



## John S. Ruple Jr.

April 1, 1950 - February 1, 2021

John S. Ruple Jr. was born April 1, 1950, and passed away in his home on February 1, 2021, at the age of 70.

John Jr. was a lifelong Mentor resident, born to the late John and Nita Ruple, Sr. of Headlands Rd. Growing up on the shores of Lake Erie, John was an avid boater, fisherman and enjoyed being a member and former commodore of Grand River Yacht Club. John and his wife Peggy loved to travel together to the Florida Keys and Hilton Head Island where they would relax and take in the sunshine.

He started his career working for Osborne Inc., until going into the family home building business, John Ruple Inc. with his father John Sr. He later branched out to become VP of Ruple Builders and Remodelers.

John leaves behind his loving wife Peggy (Janos) of 49 years, son: John S. Ruple III (Amber Davis-Ruple), daughter: Ashley Ann Ruple-Wing (Jeff Wing), grandchildren: Landon, Reese, and Brynn Wing, step-grandson: Dylan Davis, Brother: Peter Ruple (Janet), Sisters in Law: Christie Ruple, and Sandy Harley, Nieces: Jackie and Lucy McAllister, Leigh and Courtney Ruple, Allison Harley, Nephews: Brian and Mark Ruple.

Preceding John in death are his parents John and Nita Ruple, Sr., Sister: Claire McAllister, brother: David Ruple, and brothers in law: Bruce McAllister and Scott Harley.

A private memorial service will be held this summer on the shores of Lake Erie.

In lieu of flowers the family requests contributions be made to The Lake Humane Society, 7564 Tyler Blvd., Mentor, OH 44060 or to a local food bank in John Jr.'s memory.

Arrangements entrusted to the Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor, OH 44060.

Please offer condolences at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com).



# Comments

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“ Dear Peggy and Family, Debbie and I were deeply saddened to hear of John’s passing. Please accept our sincere condolences to you and your family. Gary Horvath –Past Commodore GRYC

Gary Horvath - February 10 at 10:52 AM

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“ Dear.peggy and the Ruples. Im very sorry to hear about Jonn jr passing away. The Ruples were great and i really enjoy being around you all. Your a great family and John will be missed..  
Ron Crum Jr

Ron crum - February 08 at 03:47 PM

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“ Dear Peggy and family,  
We are so sorry to learn of John's passing. We enjoyed being dock partners for many years at Grand River Yacht Club. Our condolences to you and your family,  
Jerry and Dodi Farmiloe  
Englewood, Fl.

Gerald Farmiloe - February 07 at 04:40 PM

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“ Peggy, I don’t know if you remember me. We worked in Beachwood years ago. I read today that John passed away . My condolences to you and your family.  
Terri Lurie (Zappala)

terri lurie (zappala) - February 07 at 11:15 AM

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“ Dear Peg & Family:  
I send along my deepest sympathy & condolences on the passing of John.  
My thoughts & prayers are with you and your entire family.  
Mike Zivanchev

Michael Zivanchev - February 07 at 10:29 AM



“ I met John when I moved to Canterbury lane , we became friends right away as he was always a friendly guy . We remained friends . He was always a positive guy with a great smile and warmth. He loved his family and was a hard worker and was proud of his work. A good friend and good man , I will miss him . Roger Winslow

**Roger Winslow** - February 04 at 03:17 PM