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Robert (Bob) Arthur Windon, age 90, passed away on August 26th in his home in Urbana, Maryland. He was born to the late William Arthur Windon and Zina Emma Windon on January 9, 1934, in Harrison County, West Virginia. Bob will be remembered for his ability to talk to anyone and for his steadfast willingness to help those in need.

Bob was preceded in death by his cherished wife of 53 years, Brenda Jane Windon. He is survived by his two sons: Rick Windon and his wife Pamela, and Scott Windon and his wife Robin. Bob found extreme happiness in his five grandchildren: Jessica (Windon) Yaniga, Nathaniel Windon, Rosco Windon, Zeke Windon, and Cheyenne (Windon) Harper. He delighted in his five great-grandchildren: Juniper, Bennett, Avery, Everett, and Damian.

The family thanks Sharon Miller, whose dedication and friendship brought comfort and companionship to Bob over the past 12 years.

Serving in the US Marines, Bob achieved the rank of sergeant and treasured the experience and associated travel. He then had a lengthy career as a heavy equipment operator. He loved to travel and would cite Hawaii and Alaska as two of his favorite trips. He found joy in flying—either behind the controls or in the back seat, he loved being in the sky. An avid golfer, Bob scored the coveted "hole-in-one" in 2011 while golfing with his buddies. A great storyteller with a warm sense of humor, he was loved by many.

The immediate family will hold a private memorial and burial service.

You are invited to share your memories, condolences and photos of Bob at www.resthaven.us/obituaries/Robert-Windon-2/#!/TributeWall

Memorial contributions in his honor may be made to the outstanding people at: Frederick Health Hospice, 1 Frederick Health Way, Frederick MD 21701.



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Diana Krop posted:

So thankful God brought Bob and Brenda into my life. They were so loving. Like Ronnie, I too "learned" to water ski from them. Bob was giving me specific instructions and Brenda was saying "be careful." I stood up the first time and couldn't believe it! I was so excited that when I fell I forgot to let go of the rope. I think I drank a gallon of water. Coming up coughing, Bob is saying "when you fall, you're supposed to let go of the rope, not try to drink the water (followed by his laughter). I'm coughing and smiling because I stood up and Brenda is saying "are you alright, are you sure you're alright." That's the kind of people you're parents were. When I got married, I too lived in Middlebrook Mobile Home Park. I got to see them on a regular basis outside of church. I saw you boys grow up. Wonderful memories from Germantown and then we both ended up in Urbana. Always enjoyed catching up and our talks which always included some laughter. He always asked about my Mom who also had moved to Urbana. Sorry for your earthly loss, but oh the joy to see them again - and once more get to share stories and laughter. May God give you the peace and comfort you need. Diana Umberger Moreland Krop

September 9 at 7:50 AM



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Chip Umberger posted:

Bob and Brenda were my neighbors and friends for a long time , couldn't ask for any better family! Bob and I drank many cups of coffee on my front porch while solving the world's problems!! Scott and Rick and family, Mr Bob was a good friend!! My condolences!! Chip Umberger

August 28 at 5:07 PM



Ron Price September 4 at 12:40 PM

Some of my fondest memories growing up and into my adult life were spent with Bob and Brenda Windon. They were our youth group leaders at Germantown Baptist, and surrogate parents for me. As I grew older, Bob became a good friend. He taught me how to water ski, took me to horse polo events, camping, hunting, fishing, watching planes and helicopters take off and land, etc., and many other activities; all of which I enjoyed, and spending time together. A mentor and good example. Many good laughs. In addition, we both drove 65 GTO's. What is the measure of a man? For me, that person is Bob Windon. Unselfish in every sense of the word, always there if I needed anything. As you grow older, one's priorities change, life gets busy, and different paths are taken. One regret I have is not maintaining the friendship I once had with Bob. A few years ago, I ran into Bob at Golden Corral. We sat and talked for along time over coffee, and discussed memories and the good ole days. I enjoyed that very much. When the Good Lord calls me home, and I get to see Bob again, maybe we'll be able to drive our GTO's once again. After all, the Bible says in heaven, we'll never want for anything. That's one thing I will want to do. Condolences to all the family. A good one was called home. God Bless, Ronnie Price



Bryan Umberger August 29 at 5:46 AM

Oh, the giant cars they drove!! They were no where near as big as their hearts!! They were an amazingly loving and beautiful couple!! I was so proud to go see them when I came home as a Marine!! Couldn't have asked for better neighbors!! I am so sorry for your loss but so happy that you had him in all of your lives!! Semper Fi, Marine!



Memories only last if you share them

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



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