



Robert G. Augustin

July 27, 1947 - May 10, 2020

Robert G. “Bob A.” Augustin, 72, of Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, rode off into the sunset on Sunday, May 10, 2020, after a weekend of visitors and reminiscing. He was born July 27, 1947, in York County, and was adopted by Sylvester and Lois Jones Augustine and then again by Sylvester and Dorothy Augustine. No one knows for sure why the “e” in Bob’s last name skipped a generation. Bob attended Cedar Cliff High School before becoming a master electrician and general contractor. His knowledge of residential construction knew no bounds and he was often called upon to confer his wisdom and insults upon others in the trade.

Known for his suspenders and beard, Bob was a lovable curmudgeon and teller of tall tales. He enjoyed motorcycles, taking long lunch breaks, and collecting broken things he swore he would fix and reuse (Spoiler Alert: They’re all still broken).

He was preceded in death by a complex combination of adoptive and almost-adoptive parents, his brother, Edward, and his son, Robert.

Bob is survived by his stepson Doug, daughter Lori Ann, two grandchildren, two patient ex- wives, an unruly mob of friends and neighbors, and the entire waitstaff at Nick’s 114 Café. He is also survived by Rocky the cat and Big Bertha the obese goldfish.

Bob’s friends and family would like to thank the Compassus hospice care team, Mary Lynn, and Margie for the care they provided in his final days. A wake will most likely be held sometime

after this whole pandemic thing. In the meantime, Bob will be laid to rest in Rolling Green Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

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“ Was just looking him up to reconnect again only to find my window of opportunity has closed. I only met Rob a few times when I was a child but heard about him from Mom regularly. Even through her current dementia she remembers him. She loved him and often times regretted the decision she made as a young unmarried girl. When I finally met him as an adult I wished I had gotten to know him more. It sounds like he had many friends and family support. My sincerest sympathy goes out to all who miss him. My memories of him will have to comfort me until we meet again. Sleep well brother.

Cathy McKinney (half sister) - November 19, 2020 at 08:30 AM

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“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Julie - May 26, 2020 at 12:20 PM

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“ Bob worked for my construction company, HOME-WORK Remodeling Co. in the mid 80's. He really was a master builder and an expert in all phases of the trades. He did some phenomenal projects including the design, blueprints and construction of my home. He also did a total rebuild including the addition of a second floor to a house in Avalon, New Jersey. Beyond that, Bob was a unique guy and big 'teddy bear' of a man. We had a lot of good times together and he will be missed by all that knew him.

ALAN H WEINSTEIN - May 19, 2020 at 12:34 PM

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“ Quite a surprise, was just thinking about the good times we had burning the tires off his dad's big green Chrysler New Yorker during senior year at CC. Always a lot of fun and perpetually grinning and happy. Hadn't seen Bob for 6-7 years, he was the same Bob. Rest in Peace

Art Young

Art Young - May 17, 2020 at 09:55 PM

BM

“ Bob's passing was a surprise to learn of. I do know he left behind a legacy of kindness and friendship to many. If anyone needed help Bob was the first in line, but I never knew him to ask for anything in return. He lived his life to the fullest so I imagine he "rode off" with few, if any regrets. His friendship and wealth of knowledge will certainly be missed.

Bill Morrow - May 17, 2020 at 11:25 AM



Cynthia Withers

“ I was fortunate enough to know, as if I could ever know, him, for several years and he was fascinating. Highly intelligent and kind beyond belief. I always felt safe when he was around. Super bummer, his death is.

Cynthia Withers - May 16, 2020 at 08:53 AM

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