



Robert "Bobby" S. Short

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FLORISTS NOTES: PLEASE DELIVER ALL
ARRANGEMENTS BY 3:00PM, Wednesday, September 30,
2020 TO OUR BRIDGEVILLE LOCATION

Robert S. "Bobby" Short passed away on Thursday, September 24, 2020. He was born on April 25, 1925 son of the late George and Florence (Isaacs) Short.

Robert was inducted into the United States Army in 1952 and served in Korea. He grew up working with his father at Short's Service Station in Bridgeville, DE. If it had a motor, the two of them could make it run! Later in life, Robert worked as a custodian for the Woodbridge School District.

Robert was at his happiest though when he was hunting, fishing, or running rabbit dogs with his family and friends. His children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren were the beneficiaries of learning these passions from him and continue them today. Above all, his proudest moments were spent with family cheering them on along the sideline of a game or at a special event.

In addition to his parents, Robert was preceded in death by his sister, June; his cousin, Betty Short and his "Aunt Minnie". He is survived by his beloved wife of 73 years, Jean Short; his children: Beverly (Randy), Gail (John), Robin (Carol), and Kim (Brenda); his grandchildren: Jeannie, Holly, Tracy, Frank, Shane, Blaine, Kim and Troy; his 15 great-grandchildren; his 5 great-great-grandchildren; his special cousin, Bonnie Smith and nephew, John Shockley.

Although Robert was a man of limited means, he was beyond rich with the love of his family. "Daddy, Pop, and Pop Pop" will be painfully missed by his family and all who knew him.

A graveside service with military honors will be held on Thursday, October 1, 2020 at 11:30 AM, at Bridgeville Cemetery, 2 North Laws Street, Bridgeville, DE 19933.



Obituary

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A public visitation will be held on Thursday, October 1, 2020 from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM, at Parsell Funeral Homes and Crematorium, Hardesty Chapel, 202 Laws St., Bridgeville, DE 19933.

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, social distancing protocols must be observed, and masks must be worn by everyone participating in any aspect of the services.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions in Mr. Short's memory be sent to Collins Pond Association, P.O. Box 551, Bridgeville, DE 19933.

Please sign Robert's online guest book located on the tribute page.



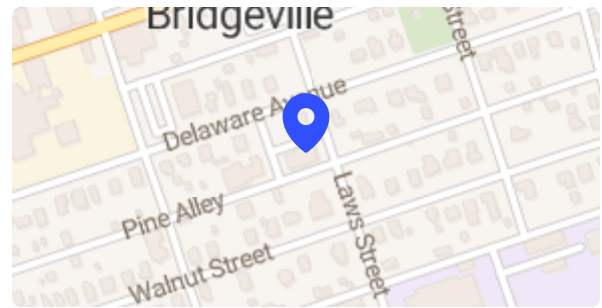
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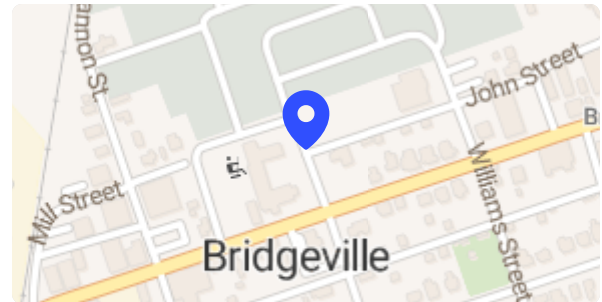
Visitation

- Thursday**, October 1, 2020
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium Hardesty Chapel**
202 Laws Street, Bridgeville DE 19933



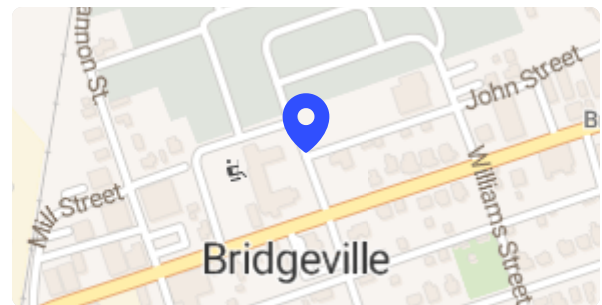
Graveside Service

- Thursday**, October 1, 2020
- 11:15 AM ET
- Bridgeville Cemetery**
North Laws Street, Bridgeville DE



Cemetery Details

- Bridgeville Cemetery**
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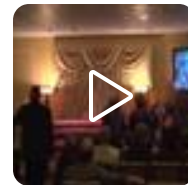
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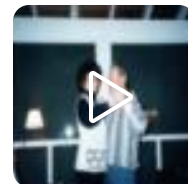
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October 2 at 7:39 AM



Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium shared an album called **Slideshow**.



October 2 at 7:06 AM



Anthony Richardson posted:

We are sorry for your loss and we know that your father and my father Elmer Cannon are renewing there friendship again. Hope you all will find peace.Tony and Debbie Richardson

October 1 at 1:45 PM



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October 1 at 1:05 PM



Darl Chaffinch lit a candle in honor of Robert "Bobby".

Very sorry to hear of Bobby' s passing. He and his dad were always ready to help get your vehicle running. They were both excellent mechanics. The like of which are long gone in this day and time . My deepest sympathies to the entire family, especially to Jean, Beverly,Gail,Robin and Kim. Sorry I can't be there for the services, but I will be there in spirit. Bobby will be deeply missed by all. God bless . Darl Chaffinch. Apache Junction,AZ



September 30 at 4:20 PM



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Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Short family.

September 29 at 5:41 PM



Florence Jones posted:

So sorry for your loss! From Florence Jones

September 29 at 8:42 AM



Kim's Cuts lit a candle in honor of Robert "Bobby".

Sending prayers to the family

September 28 at 6:42 PM



Anonymous sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Short family.

September 28 at 3:56 PM



Dawn Leonard posted:

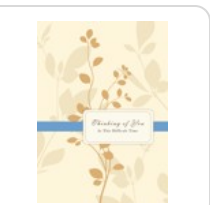
I cannot begin to tell you what Bobby has meant to us!! All the laughter, the friendship, my kids hanging out the window in the car, yelling there's Bobby Short, to the every Thanksgiving day hunting party out here on the farm!! We are truly sadden by this and we will miss him terribly....we are sending our deepest sympathy to the family and all our love!! Buddy and Phyllis Parker, and Dawn and Gary Leonard

September 28 at 1:54 PM



Marjorie D. sent a sympathy card to the Short family.

September 28 at 12:44 PM





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Marjorie Demott posted:

My Thoughts and Prayers To The Short Family.I have known the Shorts for many many years.Always very friendly to all and everyone knew this special family.Mr Bobby Short will be missed by all.RIPMarjorie DeMott

September 28 at 12:21 PM



Media

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Join us in honoring Robert "Bobby" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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