



Robert Crutchley

February 7, 2018

Robert Stuart Crutchley, 85, passed away peacefully on February 7, 2018. Bob was born in Stamford on October 8, 1932 to the late Henry and Lillian Close Crutchley. A lifelong Stamford resident, he attended Stamford schools and graduated from Stamford High School Class of 1951. He was a member of the Acapella Choir and was an accomplished pitcher for the Black Knights baseball team. After high school he joined the U.S. Army where he was stationed in Germany, touring Europe with the U.S. Army baseball team. After returning to Stamford, Bob was a driver for area companies including Perkin Elmer and retired as shipping manager for Peabody Engineering after 30 years. Bob loved to fish, listen to big band music, watching the NY Mets and NY Giants and spending time with his family and friends. His greatest love was driving, which took him up and down the East Coast countless times. A Sunday drive, with his nephews in tow, could easily take them to the Washington Monument or a fishing stream in Lake Placid. Bob is survived by his brother, Henry "Hank" Crutchley (Barbara) and loving nieces and nephews: Karen Crutchley Ronan, Janis Crutchley, Paul Orsino III, James Crutchley, Carolyn Orsino Donnelly, Robert Orsino and Maribeth Crutchley Risley as well as ten great nieces and nephews who loved him dearly. In addition to his parents, his brother, Richard, and sister, Carole Crutchley Orsino, predeceased Bob. Friends and family may offer their condolences on Saturday, February 17 from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM at Bosak Funeral Home, 453 Shippan Avenue, Stamford, CT. A prayer service will be held at 10:30 AM

immediately followed by interment at Fairfield Memorial Cemetery, Oaklawn Avenue, Stamford. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Bob's favorite charity, St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital <https://www.stjude.org/> If you would like to leave a condolence message online please visit the family guestbook at www.bosakfuneralhome.com or at www.facebook.com/bosakfuneralhome to share memories with his family.

Tribute Wall

KK

“ Many fond memories of walking home from Springdale School and finding Crutchley in my parents house (Sue & Charlie Keane) on Knickerbocker Ave. Always had candied orange slices for us. May he Rest In Peace.

Kathleen Keane - February 19, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ RIP cousin Bob. Joe Crutchley

Joe Crutchley - February 19, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TK

“ I am so sorry to hear of this. I remember Crutchley bringing me candied orange slices on all of the rides. Drove me to camp, ect. Wonderful man. Many happy memories.

Ted Keane - February 19, 2018 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ Paul, Jim and family, Sorry to hear of the passing of your uncle. Sending love and prayers to all. Suellen Mechaley Castros

Suellen Castros - February 18, 2018 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ RIP Uncle Bob, I will never forget our trip to the cabin on Lake Winnapausakee or you showing up on our doorstep in FLA on your way to watch a Spring Training game. Love, Kevin Crutchley

Kevin Crutchley - February 18, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ My sympathy to all of the Crutchley family. My late husband Bill Byrnes and Robert were like brothers and I did not dare get in the middle of their conversations. Bob was so generous to me and my family. He was a true Santa Claus for holidays, having a baby and surgeries. He chauffeured us with the Keane's on Sunday picnic's and we end up in Virginia having many laughs. I am sure that Bob and Bill are now talking about the Giants and the Mets and all the games they attended. May God Bless them.

February 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Jim Crutchley, Paul, Carolyn and Robert Orsino and Families, So sorry to hear of the passing of your uncle. May your fondest memories help you through this difficult time. May your Uncle Robert, Rest In Peace.

Mickey - February 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Barbara, Hank and Family Sorry to hear of your brother's passing. May all your happy memories of times together sustain you. Sincerely, Rosemarie and Manny Blasio

R - February 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ Carolyn and Family My deepest sympathy on the loss of your uncle. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Joyce Larobina - February 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

HG

“ Dear Crutchley Family: I was sorry to hear of Bob's passing. I knew Bob originally from his mom Lil. I think of her often and no one loved Hawaii more than Lil and she passed that love along to me. Bob won't be missing driving too much more any more, because angels have wings and flying is so much better. I can see Bob now playing as much pinochle as he wants with the guys. Bob, please say hi to Jack and all the bulls head guys. We miss you all. My sincere condolences and prayers are with you all. Helen Gross

Helen Gross - February 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ I have very fond memories of Bobby! He was a kind, funny guy and liked by all his many friends. We were in Roger School many years ago! The Crutchley family will truly miss him. With sincere sympathy, Lucille Grasso

February 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AG

“ I have so many fond memories of Bob, who was one of my father's dearest friends. He was always quick with a smile and so generous. My condolences.

Anmarie Galgano - February 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ We met Bob at SHS and remember him as a fun loving guy. I also ran into Bob at Fort Dix, NJ. May he rest in peace at this time. Sincerely, Conrad Kramer, Sue Cameron.

February 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you, I have many fond memories of Bob, may he be resting in peace.*

Michele Murtagh - February 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Thank you for serving our country. A grateful American*

February 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM