

ROBERT RAYMOND HOFFMAN



Robert Raymond Hoffman passed away peacefully on November 24, 2023, surrounded by love. With him at his bedside was his former wife, Martha Hoffman and daughters, Joyce (Jeff) Kanter, Patricia Rooney, Nancy (John) Graham, Sueann (James) Fenchel and Jill (Frank) Delfino.

Born in Pittsburgh on May 29, 1933, he is the son to the late Edward and Catherine Hoffman and the brother to the late Florence Merritt, Marie Sabatucci, Ed Hoffman, Richard Hoffman, Jean Palermo, Jerry Hoffman, Judy Tillilie and Ron Hoffman.

He is survived by ten grandchildren, Jennifer (Brad) Link, Justin Kanter, Brendan Rooney, Seamus Rooney, Jocelynne (Justin) Will, McKenna (Tyler) Katz, Hudson Graham, Ellie Delfino, Blue Delfino, Jacob Delfino; three great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

If you had the pleasure of knowing him, you were most likely highly entertained through his remarkable gift of story telling. His tales were woven memories from his childhood, serving his country in the Korean War, his passion for working hard, his dedication and life's work in the steel mills and his love for his family and friends. His stories were always infused with compassion, humility, humor and inevitably told with a silly grin and twinkle in his eye. Oh, and he had very strong opinions... wink, wink.

Always a champion for the underdog, Bob stepped in with a helping hand whenever it was needed. He was a devout Christian and had an unmeasured love for the blessed Mary. He was extremely generous and could build or fix anything. He even had the tools to prove it. As he liked to say, "If I don't have it, they don't make it"!

He loved to cook, garden, work out, camp, enjoy a beer or his homemade wine with friends and family and observe the stars and wildlife through his telescope and binoculars. But most of all he LOVED his STEELERS!!!! When he was able, he attended the pre-season training at Steeler Camp and videotaped every game. We can all bet he has a front row viewing of his beloved team and will be present at every game. Let's Go Steelers!!!!

Bob loved babies and children and gave to many charities in support of them. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to a children's charity of your choice in his memory.

In honor of Bob's love of the Steelers, the family will be hosting an indoor tailgate and will be wearing black and gold. Just bring your best Bob stories and if you like, your terrible towel. The Celebration of Life will be held on SUNDAY, MAY 26, 2024, (Bob's birthday month) for his extended family and friends at the Reserve at Southpointe, 1000 Meadow Lane, Canonsburg, PA 15317 from 12 noon - 2:00 PM.

Arrangements by the **WILLIAM F. CONROY FUNERAL HOME, INC., BURIAL AND CREMATION SERVICES**, Sheraden. 412-331-5192.

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