



Robert W. Clarihew

February 19, 2010

Robert "Bob" W. Clarihew, age 73, passed away peacefully on Friday February 19, 2010 at Woodside Hospice House in Pinellas Park, FL.

Bob was born in Jersey City, New Jersey on September 25, 1936, to Agnes and Walter Clarihew. He grew up in St. Petersburg and Newark, NJ. He attended local schools in St. Petersburg. He served in the US Navy from 1954 to 1957. Bob was a cable splicer for General Telephone and the Panama Canal Company in Panama Canal Zone where he and his family lived for five years.

He was a member of American Legion Post 104, Pinellas Park, and a life member of VFW 10137 in Bushnell, Florida and was a life member of St. Petersburg Elks 1224 since 1975. He was an active member of St. Giles Episcopal Church in Pinellas Park where he served as a volunteer and board member of St. Giles Food Pantry for over 10 years.

Bob was preceded in death by his wife of 34 years, Ellen and his sister, Rita Doherty.

He is survived by his wife, Virginia, Son, Robert Clarihew Jr., daughters, Kathleen Anderson and Lynn Guido and step-son, John Lyle. seven grandchildren - David, Ashley, Ian, Garrett, Sean, Lauren and Kara , one great-granddaughter, Haley and several nieces and

nephews.

Services will be held on Friday, February 26, 2010 at St. Giles Episcopal Church at 8271 52nd Street North, Pinellas Park, FL, at 10:00 am with a reception to follow. Internment will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to St. Giles Episcopal Church or St. Giles Food Pantry.

Tribute Wall



“ *The family of Robert W. Clarihew uploaded a photo*

August 19, 2019 at 12:00 AM



“ *Rob Clarihew - Son posted a condolence Dad as I grew older we did not spend as much time together as we would have liked, but one thing that never left was the love we shared for each other. From the days of little league baseball to Ashley and Garrett's growing years, though the good and bad you were always there for us to give us advise some we took and some we should have thought about taken. You will always be my Hero because of you I have grown to become the man I am today. Rest in Peace Dad and some day we will be together again. You are loved with all my heart and soul and you will never be forgotten. Your Son Rob Jr.*

Rob Clarihew - Son - February 25, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mickey Schwegel - Family Friend posted a condolence You are all in our hearts, thoughts and prayers. May you find comfort in the surroundings of your family and friends. Our deepest sympathy.*

Mickey Schwegel - Family Friend - February 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Nancy Hicks - Ginny's Long time friend posted a condolence Ginny, I'm so sorry to hear about Bob. Please know that both John and I send our love and prayers.*

Nancy Hicks - Ginny's Long time friend - February 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CV

“ Chris Wolfe - painting buddy with Virginia posted a condolence My prayers are with Bob, you and your family. Bob has gone home to wait for you and his spirit will be at your side to guide you, along with God, through this painful time. You are strong, and will continue in beauty.

Chris Wolfe - painting buddy with Virginia - February 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ The Lyle Family - Step-son Daughter-in-law & gradchildern posted a condolence Our love is with you in this time of your loss. We love you very much we are always here if you need us at any time..

The Lyle Family - Step-son Daughter-in-law & gradchildern - February 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Debbie Dennis - Long Time friend of Family posted a condolence I am so sorry to hear about your loss. He is no longer suffering and is looking down and smiling upon everyone. You all are in my prayers.

Debbie Dennis - Long Time friend of Family - February 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ Kathy Anderson - Daughter posted a condolence I LOVE YOU DADDY, I want to say Thank you to my wonderful stepmother for the wonderful person that she is. She has always been there for my Dad, and has taken very good care of him all these years. and I Thank her so very much for that. and I know he will always be there with her. I will miss him dearly. He will always be the wind beneath my wing. I luv you. And I luv you Virginia. Kathy

Kathy Anderson - Daughter - February 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Mike Pruett - Step-Nephew posted a condolence I always liked Uncle Bob. His sister Rita & my father were married in the middle 1960's. Kathy, Lynn & Robbie were instant cousins & we saw each other a lot way back then. A couple of those pictures bring back a boat load of memories. All our parents - the Clarihew's, the Boyd's & the Pruett's are gone now & so it goes... Rest in Peace Bob. Love to you all MWP

Mike Pruett - Step-Nephew - February 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ Sue and Ed Deitz - friend posted a condolence Virginia, we are so sorry to hear about Bob's passing. Bob was truly a child of God and is now at peace in Gods loving arms. He will be missed. Sorry we won't be at St Giles Friday but you and Bob's family will be in our prayers.

Sue and Ed Deitz - friend - February 23, 2010 at 12:00 AM

VF

“ Valerie Ott - Friend posted a condolence Dear Virginia and extended family, May our good Lords peace and love ease your heart and comfort you during this sad time. love Val

Valerie Ott - Friend - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ The Allen's - friend posted a condolence Our sincere condolences on the passing of Mr. Clarihew. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Jessie, Mark, Tim, Becki (Jacobs) and Susan Allen

The Allen's - friend - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KN

“ Kevin and Dianna Douglas - nephew posted a condolence Our prayers are with yall during this hard time we will keep yall in our thoughts and we will miss him and he was a great uncle and a good friend love from Kevin and Dianna Douglas

Kevin and Dianna Douglas - nephew - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ ARIANE - Friend of the Family posted a condolence My Thoughts and Prayers are with you during this difficult time. May God give you strength during your time of sadness.

ARIANE - Friend of the Family - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Penny Bauer - Long time Friend posted a condolence I am so sorry I can not be there. I'll be thinking of you all. My Love and Prayers to all the Family Penny

Penny Bauer - Long time Friend - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CV

“ Cathy Singleton - Friend of Virginia posted a condolence Virginia, I am so sorry for your loss. Please take care of yourself. Your in my prayers, love, Cathy

Cathy Singleton - Friend of Virginia - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

GF

“ Gail Adams - Friend posted a condolence I am so saddened by your loss. Bob was such a friendly person who I will miss seeing at church.

Gail Adams - Friend - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JT

“ *Janice Liscinski - Attend church together posted a condolence Virginia, I am so sorry for your loss. Please know you and your family are all in my prayers. God bless, Janice, Drew, Aaron and AJ.*

Janice Liscinski - Attend church together - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ *Sandy Sandmeyer - used to attend church together posted a condolence I am so sorry for you loss. My heart and prayers go out to you.*

Sandy Sandmeyer - used to attend church together - February 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM