



Robert "Bob" E. Schmit Sr.

October 10, 1926 - October 30, 2023

Loudonville- Robert "Bob" E. Schmit, Sr. born in Albany, NY on October 10, 1926 passed away Monday, October 30, 2023 at his residence surrounded by his family. He was the son of the late John and Lena Schmit.

He attended Roessleville High School where he played football. Robert then enlisted in the United States Navy serving during World War II participating in two tours Iwo Jima and Okinawa campaigns. After being honorably discharged on May 5, 1946 Robert went on to attend and graduate from Brewers Academy in NYC. He was employed as a Brew Master by Hedrick's Brewing Company and then Schaffer Brewing Company. Robert also worked in sales and as a contractor in the trades, building his family home on McNutt Avenue after the war.

He married Selma "Sally" Baird on October 2, 1948 and they were married until her passing in 2007.

In addition to his parents and wife Robert was predeceased by his sons Robert Jr., John "Jack" and Timothy Schmit, and his siblings.

Robert is survived by his daughter Cynthia Stambach (Paul); daughters in law Linda and Christina Schmit; grandchildren Erika Richards (Chris), Betsy Stambach-Fuller (Jon), Robert E. Schmit III, Andrea Rausch (Dan), Abby Stambach, Daniel Schmit and Matt Schmit (Brittany); 6 great grandchildren;

also several nieces and nephews.

Bob was a god fearing man, a wonderful husband/father/grandfather/ great grandfather who supported his family with love.

Relatives and Friends are invited to visit with Robert's family Saturday, November 4, 2023 at McVeigh Funeral Home, 208 N. Allen Street, Albany, NY 12206 from 9:00 am to 10:30 am. Please enter the funeral home from the rear parking lot entrance only.

Robert's Funeral Service will follow at Our Saviors Lutheran Church 63 Mountain View Ave., Colonie NY 12205 at 11:00 am.

The Rite of Committal will follow the service in St. John's Cemetery, Colonie, NY.

Cemetery Details

St. John's Lutheran Cemetery

303 Sand Creek Road
Albany, NY

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 4. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc.
208 N Allen St
Albany, NY 12206
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Service

NOV 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Savior's Lutheran Church
63 Mountain View Ave
Albany, NY 12205-2803

Tribute Wall



“ *McVeigh Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert "Bob" E. Schmit Sr.*



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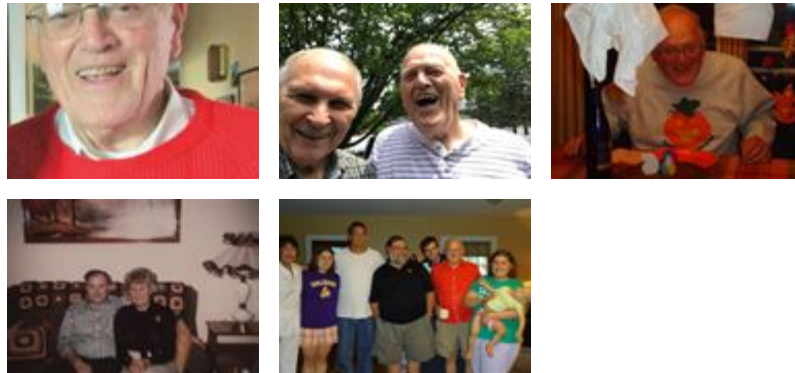
“ *Mr. Schmit was always a bright and friendly face in the neighborhood on Danielwood Drive. He enjoyed chatting and hearing about the recent events in your life. I can only imagine the number of lives he touched throughout his many years. I am grateful to have known him. Rest in peace.*

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“ My condolences to the family. Bob was a bright ray of sunshine whom I had plenty of conversations with over the past 4+ years during my daily walks in the neighborhood. He had some really interesting stories and made me laugh. Will fondly remember him especially when I walk by his home. Rest in peace Bob, heaven has another angel.

Sherrie (Richards) McCullough

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“ My deepest condolences to all who have lost this wonderful man. I only know him through stories Andrea shared and I know he was an amazing man. I am sending healing energy to all. -Shannon Clegg

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