## **OBITUARY**

John "Gerry" Beatty, 59, passed away on March 26, 2023. He was born on April 3, 1963, in Castlerea, Ireland.

Gerry was famous for his warmth, his penchant for whiskey, and his devotion to the Jacksonville Jaguars and Manchester United. Though we'll miss him terribly, his legacy lives on in the hearts and minds of everyone who knew him.

Above everything, Gerry loved spending time with his family. He was husband to Carolyn, dad to Ashley (Ryan) Perdew, Johnny, and Seth, and proud Papa to McKenzie and Madison Perdew. He is also survived by his mother, Mary Beatty; siblings, Mary Cox, Jimmy Beatty, Cathy Crips, Evelyn Bergin, Liam Beatty; uncle, Reverend William Kelly; and a host of nieces and nephews. He was a beloved friend to more than we can possibly list here.

Gerry was preceded in death by his father, Seamus Beatty; sisters Rachel, Francie Finnuala; and brother Eddie. A visitation that will be held Wednesday, March 29, 2023, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. in the chapel of Quinn-Shalz Family Funeral Home.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Thursday, March 30th, at 1:30 PM in St. Paul's Catholic Church with Reverend William Kelly as Celebrant.



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# Funeral Mass in Celebration of the Life of **John "Gerry" Beatty**

*April 3,1963* ~ *March 26, 2023* 



Thursday the Thirtieth of March Two Thousand Twenty-Three One—Thirty in the Afternoon St. Paul's Catholic Church Jacksonville Beach, Florida

## MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

#### **CELEBRANT**

REVEREND WILLIAM KELLY

#### CONCELEBRANTS

REV. MICHAEL LARKIN, REV. MICHAEL WILLIAMS, REV. TOM WILLIS, REV. MSGR. MICHAEL HOULE, REV. VALANARASU IRUDAYANATHAN, REV. JOSEPH JACOBS

PIANIST/ORGANIST

TIM McLain

**CANTOR/SOLOIST** 

**GRETCHEN HOSS** 

**PRELUDE** 

"AVE MARIA"
RICHARD MILLER

PROCESSIONAL HYMN

"I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE"

## LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING

ISAIAH 25: 6A, 7-9 JOHN BEATTY

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

PSALM 23 "The Lord is my Shepherd"

SECOND READING

ROMANS 8:31B-35, 37-39 CATHY CRIPS

#### GOSPEL

John 11: 17-27 Reverend William Kelly

#### Номпу

REVEREND WILLIAM KELLY

PRAYERS OF THE FAITHFUL

## **LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST**

PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

"PRAYER OF ST. FRANCIS"
SETH BEATTY, ANN MARIE BEATTY,
ELLA CRIPS, JAMES BEATTY

COMMUNION HYMN "ON EAGLE'S WINGS"

REMARKS OF REMEMBRANCE

### **FINAL COMMENDATION**

Song of Farewell Gretchen hoss

RECESSIONAL

"LADY OF KNOCK"

Following the Celebration, the Beatty family invites you to join them for a reception immediately following Mass in the Family Life Center.