John "Jeff" Figgis Jewett, Jr 1968

John Figgis Jewett, Jr died peacefully on April 27, 2013, in La Mesa, California. He was the son of John Figgis Jewett, MD, Class of 1935. Born in Boston, Jeff was raised in Needham, and graduated from the Nobel and Greenough School. At Dartmouth, he was active in the Dartmouth Christian Union, and the Ledyard Canoe Club. He participated in Prison Counseling and the Talladega Project, and was part of the Co-Education Committee.

After Dartmouth, he attended a year of seminary training at the Union Theological Seminary. In 1971, Jeff married Susan Good, and moved to Saxtons River, Vermont, where they raised three children. That marriage ended in divorce. In 1994, Jeff moved with Norene Ennis to East Putney, Vermont, where they lived until 2010, then moving to Temecula, CA 2010. Norene and Jeff married in 1996. His working career included working for the State of Vermont, the U.S. Postal Service and with cabinet design firms until retiring.

Jeff loved people, words, sailing, bicycling, found objects and philosophy. He is survived by his widow Norene, and his three children Ivan Jewett of Cambridge, Massachusetts, Phoebe Jewett of Brooklyn, New York and Alexander Jewett of Boston, Massachusetts.