



Ivan Miles Levy

August 9, 1954 - January 26, 2021

Erik Levy (on behalf of Ivan Levy)

3 North Oaks

North Oaks, MN 55127

January 27, 2021

Dear Family & Friends:

On January 26, 2021, Ivan Miles Levy, loving husband, father, sibling, and grandfather, passed away at the age of 66 with his spouse and children at his side. He passed away peacefully in his sleep after courageously battling pancreatic cancer for the past 12 months.

Ivan was born in Jersey City, New Jersey, and raised in New York City. He traveled west to the University of Oregon in 1972 where he met the love of his life, Mary Rice, whom he married in 1976; they remained happily married together for 44 years. They moved to North Dakota after college so that Mary could pursue her post-graduate studies. In 1978, the couple moved to Minnesota so that Ivan could attend Law School at the University of Minnesota. He graduated in 1981, and began working at the Henretta Law Firm. In 1989, he joined Interplastic Corporation, where he served as General Counsel for 31 years.

Ivan was the person everyone went to when they needed an answer; he was a lifelong learner who had a voracious appetite for knowledge. He had a tremendously quick wit, and loved cracking jokes both with and at his family's

expense. He always loved sports and greatly enjoyed traveling to visit various arenas and fields, particularly with his children.

Ivan is survived by his wife Mary, four children Erik (Kate) Levy, Brandon (Sara) Levy, Jason Levy, and Vanessa (Josh) Hoffman, two grandchildren (Eowyn and Ezra), and two siblings Marcia (Gerry) Charest and Doug (Teri) Levy. A celebration of Ivan's life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers and as a sign of Ivan's commitment to assisting adults with disabilities, the family requests that memorial contributions please be sent to Merrick Inc., 3210 Labore Road, St. Paul, MN 55110; www.merrickinc.org
Photos and memories can be shared at www.tributes.com/ivanlevy

Tribute Wall

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“ I am very sorry to hear of Ivan's passing. Ivan and I grew up together in Selden, NY and were close friends until he and his family moved away to the Comack area. Ivan lived just down the street from me on Hawkins Rd in Selden NY. I got to see Ivan again while in HS along with his mom when we played each other in basketball as I played for Newfield HS. It was a great surprise and very enjoyable reunion.

Over the past 10 years or so I have been searching for Ivan through various social media platforms and was deeply saddened to read/hear of his passing 2 years ago from pancreatic cancer. I know personally that this had to be a very difficult time for Ivan's wife and family as I lost my wife from cancer after a 3 year battle in May of 2020.

Please know all of you are in my prayers as I know how difficult this holiday season is with Ivan not being there. Ivan was a great friend and we shared a lot of laughs together growing up playing baseball, games, etc. Ivan may no longer be on this earth but all the great memories everyone that had the privilege of knowing him had will live on.

Brian Whelan
Tampa, FL

Brian Whelan - December 22, 2023 at 04:15 PM

MA

“ So sorry for your loss. I knew Ivan when we were in elementary school together in Selden NY. We played sports together growing up and I lived around the corner from him.



Michael Arent - August 06, 2021 at 12:00 AM

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“ Ivan and I started at IP within days of each other. He was a brilliant man and often gave me personal & professional guidance, and I respected him immensely. I was able to work with and get to know Erik before retiring but from my many personal conversations with Ivan over the years, I feel like I know all of you. I so admired his devotion to family. Ivan was the kind of person that makes you feel grateful to have been a part of his life. My deepest condolences to you all.

Melanie Lind

Melanie Lind - February 09, 2021 at 12:00 AM

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“ Erik - our deepest sympathies and heartfelt condolences to you and your family on the passing of your father. You and your family are in our thoughts. If there's anything that I can do, please let me know. Reed H.



Reed Heimbecher - February 06, 2021 at 12:00 AM