



C. Robert Volz

August 16, 1924 - October 26, 2017

C. Robert “Bob” Volz passed away from heart disease on Thursday, October 26, 2017.

He is survived by his loving wife of 32 years, Valoree Faw and son Christian Robert Volz and daughter Patricia Louise Volz from his first marriage to Dorothy Hill (passed in 1984), step-sons-daughters Randy and Debbie Green and Ray and Chris Green, grandchildren, nieces, nephews and great grandchild.

Bob was born in Scranton PA; in the 30s his family moved to Washington DC where he both attended high school and entered an apprentice program with the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company.

He served in World War II as a communications specialist and was posted to both the European and Pacific theaters. Upon his discharge, he returned to C&P rising through the ranks from craftsman to senior management. C&P was part of the Bell System and he retired shortly before Bell became Verizon.

Bob was very active in the Concordia United Church of Christ serving as president for several years. He particularly enjoyed camping and took the family to Skyline Drive for most of Chris and Patti’s childhood. Every summer, the family took long camping vacations from the Outer Banks, NC, to Prince

Edward Island, Canada and all points in between.

He and Valoree travelled extensively and he especially loved the Bavarian Alps. They were always making day trips all over the region to explore and enjoy nature.

Bob was the ultimate do-it-yourselfer. He was extremely creative, very resourceful and eagerly attacked any repair job that needed to be done. He rued the day when cars became too complicated for him to repair himself.

Bob lived his life with gusto up to the very end. He will be missed by everyone who knew him. He will be interred at Arlington National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Arlington National Cemetery

Arlington, VA 22211

<http://www.arlingtoncemetery.mil/>