



John Phillips Marcus

July 2, 1955 - February 26, 2026

John P. Marcus, February 26, 2026 age 70 of Canton

Beloved Husband of Carol

Loving father of David and Steven

Dear brother of the late Dr. Mary D. Marcus

John spent his career in Commercial Banking, retiring from PNC in 2008. He enjoyed spending time with friends and family, playing golf, pinochle or chess, and driving his bright blue Camaro. Summer was his favorite time to jet ski on Lake Michigan and vacation with the family. John was often seen walking his devoted Schnauzer, "Snickerdoodle" and his Labrador grand-pup, "Oreo" in the parks and neighborhood nearby.

Visitation will be held on Monday March 9, 2026 at 9:30 AM until the 11AM Funeral Service at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia.

Memorial contributions may be made to Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church-Music Ministry at: 14175 Farmington Road, Livonia, Michigan 48154

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Cemetery Details

Glen Eden Memorial Park

35667 Eight Mile Road
Livonia, MI 48152

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 9. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church
14175 Farmington Road
Livonia, MI 48154

Funeral Service

MAR 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Livonia, MI 48154

Tribute Wall

RG

“ John and Carol were our favorite neighbors in Holland. John and Ron shared a sarcastic sense of humor and we loved his laughter. We marveled at how active they were, always planning their next adventure. He adored Carol, was very proud of his sons and was a dedicated DogDad and DogGrandpa. We only heard about his passing today in a random phone call from Diana Brown regarding voting at Crystal Waters. She then said she thought we were friends and wondered if we'd heard about his passing. We are still in shock. Our hearts go out to Carol and their family. We hope they know how much he will be missed by all who knew him. Our prayers are that Carol and their sons will be comforted by their faith and the support of their MANY friends.

Ron and Carol Gerritsen - March 18 at 04:31 PM

DS

“ My deepest condolences to Carol, sons David and Steven and family. I knew John in our younger years, carpooling to Lithuanian events. He was always kind, sincere and polite to everyone. As we got older, he started hanging out with my younger brother, Alex. I was thrilled to hear last year that after way too many years, they had reconnected and that Marcus and Carol visited Alex and his wife, Geraldine, in Idaho, last summer. I was saddened to hear that Marcus had just passed away, but grateful for the time spent together last summer. Again, condolences to the Marcus family—
Daina Shutte, Portland, Oregon

Daina Shutte - March 16 at 01:37 AM

LS

“ John was a great friend and always added so much fun to our many outings to the theatre, symphony, dinners, sporting events and more. We will forever treasure his bigger than life personality and great sense of humor! Sending our love and deepest sympathies to dear Carol, David and Steven. David and Lori Stolzenfeld

Lori Stolzenfeld - March 08 at 07:57 PM

HF

“ Holly and family. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of John Phillips Marcus.



Holly and family. - March 07 at 08:47 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Phillips Marcus.



March 07 at 04:35 PM

BY

“ We were saddened to learn of John's passing. He was one of the first neighbors to introduce himself when we moved here in 2015, and he was always friendly and welcoming. Our neighborhood truly won't feel the same without him, and we will miss our conversations about Michigan football each season. Our thoughts are with his family.

Brad Youles and Family

Brad Youles - March 07 at 02:45 PM

CP

“ John was a good neighbor and friend, and a truly kind person. He will be missed. Blessings, prayers and strength to John's family, now and always. Cynthia Pizzimenti

Cynthia Pizzimenti - March 07 at 02:14 PM

JP

“ 2 files added to the album Frankfort Illinois Friends



JP - March 05 at 03:29 PM

JP

With deepest condolences to the Marcus Family from your Frankfort Illinois Family. RIP John and God Bless.

J.P.

JP - March 05 at 03:33 PM

KM

John was a good friend and coworker during his banking career. I always appreciated his authenticity, warm heartedness and humor. He had a very unique way of looking at life's situations which I found helpful and provocative. And he was a teacher of enjoying life. He was one of a kind and will be missed.

Ken Morley

Kenneth Morley - March 09 at 09:08 AM

JP

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



JP - March 05 at 03:27 PM