

ROBERT (BOB) RYAN

Robert (Bob) Ryan was born on July 16, 1946 in Pittsburgh, PA. He attended St. Pius V grade school and McKeesport High School then attended the University of Dayton from which he graduated with a degree in accounting. He relished Dayton Flyers basketball.

In his youth he loved to play baseball and basketball and told countless stories about his misadventures with CYO friends and teammates.

In high school, he met and fell for RoseMary Johns, who thought his name was Larry but who married him anyway in 1969. They were married for 54 unforgettable years.

Bob was an avid golfer in his adult life and you could always find him either on the green or playing cards, often too late into the night. He appreciated the finer things in life like good food, plaid sports coats, Broadway shows. He really knew how to tell a joke, and was a gifted nicknamer (you knew he liked you when he gave you a nickname).

Bob started his career at Touche Ross before venturing forward to start his own accounting firm, Ryan & Co., which he ran for 40 years. He always said you don't need to be good at math to be an accountant but you have to have good common sense. He loved taxes.

He was a proud father to three children, Sean (Beth), Katie, and Maggie; and adored his grandchildren Sarah, Abigail, Damien, Miriam, Samuel, Winnifred, Rebecca, Henrietta and Luke.

Bob has joined his mother and father, Sarah (Savage) and Edward Ryan; along with his brothers Jerry, Dennis, and Mark, in heaven. We are certain he is at peace.

A celebration of life will be held by the family in the near future.

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