



Robert Ratigan

August 10, 1925 - January 13, 2013

Robert John Ratigan passed away Sunday, January 13, 2013. Bob was born in Chicago, Illinois on August 10, 1925 to Peter Joseph Ratigan and Elizabeth (Gallagher) Ratigan. His parents were Irish immigrants.

Bob was a WWII veteran serving in the Army Air Corp., in the European theater, under General Patton for Counter Intelligence. He worked for many years in the advertising printing industry as a pressman and salesman. Later he worked as a Manufactured Housing salesman until his retirement. Bob loved sports. He played semi-pro baseball while in High School. Later he played golf and was a Pro-Am bowler. He loved playing horseshoes at family functions.

Bob loved traveling. He had lived from coast to coast ,east to west, and visited most of the states in between.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, his older sister Cathrine Gallagher (Frank), his older brother Peter Joseph Ratigan (Christine), his first wife Dolores (Dee) Antanias Ratigan and their daughter Carol Louise Quigg (John), his second wife Phyllis Rickle Ratigan and son Lonnie Dale.

He is survived by his wife of twenty four years Louise Schoonmaker Ratigan; his daughter in-law Tam Egan; two grandchildren, Kim Ahn Heth (Mike) and Jon Paul Rickel; five great-grandchildren, Kayla and Kamran Heth and Lonnie, Chandler and Rylee Rickel, of Ukiah, California; his niece, Patricia Small (Ron) and children Tony, Tammy, Mike, Eric and Brenna all of Maine.

He was a kind and loving person and his family will miss him very much.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, January 19, 2013 at 1:00 pm at Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Robin Cox officiating. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to On Purpose Soul Winning Ministries, P.O. Box 892, Roswell, NM 88202-0892. Services are under the direction of Anderson-Bethany Funeral Home and Crematory.

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Ratigan*

December 29, 2022 at 05:26 PM



“ *Please accept my condolences on the death Of Robert J. Ratigan. I would love to have known him as he was my father's (Tom Gallagher) first cousin. Breda*

Breda Gallagher McGuinness - January 25, 2013 at 08:13 PM



“ *Our deepest thoughts and sympathies go out to Bob's family. We are so sorry for your loss. Bob was a sweet man and we will miss him coming in very much. Dr. Knoche, Elisha and Amanda at Knoche Chiropractic..... Louise if you need anything please dont hesitate to call me....Bob was by far one of my favorite patient's and I will dearly miss him coming in and exchanging sarcastic comments with me. He was a delight to know and I'm sorry for your loss.. Love Amanda*

Amanda Paz - January 21, 2013 at 10:31 AM