



Robert Charles Serwin

September 21, 1932 - April 12, 2023

Robert Charles Serwin passed away after a short stay in hospice on April 12, 2023. He was 90 years old. The family is deeply saddened by his death. Robert was born to Polish Immigrant parents on September 21, 1932 in Milwaukee, WI.

Robert was married to Lenore Goede in November 1959. They went on to have five Children. Karen Hunnicutt, Sharon Atkinson, Christi Sperka, Daniel Serwin, and Kenneth Serwin.

Robert was preceded in death by his wife of 27 years, Lenore Serwin, and his second wife of 19 years Dorothy Wagner-Serwin. The last 16 years his significant other Carol Zielinski was at his side.

Robert was a proud army veteran having served as a PFC overseas in the 1950's. Robert worked at Allis Chalmers as a machinist in both the transformer and tractor division for thirty years. He had a variety of extra jobs throughout his life including working at Miller Brewery, Parking cars at County Stadium, Crossing Guard for the grade schoolers, Bartending, Umpiring, and lastly working in maintenance at the hospital in Racine.

Robert was a true Wisconsinite. He enjoyed watching the Packers, Brewers, Badgers and Bucks. Packer and Brewer games were regularly attended. He enjoyed the north woods and fishing for Northerns, Walleye and panfish. He loved playing golf and did so until his back failed him. At that point he spent endless hours watching it on the golf channel.

Over the years Robert enjoyed going on cruises with family and friends. He

loved taking vacations and attending family functions. He reveled in being the patriarch of such a large family. He never turned down a good meal and would go out to eat often. Everything to Robert was “tastee!”

His legacy will carry on forever, reminding us that kindness and integrity are essential. Always taking the high road when emotions were escalated. He has touched many with his kind spirit. He would love to be remembered as a good, kind man. Gods’ Grace has relieved his pain. May he rest in peace with the Lord.

Robert's Memorial Mass will be held at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 2201 Northwestern Ave. on April 28, 2023, with Fr. Ricardo Martin officiating.

Visitation will be held from 10:30 a.m. until mass time at 12 noon. Robert will be laid to rest in a private ceremony at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, The Serwin family is accepting donations that would be placed into a separate account to provide services for adults with special needs.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **28**. 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
2201 Northwestern Ave
Racine, WI

Memorial Mass

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sturino Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert Charles Serwin*



Sturino Funeral Home - April 26, 2023 at 06:52 PM

CZ

Beautifully done. Thanks for the memories.

Carol Zielinski - April 27, 2023 at 04:05 PM

KT

“ *I don't know if any of you kids ever go back to read this but... I'm Ms Karin (Tausan) Steve and Tracy's mom. Your neighbor, growing up. For some unknown reason, I have had your mother on my mind so much these past few days and also, you kids. I didn't know your dad had remarried after your mother's untimely and sudden death after what should have been a routine surgery. It was those damn cigarettes we smoked back then. She was such a good friend and neighbor and you kids spent as much time at my house as yours. Christy--Steve said he saw you at the high school reunion (I think he always had a crush on you). If you do read this and any of you are on Facebook, I hope you will send Steve or me a friend request so we can catch up. Belated condolences to you on your father's death.*

Karin Tausan - August 08, 2025 at 05:33 PM

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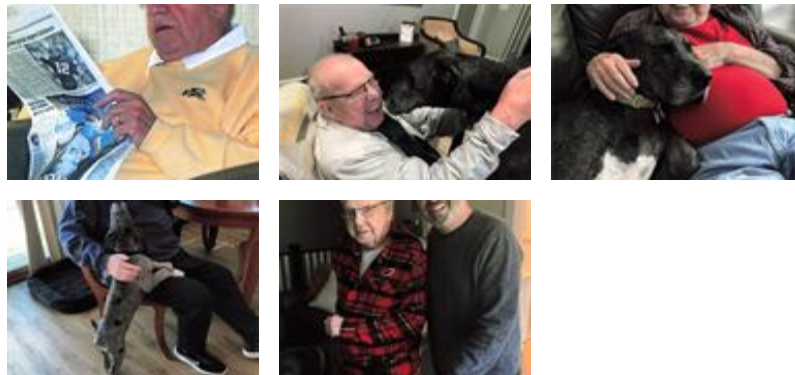
“ I have known Bob since September 1980.He is the only male friend I know that lost 2 wives. I was so thankful he found Carol. Perhaps his greatest attribute was his consistent interest in YOU , his friends and relatives.. It was never about him -always others. One of my favorite people to talk sports with. Loved going to Brewers games with Carol and Bob. Rest in peace, Bob

George Friedman

George Friedman - April 26, 2023 at 11:20 PM



“ 145 files added to the album LifeTributes



Sturino Funeral Home - April 26, 2023 at 06:47 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Charles Serwin.



April 26, 2023 at 10:38 AM

LK

“ I so enjoyed meeting Bob and seeing him get stronger with PT and see that twinkle in his eye when he would joke around. He was a genuine guy and would do anything you asked him to do whether he felt like it or not. I'm blessed to have known you Bob. My sincere condolences.

Laura Knudsen - April 24, 2023 at 08:51 PM

DL

“ Bob loved my mother Dorothy so much, and they had 19 wonderful years of traveling together, dancing, and even building their dream home together before she passed in 2006. He was Grandpa to 8 and Great-Grandpa to 9 in the Wagner family, and he will always be dearly remembered, coming with Carol to many of the past years' celebrations and bringing fun and love every time. Thank you, Bob- for just being wonderful YOU.

Diana M Lesnjak - April 23, 2023 at 11:36 AM

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“ 2 files added to the album Uncle Bobby Memories



Raeann Gifford - April 23, 2023 at 11:04 AM

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“ Uncle Bobby - always practical and uncomplicated life view. When I was young and idealistic Uncle Bob once told me “life isn’t that complicated. You get up go to work, come home to your family... and then get up and do it all over again. That’s about it...” Really good advice that I’ve never forgotten. Raeann

Raeann Gifford - April 23, 2023 at 11:01 AM

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Raeann Gifford - April 23, 2023 at 10:53 AM

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Raeann Gifford - April 23, 2023 at 10:49 AM

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“ Bob was a wonderful addition to our family. He always had a smile and a kind word. Always loved my cooking. He will be missed by us all. Dawn & Glenn Zielinski

glenn zielinski - April 23, 2023 at 09:04 AM