



## Jud Wolfe

November 27, 1969 - August 30, 2018

Jud Wolfe, 48, of Houston, Texas, died on August 30, 2018 while on vacation with his family. He was an avid photographer, a committed environmentalist, a loyal friend, a loving and devoted father and husband.

Born in New York City on November 27, 1969, Jud grew up in Miami, Florida. He attended

Ransom Everglades School in Miami and St. Andrew's School in Middletown, Delaware. He earned his undergraduate degree from Emory University, a Master of Environmental Management from Duke University and a Master of Business Administration from Columbia University.

While living in New York City, Jud worked for Hess Corporation and was introduced to his wife, Elizabeth, at the suggestion of their two grandmothers. They moved to Houston, where Jud continued to work for Hess and later for Murphy Oil Corporation.

Jud's passion for photography was formed in the oil fields of Texas and the offshore drilling sites of West Africa, but his true passion was capturing beautiful, candid photos of his family and his surroundings. His keen eye and warm sense of humor combined to portray life's natural and happiest moments.

Kind and generous, Jud devoted considerable time and resources to the protection of critically endangered species - especially the rhinoceros - and served on the boards of the Duke University Nicholas School of the Environment, the Galveston Bay Foundation and the Mailman Foundation.

He is deeply missed and lovingly remembered by his wife, Elizabeth; children, Lily, Lucy, Beatrice and Joseph; mother, Jody; grandmother, Phyllis Mailman; sisters, Johanna and Olivia; uncle, Josh Mailman and aunt, Monica Winsor; the entire Wolfe Family and the Endelson, Belfer and Bassik Families.

Friends are invited to consider a gift to the International Rhino Foundation (<http://rhinos.org>) in Jud's memory to protect and sustain these magnificent, endangered animals for generations to come.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Words cannot begin to express the grief we feel. We will always love Jud.

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Aunt Joyce and Uncle J.R.*

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**Joyce Speiller-Morris and J.R. Morris** - September 10, 2018 at 07:34 PM