



Robert T. Olsen

November 22, 1951 - June 22, 2022

Wantage - Robert T. Olsen, age 70, peacefully passed away on Wednesday, June 22, 2022 at his residence while surrounded by his loving family. Born in Paterson to the late LaSalle and Mary (Schauble) Olsen, Bob lived in the Cliffwood Lake section of Vernon in 1978 and then moved to Wantage in 1992. He worked in the HVAC industry for 40 years and owned and operated his own heating and air conditioning business, Bob's Refrigeration. He retired in 2019. He was a member of the Steamfitter's Union. He attended the Wantage United Methodist Church. Bob loved to travel and spend time with his children and grandchildren. He had a good sense of humor and was always ready to help anyone in need. He loved his weekend jaunts on his boat, zipping around Lake George and Lake Hopatcong. Besides his parents, he was predeceased by his brothers, Ken and William Olsen. Bob is survived by his loving wife of 48 years, Janice (Cairolì); his sons, Eric M. Olsen and his wife Jenny of Andover, Bryan R. Olsen and his wife Katie of Allamuchy and Stephen C. Olsen and his partner Nick Jansen of Bloomfield; his brother, LaSalle Olsen, Jr. of Ohio; his sisters, Kathy Manzella and her husband James of New Jersey, Marianne Tigar and her husband Jesse of North Carolina, and Nancy Stewart and her husband Tom of New Jersey; his six grandchildren, Zac, Amber, Dylan, Emma, Mallory, and Margaret; and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 27, 2022 at 7 p.m. at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Friends may pay their respects to the family prior to the service from 4 p.m. to

7 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial donation in Bob's memory to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. Online condolences may be offered to the family at www.pinkelfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Private Cremation Services

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Pinkel Funeral Home, Inc.
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Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Bob was a great friend for many years. We worked together at a couple different companies over the years. He was always willing to help when I had questions on ice machines. He was known as the ice machine master. I would cover for him when he went on his numerous vacations with his wife. When they returned from wherever they went, he would go on and on about the sites they saw and the fun they had and would also start planning the next trip. Bob was a great friend and will be missed very much.

Greg breitz - June 29, 2022 at 07:32 AM

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“ I have many memories of Mr. Olsen growing up both in the lake and when you moved to Wantage. I will always remember his wisecracking jokes and mispronunciation of words on purpose. He always seemed to make fun of me in a good way, even to this day when at his grandson's soccer games. He worked many hours, yet he always seemed to be around at the same time. He helped raised three boys who have done well for themselves, no greater legacy than those you leave behind. He will be missed.

Erik Carlson - June 27, 2022 at 03:34 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert T. Olsen.



June 27, 2022 at 10:14 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Robert T. Olsen.*



June 26, 2022 at 10:33 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert T. Olsen.*



June 26, 2022 at 10:06 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert T. Olsen.*



June 25, 2022 at 07:38 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert T. Olsen.*



June 24, 2022 at 09:41 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert T. Olsen.*



June 24, 2022 at 05:06 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert T. Olsen.*



June 24, 2022 at 04:07 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Robert T. Olsen.*



June 24, 2022 at 02:59 PM



“ *your Dock's, Sarabeth's, Jane family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Robert T. Olsen.*



your Dock's, Sarabeth's, Jane family - June 24, 2022 at 10:14 AM

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“ We'll miss you Bob. All the good times we had together. Eating out, celebrating New Year's Eve, parties, Wildwood, and just getting together. You will always be in our hearts and thoughts. Our prayers are with you. We love you, may God Bless you and may you always Rest In Peace.

Our Love,
Tina and Frank

Tina Giraldi - June 23, 2022 at 06:59 PM