



## Robert E. Tyree

September 15, 1961 - May 15, 2016

Robert E. Tyree, also known as “Porky” of Alexandria, Virginia passed away unexpectedly on May 15, 2016.

He was born on September 15, 1961 in Alexandria, Virginia. He was the son of the late Robert L. Tyree and Janice M. (Melvin) Tyree.

Robbie worked many years as a skilled tile mechanic installing marble and ceramic tile throughout the Washington Metropolitan area. He also was an avid Drag Racer, competing and winning all over Virginia and Maryland.

Robbie had a tremendous heart and always knew the things to say to bring a smile to your face. He loved his family dearly and always wanted to be the best that he could. Father, friend, husband and great man are things that he will be remembered for. He would often say to his children “I’m invincible” and that is how we will remember him.

Survivors include his daughter, Brittany Garcia, husband Mark and granddaughter Layla of Alexandria, VA; mother, Janice M. Tyree of Manassas, VA; sister, Brenda L. Boothe and husband John of Manassas, VA; son Linsey Thodos of Bel Air, MD; companion Susan Brann of Aldie, VA.

The family will receive friends from 6:00-7:00PM Wednesday, May 18, 2016 at Pierce Funeral Home. 9609 Center Street, Manassas, Virginia where funeral services will be held at 7:00PM with Rev. Dr. Billy G. Tatum officiating.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 18.** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 257-6028  
pfh@piercefh.com  
<https://www.piercefh.com>

## Service

**MAY 18.** 7:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

LI

“ *love and miss u horseeee*

linsey - September 09, 2023 at 02:47 PM

WB

“ *racing in haven ,R I P*

wayne bishop - May 19, 2016 at 04:50 PM

AF

“ *Andy cox and family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert E. Tyree.*



Andy cox and family - May 18, 2016 at 03:50 PM

JB

“ *RIP Robbie, you were like a brother to me. I was your helper doing tile for 25 years. We had good times together, through racing and work. And our talk two weeks ago at the moose is etched in my heart forever. They say grown men can't cry but i am because you are missed my friend more then words can say. And I just want every one to know that all the people in his life and that had been in his life that he loved every one very much. love to the family and friends, I miss you my friend forever.  
Your buddy, Jeff Butler*

Jeff Butler - May 18, 2016 at 03:09 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert E. Tyree.*



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May 18, 2016 at 01:57 PM



“ *Jay, Kim, Brayden, Harmony & Kaymden purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Robert E. Tyree.*



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**Jay, Kim, Brayden, Harmony & Kaymden** - May 18, 2016 at 09:44 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert E. Tyree.*



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May 18, 2016 at 09:03 AM



“ *Christa Geno lit a candle in memory of Robert E. Tyree*




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**Christa Geno** - May 17, 2016 at 10:11 PM

CP

“*Robbie, you always had a nice big smile whenever I saw you at Steve and Steph's. It was impossible to be in a bad mood around you. May the Lord rest your soul and comfort those you left behind.*

Christine Payne - May 17, 2016 at 09:48 PM

 Alexis Brann

“*Alexis Brann lit a candle in memory of Robert E. Tyree*



Alexis Brann - May 17, 2016 at 09:24 PM

 Rodney Ward Jr.

“*Porky was the life of the race track from when I was a kid racing juniors til I last raced him 2 years ago. He will be greatly missed he always made everyone laugh and you could have the worst day possible but he would turn that into one of the best days anyone can remember. We'll miss you Robert Tyree ,nobody can replace this man.*

Rodney Ward Jr. - May 17, 2016 at 09:01 PM

PR

“*Rip. Gonna miss seeing you at the track. I remember I was working in Alexandria he had his car the 57 chevy on display in the parking lot of Precision Doors and I stopped by and ended up talking to you fo r awhile about racing and all the people we knew. Great man gone to soon. My condolences to the family for your loss.*

Prentiss - May 17, 2016 at 07:52 PM

EB

“ Edwin, Mary and Eddie Burrows purchased the B looming Garden Basket for the family of Robert E. Tyree.



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**Edwin, Mary and Eddie Burrows** - May 17, 2016 at 06:18 PM

RL

“ I had a lot of fun with Robbie building all his little toys

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**Ronald lease** - May 17, 2016 at 05:56 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Robert E. Tyree.



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May 17, 2016 at 05:22 PM

HF

“ Robbie you are definitley going to be missed. We go back like four flats on a Cadillac. Seems like yesterday we were at the skating rink and out racing our cars on Eisenhower. RIP my brother. I will miss that smile and your humor. You were one of a kind. Love you brother.

*HL FRAZIER and Family*

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**HL Frazier** - May 17, 2016 at 04:43 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert E. Tyree.*



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May 17, 2016 at 02:31 PM



“ *Rip Robbie we had a lot of fun times over the years you always knew how to make people laugh and all the fun times at the race track you will be missed brother-in-law. Sherry and John*

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**Sherry snoddy** - May 17, 2016 at 02:05 PM



“ *HE HAD THE BEST SMILE. ALWAYS HAD SOMETHING FUNNY TO SAY. HE WILL BE MISSED. REST IN PEACE SWEET HEART. HE ALWAYS CALLED ME SWEET HEART.*

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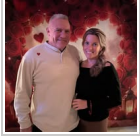
**CORA NEBEL** - May 17, 2016 at 01:25 PM



“ *RIP Robbie! Way to many good memories, always a good time! Thanks again for offering your 57 at Norwalk when I didn't qualify!!! Always helped me alot at the races in the earlier years, was a true friend!  
My Wife and I and my children, Lauren, Jessica, And Katherine still talk about you today!  
What a Great Guy!!!!  
Robert Jones*

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**Robert Jones** - May 17, 2016 at 12:21 PM



“ You will be missed, we had a lot of great times over the 25-30 years I've known you. You we're one of the funniest people I've known!!! I am in Bristol racing and will do my best to win for you. RIP Porky

Steve Witherow - May 17, 2016 at 11:44 AM

KD

“ Rest in peace my friend ! Have known you since I was a kid , you will be missed by your family and friends ! Thoughts and prayers to your family .

Kim & David Dill - May 17, 2016 at 10:22 AM

JS

“ RIP, bro.

John Semiklose - May 17, 2016 at 07:26 AM

DL

Many good times and memories we had!! You were one of a kind! The life of the party. Always made us laugh. And we are thankful to you for getting us together Rob! We will miss you!! Prayers to the family!! Love you all!!

Debbie Loving - May 17, 2016 at 08:03 AM

BL

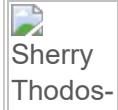
RIP Rob you will sure be missed. Tommy and Betty Lanham (Vernon sister and husband). Prayers to your family and friends

betty lanham - May 17, 2016 at 09:17 AM



rip brother

Billy Farmer - May 17, 2016 at 10:22 AM



*Rip Robbie we had a lot of fun times together over the years you always made us laugh you will be missed. Sherry &John*

**Sherry Thodos-Snoddy** - May 17, 2016 at 11:58 AM

HM

*R.I.P .SO VERY YOUNG , TO LEAVE THIS LIFE , YOUR FAMILY WILL MISS YOU SO VERY MUCH .GOD BLESS .....LOVE YOU ...*

**helen myers** - May 17, 2016 at 12:41 PM

RO

*Rip Pork chop many of laughs with you*

**RICK O'BANNON** - May 17, 2016 at 01:02 PM

MC

*REST IN PEASE PORKY WILL MISS YOU ,MARK & MIKE THE TWINS.*

**MARK CAMPBELL** - May 17, 2016 at 01:23 PM

BP

*My deepest sympathy to the Tyree family and friends.*

**brenda phares** - May 17, 2016 at 07:58 PM

JP

*Porky my buddy! We hade so many years of just GREAT fun with me being little & watching u race with my dad & then me growing into the car & racing with u & hanging out at our trailer with Steve Thodos & my family & friends playing cards & racing My uncle john (bird) on foot & another great friend & racer Timmy Powell. Miss all the good times but not as much as I will miss a great friend,a great racer, & just a person that could lift anybody up on their worst day!! God bless u buddy & u will never be forgotten!! Love u Porky R. I. P.*

**Jesse Pritchett** - May 22, 2016 at 01:05 AM