Stanley Edward Jaros, Jr.

February 25, 1945 - March 29, 2016

The friends and family of "Ned" Stanley Edward Jaros, Jr. celebrate his life and honor his passing on March 29, 2016.

Ned grew up in New Jersey, attended Florida State University, received his Master"s degree in Urban Planning from the University of Colorado and served in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War.

A nonconformist, Ned's career pursuits included real estate, urban planning, teaching, modeling and veterans advocacy. He worked for Senator Edward Kennedy, the National Coalition for Homeless Veterans and on the Board of Veterans and Military Families for Progress (VMFP), where he helped pass veterans legislation and elect veterans to Congress.

Ned"s life taught us many lessons: Be an active citizen and give a damn. Cherish loved ones and befriend strangers. Seek truth and march for justice. Laugh, dance and enjoy life every day.