mets and New York Giants fan. He enjoyed his beer, stuffed crust pizza, internet shopping, the outdoors, hunting, fishing and gardening. Jeremiah is survived by his sons, Michael and Matthew (Colleen) O'Hern; daughter, Karen White and Janet O'Hern; brother, Jack (Yolanda) O'Hern; seven grandchildren, Alex, Johnny, Keegan, Carly, Bridget, Riley and Quinn. He was predeceased by his wife, Nancy Keohane O'Hern in 1987. Calling hours will be held Thursday, May 14, 2015, 4 to 6 p.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, Inc., 2584 Field Lane, LaFayette, NY. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Friday, May 15, 2015, 10 a.m. in Church of the Nativity at St. Joseph's, 6136 Cherry Valley Turnpike, LaFayette, NY. The family would like to request in lieu of contributions to spend a day at the ball park. Cheers!

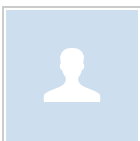
Tribute Wall



“ *Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Jeremiah F. O'Hern*



Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home - May 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mo, Matty and Mick, The adventures and stories will always remain with me forever. I was one of the lucky people to know Jerry as close as a friend could be. I was so sad to hear the news. I think he waited until Mother's Day because he knew I am always away on the Hudson Fishing for a 10 day period. It would have been very hard to face everyone. He was always thinking of me and would try his best to always make me feel confident at what I was doing. We spent countless hours together. Those I will cherish in my mind forever. His Famous line to me was \"Jims don't worry (no matter what it was about) everything will be fine\". Jerry taught me many great things. He was truly one of the smartest men I have ever met. I will miss him with all my heart. I am very proud to call Jerr one of my best friends. My thought and Prayers are with all of you. Jimmy Marney Please stay in touch.*

May 18, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Janet (Mo), and family,

I will always cherish the \"Ball Park\" memories of your Dad, Momma Driscoll and Aunt Janet. They were great times. He was a funny, unique, and kind man. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

May 14, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Bird, I am so sorry about the loss of your father. The few times I met him he was even better than all the stories... bigger than life, and so full of it! I am pretty sure you were his favorite, but don't tell your siblings I said so ;) I will gladly enjoy beers and a ball game with you, in his memory. I offer my friendship, condolences, and like it or not- you have a hug coming. xo

May 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Dr. Matt: So sorry to have read of your Dad's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We will cheer especially loud in his honor while watching the NY Giants (and CBA Brothers) play this Fall.

Doris and Pat Brown

May 13, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Janet, I am so sorry for the loss of your dad. I always loved your stories and tales of adventure with him.

Take care,
Lisa (Ballard)

May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ Thoughts and prayers are with the O'Hern and Keohane family with the passing of Jerry. Have very fond memories at our family reunions - i always wanted Jerry on my softball team not for his talent on the field but his love and respect for the game and of course his sense of humor.

remember one year at the keohane reunion we had Genessee cream Ale or as Jerry called them \"screamers.\" With his sense of humor \"Johnny give me a screamer and why your at it put a outhouse 26 miles away and I will win a (expletive)marathon.\" That humor has stuck with me for over 30 years.

we will miss you Jeremiah - Rest in Peace until we meet again! Go Mets!

May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ i will miss jerry and his love for the mets. one of the few guys who knew everything about baseball. he always had good things to say about my dodgers as he was a good friend. glad the mets were in first when he passed. will miss you jerry, john scalzo.

May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Pop was one one of a kind and will forever be in my heart. Cheers Pop and go Mets! :)*

May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mike, Matt, Karen & Janet...
I am so very sorry to hear of your father's passing. I will forever remember the Reggie bars, trips to Baileys, rides to the softball field and just general good times. I loved visiting your house growing up as your parents always made me feel welcome. I can only imagine your dad in Heaven yelling...\"this is the best ball game yet!\" Much love and prayers for you all -*

May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Please accept the most heartfelt sympathies of Le Moyne College. We hope the love and memories that you will forever hold in your heart bring you peace and comfort during this difficult time.
Le Moyne College, Office of Alumni and Parent Programs
Syracuse, NY*

May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Will always lovingly remember Uncle Jerry when at the ball park.*

May 11, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jeremiah O'Hern had a lot of character and will be missed by many. Our deepest condolences to the family.*

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