

**Jerome (Jerry) Job Kirkpatrick** died on June 19, 2024, at his home in Mill Valley, California. Jerry came to Dartmouth from Oshkosh, Wisconsin, where he was a National Merit Finalist, active in student government and captain of the football team. At Dartmouth, he was known for being brilliant, hilarious, enigmatic and unpredictable. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. But he was best known for his football career. Jerry was small for a guard (176 pounds soaking wet), but made up for it in technique and ferociousness. Nothing bothered him: just before the 1967 Harvard game, playing against nationally known Don Chiafaro, Jerry said “Chiafaro. Mia Farrow. They are all the same to me” After Dartmouth, Jerry received his law degree from the University of California Berkeley, and was admitted to the California bar in June 1975. One friend noted “Jerry was a passionate reader, and he could converse tirelessly on almost any topic...I can’t think I ever encountered a sharper mind, quicker wit, or stronger intellect. His memory was nothing short of encyclopedic.” He married Sandra Lamke in June 1972; she passed away in 2018. Jerry is survived by his sister, Kit, his son Vincent, a surgeon, daughter-in-law Rose, and two grandchildren.