



## William J Kaletta

February 16, 1932 - November 5, 2010

William "Bill" Joseph Kaletta, Summerville

William "Bill" Joseph Kaletta, 78, of Summerville, died Friday, November 5, 2010 at his residence. Family and friends are invited to attend his Funeral Mass at St. John the Beloved Catholic Church, 28 Sumter Ave., Summerville, on Wednesday, November 10, 2010 at 9 o'clock. Rite of Committal with Final Commendation will be at 2 o'clock at Beaufort National Cemetery, Beaufort. A visitation will be held Tuesday evening from 6 to 8 o'clock at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Disabled American Veterans, PO Box 14301, Cincinnati, OH 45250-0301, Attn: Gift Processing.

Mr. Kaletta was born February 16, 1932 in St. Louis, MO son of the late Alfred John Kaletta and Veronica Reis Kaletta. He attended St. Louis University High School and St. Louis University. He was a successful radio advertising salesman in St. Louis, MO, New York City, NY, Kansas City, MO, Cleveland, OH and Columbus, OH. He served in the United States Air Force.

Survivors include: three sons and one daughter; Andrew Thomas Kaletta of Cleveland, OH, Matthew Joseph Kaletta of Summerville, SC, Katherine Kaletta Grady of Linden, VA, Michael Griffin Kaletta of Birmingham, AL, two daughters in law and one son in law; Michelle Tibbetts Kaletta, Bounnam Mounsavath Kaletta and James Patrick Grady, eight grandchildren; Joseph Robert Kaletta and Sofia Kiana Kaletta both of Summerville, SC, Henry Thomas Kaletta and twins Frances Olive Kaletta and Ruth Hazel Kaletta, all of Cleveland, OH, twins Georgia Mugford Grady and Kelby Knott Grady and

Annabelle Jane Grady, all of Linden, VA, two sisters; Audrey Kaletta McAuliffe of Larchmont, NY and Jeanne Kaletta Parsons of Meraga, CA and nineteen nieces and nephews.

A memorial message may be written to the family by visiting our website at [www.jamesadyal.com](http://www.jamesadyal.com).

ARRANGEMENTS BY JAMES A. DYAL FUNERAL HOME, 303 S. MAIN STREET, SUMMERVILLE, SC 29483 (843) 873-4040.

# Tribute Wall



“ *William J Kaletta*

September 29, 2022 at 10:11 AM



“ *Andrew, Matt, Katey and Michael, I was so sorry to here about Bill, we always enjoyed his visits to Ms. and I will always remember he told me that Mississippi had the most beautiful women! You are in my prayers. It was so good to us all of you in August and we need to stay more in touch, please when you have time, send me your addresses.Love, Diane*

**Diane S. Gordon** - November 10, 2010 at 09:27 AM



“ *Dear Andrew, Matt, Katie & Michael, Our deepest sympathy to all of you and your family. We all loved your Dad so much, I'll miss his smiling eyes and hearty laugh. Our hearts and prayers are with you all.*

*Love - Cousin Jeanne and Family*

**Jeanne & Kevin Davidge** - November 09, 2010 at 07:51 PM



“ *Uncle Bill - You were always very good to me. I will miss you. When we spoke, it was honest and meaningful. When we laughed it was hearty and when we hugged - it was full:) xox sally*

**Sally Katz** - November 09, 2010 at 10:57 AM

NP

“ Dear Uncle Bill, I will never forget the time spent driving past the corn fields and finally arriving in suburban Cleveland. Your place was gorgeous, and the surrounding area with Lake Erie was beautiful. It was a perfect stopover on our long road trip from California. One of those summer nights I remember the first time I ever saw a firefly was in your quiet, wooded back yard. Beautiful and calm.

I'll also never ever forget us going to the 1987 All-star game at the Oakland Coliseum. The SR-71 and loud jets that flew overhead, all of that was thanks to your gift of tickets.

You also selflessly helped the Parsons family move West, and at a time in your life when you were no doubt busy but instead decided to help your sister...

What a patient and kind man, someone we can aspire to! Earlier this week I mailed you two pictures of Leah, and I think they arrived.

Love,  
Nephew/Cousin Tim

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**Nephew/Cousin Tim Parsons** - November 09, 2010 at 12:06 AM

AW

“ Dearest Uncle Bill, I have so many fond memories of you throughout my life. Whether it was driving the Rambler west, from St. Louis to California with my Dad and 5 kids in the back, (what a sport) or riding a family reunion bus from Larchmont, NY to Old Lyme CT, it was always so fun to be with you and to listen to your stories. That deep baritone voice, that laugh you so readily shared. I will miss your humor and good spirit. Love you always, Annie.

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**Anne Willcoxon** - November 08, 2010 at 10:53 PM

KW

“ Dear Aunt Petey, Andrew, Katey, Matt, and Michael,  
I am so sorry for your (our!) great loss. We shared so many fun  
times with Uncle Bill as we grew up. I will always remember him for  
his great smile, his enthusiasm for life and family, and his infectious  
laugh.

*I so wish I could be with you all this week. Please know that I am  
with you in spirit. I know the brothers are having a great time  
catching up with each other!*

*With much love and hugs, Karen*

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**Karen Kaletta Wojtowicz** - November 08, 2010 at 06:58 PM

MC

“ Our deepest condolences go out to Bill's children and family. We will  
always remember his jovial laugh and warm personality.

*Although we just re-connected with them a short while ago, the  
Kaletta family have always been very special to us,  
Matt&Mary Ann Crisci*

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**Mary Ann Crisci** - November 08, 2010 at 05:53 PM

PG

“ Dear Kaletta Family- Tom and I send our deepest sympathies. We  
always enjoyed talking with Mr. Kaletta when he visited James and  
Kate. We are thinking of you. Tricia and Tom

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**Patricia and Thomas Grady** - November 08, 2010 at 12:06 PM

TM

“ *Dear Uncle Bill, You were always an icon to me, your nephew and friend for life. Just a few weeks ago you were going strong in spite of your difficult diagnosis, so it is immensely sad to lose you so suddenly. Yet I am comforted that you did not linger in illness but in your typical fashion you pushed on through to the other side. You are gone now, but never forgotten. Rest in peace.*

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**Tom McAuliffe** - November 06, 2010 at 05:09 PM