



Robert D. Burns

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Bob, age 73, passed away peacefully on Sunday, September 2, 2012. His wife, Shirlie, was by his side. Bob is survived by a host of family members and friends.



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Claudia And Jim Mchale posted:

Shirlie:I have tried to think of how to put into words what your's and Bob's friendship has meant to us and it is impossible. I recently came across this poem that I thought expressed a sentiment that comes close to what we feel without him. THE ONE'S WE LOVEThe one who goes away,They walk beside us every day,Unseen, unheard, but always near,Still loved, still missed, and very dear.May God bless you.Claudia & Jim McHale

January 5 at 5:16 PM



Cathy And Dave Berg posted:

We will always remember Bob as a dear and most generous friend. Spent some very enjoyable days/evenings with Bob and Shirlie at their home where Bob was a consummate entertainer. He served terrific wine and champagne and told wonderful stories and jokes – some delightfully corny. We had some memorable trips to the wine country with Bob and Shirlie – one in particular with Claudia and Jim McHale where the fellas went their separate way and had quite a hilarious time and the royal treatment due to Bob's purchase. Bob had a passion for history and could have been a teacher of the subject. Will remember him also for his passion for opera and his delight in their little dog Rudy at the time who sang along. Bob was wonderfully unique. We love our friend and miss him. God bless! Love, Cathy & Dave

November 18 at 10:52 AM



Jeanne And Bill posted:

We consider Shirlie and Bob to be very dear friends. Bob's passing leaves a void in our hearts; we miss him so much. Shirlie is a very special friend and amazing person; we look forward to our continued relationship.

November 17 at 3:20 PM

Shirlie Burns March 11 at 2:46 PM
Happy Birthday Honey ❤️❤️❤️



Ron & Tammy Stanley posted:

Bob was a very generous man, always willing to help someone in need. He had such a positive impact on our lives. We are so grateful to have known him as a mentor and a friend. Bob, we miss you dearly. Love, Ron & Tammy

November 3 at 4:35 PM



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NH

Nancy Hollis posted:

Bob, you are so missed by all but never forgotten..you will always be in my heart and always will be my best friend..i love you so much.

October 26 at 4:57 PM

KE

Karen Eelsing posted:

Our dear Bob – Lover of opera, fine wines, good food, entertaining, a good joke or story, and of course his wonderful wife Shirlie. I count among some of my favorite experiences an evening at the Burns, drinking Bob's special "cucumber" martini, eating great food, drinking fine wine, and sharing many laughs with dear friends. Unfortunately, those wonderful times are now just very special memories, with our wonderful Bob now gone. Thank you, dear Bob, and Shirlie, for those special evenings I will cherish forever.Love, Karen

October 25 at 2:14 PM

LD

Linda Davis posted:

Bob was a voracious learner and embraced life with gusto, from his astounding wine collection and knowledge of the grape, to his love of history, opera and politics. He filled any room he was in, not only with his imposing presence, but with his generosity of spirit. Some people do not fade away with time, and Bob is one of those people. Our hearts go out to his family and his loving wife, Shirlie, who was at his side to the end. Bob died as he lived, with dignity. Goodbye and God bless you, Bob. You will never be forgotten.

October 25 at 8:19 AM

JB

John Burns posted:

You will be missed.

October 22 at 12:28 PM

SB

Shirlie Burns posted:

My life will never be the same without you here on Earth. I will look forward to being reunited with you in Heaven. My love for you will never cease.Your Shirlie.....

October 20 at 9:57 AM



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Burt Kaufman posted:

Dear Mrs Burns, family and friends, Thinking of Bob and you and all the memories and good that Bob brought the world.. Will be in touch. Burt Kaufman Coupon Country

October 1 at 1:17 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Robert by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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