



Robert Allen Briggs

July 21, 1959 - January 10, 2019

Robert Allen Briggs, age 59, passed away on Thursday, January 10, 2019 at Novant Prince William Medical Center in Manassas, VA surrounded by his family.

He was born on July 21, 1959 in Hot Springs, Arkansas to the late Donald Rae and Aleta Jo (Harper) Briggs.

“Bob” was a child of a Navy family that moved frequently, but eventually settled down in Virginia. He was the salutatorian of his high school class in 1977 where he moved on to obtain his Bachelor’s Degree in Chemistry from George Mason University. He later received his Master’s Degree in Chemical Engineering from Virginia Tech. He focused his career in environmental remediation with great success.

He was happily married for 24 years and loved serving as the provider for his family. Bob was not only a caring and gentle father, but he was generous in his time, effort, and resources to everyone around him. Along with his compassionate heart, Bob had a vast sense of humor. He loved playing pranks on his siblings, and his family and friends would easily describe him as a “goofball.”

Bob’s curiosity and eagerness to learn led him to take on any challenge that

came his way and sparked many interests. He loved football, playing racquetball and golf, and kept up with his beloved Hokies over the years. He was also a wonderful artist, creating calligraphy, sketches, and paintings that would surprise even his closest loved ones. He excelled in wood working, home repair, and culinary arts.

He loved riding his motorcycle, air-guitaring to classic rock music, cooking, travel, and most of all, spending time with his family and friends.

Survivors include two daughters: Katie Briggs and Allie Briggs; one brother: William Briggs; two sisters: Joy Briggs and Kate Briggs; three nieces: Sara Briggs, Dani Briggs and Savannah Briggs and one nephew: Sean Briggs.

A Memorial Service will be held at the Piedmont Country Club in Haymarket, Virginia.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to: www.shatterproof.org
Condolences may be sent to: www.piercefh.com

Tribute Wall

RV

“ *Deepest Sympathy. Sad news. While Bob was at ManTech, his team bought my patented CleanOX technology in the late-90's. We shared a lot of technical and business dealings relative to the acquisition and subsequent application of the remediation process. There are many extraordinary episodes I remember around work and carousing together. During one period he was looking to move to Wilmington NC, and we did a lot of house hunting. After I left ManTech, our lives took us in different directions. I never forgot him. RIP Bob Briggs*

Ron Vigneri - January 30, 2019 at 09:44 AM

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“ *Hey Bob, your great sense of humor and crazy antics on the golf course will be greatly missed. Just save me a spot in your foursome when I come around to see you on the back nine. Then I'll know I'm in heaven!*



Ed Novak - January 20, 2019 at 10:03 AM

DF

“ *Bob was one of my best friend's, always having a grand time, laughing and planning the next "event". Work colleague, friend, fellow golfer and really, family. Miss you, Boooooooooob!*

David Freed - January 19, 2019 at 02:29 AM


DF

“ So sorry to hear about the passing of Bob. We worked together for several years and shared some great times in Baltimore....usually involving good food and a lot of laughs. I really enjoyed Bob's sense of humor and his quick wit and intelligence. He was also thoughtful, generous, and engaging. As is often the case working as a "consultant" you find yourself sharing many events with colleagues and clients, including birthdays. Photo was taken at the Oceanaire restaurant in Baltimore MD.

Dave Fulton



David Fulton - January 18, 2019 at 12:18 PM

 Katie
Briggs

“ <https://www.shatterproof.org/memorial/bob-briggs>

Katie Briggs - January 14, 2019 at 04:35 PM

PG

“ These are a few classic pictures. Eating oysters at Capps restaurant, wearing a favorite shirt and hanging with Emma in the chair. That was a regular thing for the two of them. Cuddling all the time!



Patti Gibbs - January 14, 2019 at 03:24 PM

LH

“ To the Briggs family, So sorry for your loss .Haven"t been on Facebook for three days. Robert always had a smile on his face .did"t know him well, but I heard a lot about him. I knew his mother and sisters for many years. Robert will be missed. by so many. I will pray for all of you.
Love Loretta Hardman

LORETTA HARDMAN - January 13, 2019 at 02:50 PM

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katie briggs - January 13, 2019 at 10:34 AM



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Joy Briggs - January 12, 2019 at 04:49 PM