



Arthur Robert Landy

August 17, 1937 - May 27, 2021

✧ In Loving Memory of Arthur Robert Landy Devoted Father and Grandfather
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Arthur Robert Landy, 83 of Milton, Delaware, passed away from a short illness on Thursday, May 27th, 2021 at Genesis Milford Center in Milford, Delaware. He was born on August 17th, 1937 in Bronx, New York, son of the late Julius and Florence Landy. He grew up playing one wall handball at 13 years of age which eventually became a prominent passion of his until he retired from the sport in 2016. Two of his most successful athletic accomplishments included winning the Eastern Regional Collegiate Doubles Handball Championship and the Eastern Inter-Collegiate Four-Wall Doubles Handball Championship - both in 1958.

In addition to playing handball, Arthur enjoyed watching boxing, playing and listening to classical piano and guitar and listening to traditional jazz music. He played the saxophone in his high school band.

Having graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School in 1955, he attended The City College in New York where he met Elaine Feder in French class whom he married on December 27th, 1959 upon their divorce in 1972.

Personally, Arthur has always had a zest and love for life while finding his retirement to be a wonderfully satisfying and fulfilling experience. Throughout his life, he has always had an affinity for helping people through his chosen fields of psychology and social work which have included work experiences as Chief Psychiatric Social Worker with the Austin Child Guidance Center from 1969-1972 (Austin, Texas), Psychiatric Social Worker at Kaiser Santa Clara Hospital from 1972-1973 (Santa Clara, California) and Senior Counselor at Gary Job Corps from 1975-1999 (San Marcos, Texas). In 1999, Arthur left his job at Gary Job Corps Center and moved to Pembroke Pines, Florida to take care of his ailing mother Florence Landy. In 2003, Arthur moved to Columbia, Maryland to be closer to his daughter and son. His last place of residence was in Milton, Delaware where

he lived with his son.

He is predeceased by his ex-wife Elaine Feder Alford and his sister in law Faye Landy.

Arthur is survived by his two children: Lisa Landy Ehrlich (Damon) of Olney, Maryland, and Robert Landy (Nickolas Baker) of Rehoboth Beach, Delaware; his two grandsons; Jeremy Herschel Ehrlich of Austin, Texas and Brandon Frank Ehrlich of Baltimore, Maryland; and a brother, Bill Landy of Australia. As a very giving human being and loving father, Arthur will be sadly missed and never forgotten yet his heartfelt memories, kindness towards others and accomplishments in life will always be remembered and cherished.

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“ I just discovered, sadly, that my former supervisor and friend had passed after a brief illness. Simply put, Dr. Arthur Robert Landy, was a great man. No one ever meeting Art left the same, having in most instances, been touched by his genuineness, kindness and empathy. He was a non-boastful genius that had a tremendous knack for making anybody in his presence, e.g., client, patient, co-worker, subordinate, etc., to feel comfortable, validated and befriended. Art Landy, you will be truly missed. - Michael L. Wohl

Michael L. Wohl - June 16 at 06:30 PM



“ As I reflect on my father, so many memories come to mind. He was an incredible and extraordinary man with whom I shared deep love, care and compassion. We also had very meaningful and long lasting connections and interests...the sport of handball which he inspired me to play to this day forward, piano, guitar and a love of food. While I feel a tremendous pain and void with his being gone, I know that so many parts of him live on within me and that now he can no longer suffer and may he rest in peace. He was not only a champion handball player...he was my champion father with a big heart, care and compassion for others. I love you so much Dad and miss you greatly. Thanks for loving me unconditionally and being there for me. Love your son, Robert Todd

Robert Landy - June 08 at 03:02 PM



“ Art, you were such a loving man and I so enjoyed our conversations. You were so enlightening and empathetic and a great dad Lisa and Robert. You will always be remembered in our hearts and a new star is shining in the heavens now. I love you.

Lynne Cohen - June 03 at 04:23 PM



“ Dad, you were my everything! So caring, and so giving of your unconditional love. Always letting me find my way without judgement, yet always there for me throughout the years to give advice when asked. You helped me through difficult times by providing new perspectives, and different ways to view problems in a healthy way, adding your "psychological spin" along the way. I always called you Daddy-o and you called me Lisa-o. We had a special connection and shared so many memorable times. I always told you throughout the years, "Dad, don't you ever leave me," but it finally happened and I am not prepared for this new life without you or my precious mother. I will move forward though with the strength you have instilled in me. You would want me to be happy, laugh, cry, and most of all, enjoy and appreciate life the way in which you did. I plan to make you proud and do just that! I love you now and until eternity Dad! Your loving daughter, Lisa Renee.

Lisa Ehrlich - June 03 at 03:05 PM



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Lisa Ehrlich - June 03 at 02:50 PM