

## Robert Paul Cavalluzzi

April 26, 1947 - July 18, 2020

Robert Paul Cavalluzzi flew into the arms of God on Saturday, July 18th, 2020 after a long courageous battle with liver and kidney disease. He was born in Mount Vernon, New York on April 26, 1947 to the late Margaret (Albero) & Ralph J. Cavalluzzi.

Robert graduated from Mount Vernon High School in 1965, afterwards attending William and Mary College in Williamsburg, Virginia. Robert enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps, proudly serving his country from 1966-1972 reaching the rank of Staff Sergeant. He served as a Forward Observer during combat. During his tour in Vietnam, Robert was severely wounded, as shrapnel from an explosive device, wounded his back. As he lay on a stretcher waiting to be transported out, he was shot in his arm. As he laid there gravely wounded, he watched as the helicopter he was to be transported on quickly fill up. He fell into anguish and despair thinking his chance for survival was now minimal. Soon, after its departure, Robert watched the chopper as it was shot down in midair. Due to those experiences, Robert always strongly felt he was living on "borrowed time". As a Purple Heart Recipient and proud Combat Vietnam Veteran, he had a deep appreciation and gratefulness for each and everyday that God had given him. Robert retired from Perkin Elmer Inc., as a Traffic & Logistic Manager in 2001. During his career he was required to travel extensively to San Diego, California, and parts of Mexico to manage and operate many warehouses and

facilities for his company. He was loyal, hardworking, and demonstrated a great work ethic throughout his career. Prior to Bob's illness, he served as an Honor Guard for the The Saratoga National Cemetery in Saratoga, New York. Bob was a lifelong patriot for his country.

In November of 2003, Bob accepted Jesus Christ as his personal Lord and Savior. He was a devoted member of The Annsville Baptist Church in Peekskill, New York for many years. Bob entered into glory with the assurance of salvation.

Robert loved life and had a great sense of humor as you could always find him laughing and joking about something. He enjoyed many hobbies like traveling, taking day trips, Italian cooking, playing computer games, and he was an avid coin collector. Bob was known for his Italian cooking. There wasn't a time that Bob missed the opportunity to feed others. His favorite place to be was with his family in Disney World in Orlando, Florida. Robert married Kathleen P. Brennan on October 3rd, 1993 in Garrison, New York. She survives him at home as well as their two loving daughters Ashley and Ava Cavalluzzi of Ocoee, Florida. He is also survived by his four other loving children and their spouses: Robert C. Cavalluzzi of Fishkill, New York, Paul M. Cavalluzzi of Fishkill, NY (previous marriage), Nicole (RN, BSN) and her husband Steven Rice (LPN) of Winter Haven, Florida, and Petty Officer 2, U.S. Navy Jonathan Cavalluzzi and wife 2nd Lieutenant. U.S. Army Joyce Kirkconnell-Cavalluzzi of San Diego, California. He is also survived by four wonderful grandchildren: Nico and Alexa Cavalluzzi and Layla and Savannah Rice. Also surviving is his brother Ramon Cavalluzzi of Little River, South Carolina, and his family. He is also survived by loving sister-in-law Susan J. (Brennan) and brother in-law Jeffery A. Strang and their family of Cortlandt Manor, New York. In addition, he is survived by many sister and brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews, and many loving cousins.

Bob's celebration of life services will be held with A Community Funeral Home & Sunset Cremations on Wednesday, July 22nd at 11:00am, followed by burial at the Cape Canaveral National Cemetery. Services are private and for family only. Masks are required. Bob was a loved and cherished husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, and cousin who will be greatly missed. Revelation 21:4: "He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away".

# Previous Events


## Celebration of Life

JUL 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

A Community Funeral Home & Sunset Cremations  
910 W. Michigan Street  
Orlando, FL 32805  
(407) 841-4424  
<https://www.acommunityfuneralhome.com/>

# Tribute Wall

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“ I cannot express the pain and grief I am feeling for you Kathy and your family at the loss of the love  of your life. I have fond and wonderful memories of Bob in years gone by. You and Bob are and always will be a one in a million family. Prayers and rest gently in the Lords hands big guy.

june - July 21, 2020 at 03:14 PM



“ Blessed Heart was purchased for the family of Robert Paul Cavalluzzi.



July 21, 2020 at 02:49 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert Paul Cavalluzzi.



July 21, 2020 at 11:45 AM

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“ So sorry to hear of his passing. May you Rest In Peace. Your 1961 Sacred Heart classmate!

Terri Manto - July 21, 2020 at 11:24 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Robert Paul Cavalluzzi.*



July 21, 2020 at 12:42 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Paul Cavalluzzi.*



July 20, 2020 at 09:52 PM



“ *RIP.....Our old elementary school friend. Sincere condolences to your family. Also Semper Fidelis from one of your fellow Marines. Bill & Jeanne (DePasquale) Sparks Sacred Heart School 1961.*

**Bill & Jeanne Sparks** - July 20, 2020 at 09:23 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert Paul Cavalluzzi.*



July 20, 2020 at 08:18 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Robert Paul Cavalluzzi.



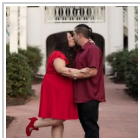
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“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Paul Cavalluzzi.



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Rip Robert 🙏🙏

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“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Paul Cavalluzzi.



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Kathi Cavalluzzi - July 20, 2020 at 02:44 PM