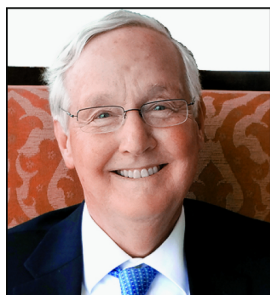


Joseph Baxter (1946 - 2017)**Obituary**

Joseph John Baxter
 CHARLOTTE - Joseph John Baxter was born on December 3, 1946, in Coral Gables, Florida to James and Nora Baxter. After battling cancer for 10 years, he passed away peacefully at his home in Charlotte, NC on January 6, 2017. He was 70

years old. Joe graduated from Charlotte Catholic High School in 1964 and Belmont Abbey College in 1968. Joe and Christine

married in 1969 Charlotte, NC. Joe enrolled and proudly served as a First Lieutenant in the United States [Army](#). During his time in the armed service, he bravely fought as an officer in the [Vietnam War](#). Joe was honorably discharged in 1971. He also earned a master's degree from the USC. Joe started his professional career in Winston-Salem, NC with Merrill Lynch. He was soon promoted to the training department in New York City. Joe found his true calling when he became the National Sales Trainer for Smith Barney in 1981. Joe spent the next 10 years training countless amounts of financial advisors and managers where he earned his nickname "The Coach". Joe was always committed to colleagues in his professional life, but his heart was dedicated to his family. Joe and Christine had three boys - Peter, John, and James. He rarely missed a sports game and coached whenever possible. The Baxter's moved back to Charlotte in 1991 when he joined Interstate Johnson Lane. Joe worked through all the banks mergers and retired with Wells Fargo after 27 years of service in December of 2015. He positively impacted the lives of all those he encountered and trained over 6000 individuals during his successful career. Joe Baxter will be remembered as a kind, caring, and compassionate individual. Joe is survived by his loving wife of 47 years, Christine Baxter, their three sons, Peter Baxter, his wife, Tracey, John Baxter, his wife Cindy Baxter, and James Baxter. They also have seven grandchildren, Alaric, Magnus, Anastasia, Moira, Aoife, Cole, and Quinn Baxter. The visitation will be held on Thursday, January 12th, at Heritage Funeral Home in Matthews from 6 - 8pm. The funeral will be held on Friday, January 13th, at St. Matthew Church at 11am in the Chapel. In lieu of flowers, the family has asked that donations be made to the Good Shepherd Foundation in Baltimore, MD - <http://gssmaryland.org/donate/>.

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"Very sorry to hear about Mr Baxter's passing. Our thoughts..."

- Joe Donlevy

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Mrs. Emily Carrington

Memorial services will be at 11 a.m. Old World Chapel at 1100 N. 1st St. in San Diego. Mrs. Carrington, 85, of 455 North Alhambra Street, San Diego, died Sunday, Oct. 1, 2017. She was a member of the First Lutheran Church of San Diego. She was a member of the First Lutheran Church of San Diego. She was a member of the First Lutheran Church of San Diego.

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