



Robert C. "Bob" Long

December 19, 1954 - December 25, 2023

Robert C. "Bob" Long, 69, of Annville passed away on Monday, December 25, 2023 at his residence with his loving wife and son by his side, under the care of WellSpan Hospice. He was the loving husband of Suanne M. (Wolfe) Long to whom he was married 39 years on December 15th.

Born in Lebanon, he was the son of the late Mervin C. "Dutch" and Pauline "Polly" (Daub) Long. Bob graduated from Annville-Cleona High School and the Lebanon VoTech in 1973. He retired from Stone Ridge Town Center Communities as director of maintenance. He previously had worked at the Lebanon Steel Foundry and Loose's Lumber in Myerstown. Bob was a Boy Scout leader with Troop #458 in Cleona, collected toy trains and enjoyed camping, gardening, woodworking and electronics. He designed and built his home in Annville and was a ham radio operator with a handle N3JOY. Bob was a past member of the Union Hose and Cleona Fire Companies and enjoyed camping every year at Locust Lake with his family. He was a life member of the Lebanon County Fireman's Association and loved the Phillies and visiting the Antique Auto show in Hershey.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by his son Robert M. "Bobby" Long. Bob is also survived by a sister-in-law Cynthia, wife of Donald Shiner, and four brothers in law Ronald Wolfe and wife Brenda, Michael Wolfe and wife Susan, Dean Wolfe, and Jerry Wolfe and wife Terri; numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 3, 2024 at 11AM from Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc., 618 E. Main St., Annville. Interment

will be held in Grand View Memorial Park. Viewings will be held Tuesday evening from 6-8PM and on Wednesday from 10AM until the time of his service at the funeral home.

Bob's family would like to thank WellSpan Hospice, especially Dawn, Lisa, Melissa, Nicole, Pat, Theresa, and Chaplain Don for their dedication and care which allowed Bob to be at home during his illness.

Memorial contributions may be made to WellSpan Hospice, or to Dr. Zachary Simmons, Director of the ALS Center, c/o Penn State Hershey Medical Center, 500 University Dr. Hershey, PA 17033.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 2. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Kreamer Funeral Home & Crematory, Inc
618 E. Main Street
Annville, PA 17003
(717) 867-4811

Public Viewing

JAN 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

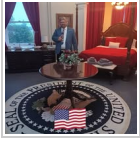
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Funeral Service

JAN 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

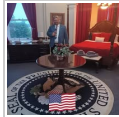
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Tribute Wall



“ Uncle Bob was a Staple in our family. He was married to my aunt Suzanne for 39 years and the love of her life. He was almost always at every family picnic, reunion or get together and our whole family loved him. He was loyal to our incredibly large family. Bob also loved his model trains and old Studebaker cars. He will sadly missed by all of us but we're incredibly grateful that he was part of our lives and the great memories we have of him. Uncle Bob went home to his Savior on the most of holiest days which was Christmas Day. I'm pretty sure that was also Bobs favorite holiday. My greatest most sincere sympathy and deepest Condolences are to my Aunt Suzanne and my Cousin Bobby and the rest of the our entire family. Keep strong in your faith and belief in our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ and follow his holy words. One day we're going to be reunited with Bob again in God's kingdom in Heaven.

Steven Wolfe - January 01, 2024 at 06:02 PM



I want to also mention that His Son Bobby was Bob's pride and joy and Bob always loved his Son, Bobby.

Steven Wolfe - January 01, 2024 at 06:17 PM

RM

“ Bob was one of a kind, and top notch maintenance supervisor, Bob could fix anything. He assisted me so many times when I had something down in the laundry of The Ecc Retirement Village.. you could not find a more pleasant then Bob. He was a great co-worker and friend. RIP Bob. Prayers for his family,
Rita Mason

Rita Mason - December 29, 2023 at 06:44 PM

CJ

“ It was my privilege to work with Bob at the former ECC Retirement Village in Myerstown. He was a creative, dependable, patient, and always pleasant member of the maintenance team with a kind sense of humor too. He was always thinking about how to do things better. He designed and built a Jeopardy game board to be used for staff training making mandatory educational classes a little bit more fun for employees. He worked cooperatively and respectfully with all the multiple department staff and numerous resident requests the department faced daily. He loved his family so much and proudly talked about their accomplishments with us. We were fortunate to have him on our staff. My prayers are with you at this time.



Carol Johnston

Carol Johnston - December 29, 2023 at 06:11 PM

RW

“ Suanne and Bobby
Words cannot express our sadness at Bob’s passing. He was so special to us and so many others. We will cherish our memories of him forever.

Ron, Karen & Alyson Wattai

Ron Wattai - December 28, 2023 at 07:38 PM

DS

“ Bob meant so much to so many people. To me Bob was always my “Good Friend Bob.” He leaves all of us whose lives he touched with so many great memories. Suanne and Bobby cherish those memories and realize like all of us that he’ll always be in our hearts. Rest in Peace my brother and my “Good Friend Bob.”

Don Shiner - December 27, 2023 at 09:03 PM

DW

“ I remember many nights hanging out with Bob at his parents house before he married my sister. I believe his nickname was CB probably because of his fascination with electronics. Also he was partial to Studebakers. Going to miss you Bob 😭😭😭

Dean Wolfe - December 27, 2023 at 08:51 PM

JW

“ My prayers are with your family and friends, you will be missed. Go with God CB you were a great friend.

Jeff Wolfe - December 27, 2023 at 07:47 PM

JR

Bob was one of the smartest men I ever worked with. He could always find a way to repair a machine that parts were no longer available for. God must have been in need of a good maintenance man. He got one of the best.

Jon Reiter - December 29, 2023 at 07:10 PM

CG

Bob was the Best. He was the finest Maintenance Director I ever had the privilege to work with. I worked with Bob for approximately 22 years. There wasn't a task that Bob couldn't complete or failed system that he couldn't repair. One memory I will never forget was trivial but was a testament to his great knowledge and expertise . One day our fire alarm system failed. The alarm company told me the repair parts were no longer available. I discussed the situation with Bob and off he went to investigate. He came to work early the next morning with a component he salvaged from an old tv he had in his work shop at home. The part was a perfect fit and we were up and running once again. Bob was the definition of a family man. He was very proud of his wife and son. He spoke fondly of them often. Bob is sadly missed. The world was a better place with Bob in it.

Craig Garloff - December 30, 2023 at 03:28 PM