

# ROBERT BRYSON "BOB" "CHAT" CHATHAM



Age 72, of Pittsburgh, formerly from Brighton Heights, on Friday, December 6, 2024. Beloved husband of Diane Roth-Chatham. Son of the late Robert and Effie (Bryson) Chatham. Brother-in-law of Kathleen (Eddie) Coleman and Patricia (the late Phil) Slade. Uncle and godfather of Rachel Coleman. Bob will be sadly missed by numerous loving cousins and friends.

Bob was a welder for Alcosan and retired after 43 years of service. He was an avid skier and kayaker. He also enjoyed target shooting, biking, swimming, fishing, and backyard birding.

## NATIVE AMERICAN PRAYER

I give you this one thought to keep –

I am with you still—I do not sleep.

I am a thousand winds that blow,

I am the diamond glints on snow,

I am the sunlight on ripened grain,

I am the gentle autumn rain.

When you awaken in the morning's hush,

I am the swift, uplifting rush  
of quiet birds in circled flight.

I am the soft stars that shine at night.

Do not think of me as gone –

I am with you still—in each new dawn.

As per Bob's wishes, there will be no visitation. A Celebration of Life will be arranged for a later date. Arrangements are entrusted to **ANTHONY G. STAAB FUNERAL HOME, INC.**, 900 Chartiers Ave., Pgh, PA 15220.

Diane asks to please respect her privacy at this most difficult time.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations may be made to any of the following charities: Animal Advocates, 35 Wabash St., Pgh, PA 15220, Humane Animal Rescue of Pittsburgh, 1101 Western Ave., Pgh, PA 15233, Humane Animal Rescue Wildlife Rehabilitation Center, 6000 Verona Rd., Verona, PA 15147, Animal Friends, Inc., 562 Camp Horne Rd., Pgh, PA 15237, or National Aviary of Pittsburgh, 700 Arch St., Pgh, PA 15212.

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