

JOHN LEONARD JORDAN

John Leonard "Jack" Jordan, 71, of King George, Va., and formerly of Annapolis, died of pulmonary disease Nov. 25 at home after a three-year illness.

Mr. Jordan was born May 8, 1936, in Richmond, Va., where he graduated from John Marshall High School in 1953 and the Naval Academy in 1960, with a bachelor of science degree in engineering. He earned a master of arts degree in human behavior from the United States International University in 1972.

He served in the Navy from 1956 to 1980, aboard the USS Sea Lion, USS Newport News, the USS Pomfret and the USS Mariano G. Vallejo, retiring as a lieutenant commander. He was also a navigation specialist aboard a submarine. He earned a National Defense Service Medal, a Navy Commendation Medal with Gold Star and an Armed Services Expeditionary Medal. Subsequently he worked for EG&G Inc. and was president and chief executive officer for Integrated Digital Systems.

He also held a Florida license as an occupational psychologist and was a certified psychology instructor for California community colleges, and a drug education instructor at Chapman College in San Diego.

His interests included computers, tropical fish aquariums, fishing, cooking and helping others. He was a member of the Fredericksburg Chamber of Commerce.

Surviving are his wife, Ann M. Kennedy Jordan, whom he married June 11, 1960; two sons, John Michael Jordan of Severna Park and Christopher Paul Jordan of Raleigh, N.C.; two daughters, Donna Ann Jordan of Annapolis and Tara Lynne Jordan of Esko, Minn.; one brother, Michael Jordan of Pinellas County, Fla.; and five grandchildren.

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