



Michael J. Timbers

December 30, 1941 - January 22, 2026

Michael J. Timbers, 84, of Bonita Springs, Florida, passed away on January 22, 2026, surrounded by family.

Mike was born on December 30, 1941, in Evanston, Illinois, graduated from Millburn High School in New Jersey, and obtained a bachelor's degree in commerce with honors from the University of Virginia. While at UVA, Mike played on the golf team and was a member of Beta Gamma Sigma, T.I.L.K.A., and the Raven Society. Following graduation, he served on active duty as a U.S. Army officer for two years and went on to earn an MBA with honors from New York University.

Throughout his career, Mike positively impacted and touched the lives of many through his leadership positions in the public and private sectors, including Commissioner and CEO of the Federal Supply Service of the U.S. General Services Administration early in his career and Chairman and CEO of IHS Group, a leading international information publisher, prior to retirement.

Mike was known for his lifelong passion for golf, appreciation of wine, sense of humor, enthusiasm for travel, enjoyment of sports, generosity toward friends, and deep love of family.

Mike is survived by his wife of 64 years, Dee; his children, Mike Timbers Jr.,

Ken (Vicky) Timbers, and Suzanne (Brad) Londer; his grandchildren, who lovingly called him Pops, Will (Meg Dattani) Timbers, Betsy Timbers, Chrissie (Brandon) Stetler, Annie Timbers, and Natalia Londer; and his great-grandchild Maya Timbers.

The family will hold a private interment ceremony with military honors at Fort Logan National Cemetery in Denver, Colorado at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make a donation in Mike's memory to Homes For Our Troops.

Tribute Wall

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“ I worked for Mike during his tenure at IHS. I am forever grateful for the opportunities that he gave me. Working in the International Sales division gave me the experience that allowed me to continue this path into my next job.

Dee, we did have the chance to meet at the yearly sales meeting - I do want you and your family to know how sorry I was to hear this very sad news. My deepest condolences to the Timbers family.
Fondly, Jean Jennings

Jean Jennings - February 11 at 03:56 PM

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“ My wife Amy and I have known Mike for over 25 years. We genuinely loved him like a second father. From seeing he and Dee's face all the time at Roy's Restaurant, to enjoying personal dinners with them, we always loved our time together. Mike was so generous. When we lost our restaurant in Naples due to Covid he was generous enough to buy a couple cases of wine to help us with cash flow. Just a great man and I will miss seeing him. I know he's in the best place possible and a place we are all jealous of. God Bless you Mr. Timbers! We will miss you greatly. And love to Dee and all the family.

Tom Rossetti - February 11 at 11:43 AM



“ *May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,*

May your memories of Michael J. Timbers, give you peace, comfort and strength...

*Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete.
I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom.
You will not be forgotten...*

*My thoughts
and prayers to the family of*

*US Army Veteran, Michael J. Timbers, is “A True American Hero”
God Bless†*

*† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life
for his friends. John 15:13 †*

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Military Museum - February 05 at 06:47 AM