



## Robert Bond

May 23, 1941 - July 23, 2020

Robert Bond, age 79, of Dublin, entered heaven on Thursday July 23, 2020. Bob was born and raised by his parents Jesse and Rose in Chicago IL. Bob went to Northwestern University where he graduated with a degree in History and English Literature. He then joined the United States Navy upon graduation from Officer's Candidate School. Bob was an ensign first class on a destroyer in the Vietnam War. It was in San Diego while stationed at NAS Miramar that he met the love of his life, Gloria. Within a month, they were married at the Officer's Club on August 20, 1966. They were married for 48 years before Gloria passed away in 2014. Soon after marriage, they were transferred to the east coast. After leaving the Navy, Robert and Gloria entered civilian life and lived in Connecticut and New Jersey. They then moved to Atlanta where they lived for 13 years. In 1985, they moved to Dublin, OH. Bob had many friends and associates and was loved by all. Bob made a career in Sales and Sales Management and retired from insurance sales. His friends and family miss his engaging personality, sharp wit, unforgettable character and his ability to make a friend wherever he went. He is survived by his sons Jeffrey (Jill) of Peachtree City, GA and Erich (Gretchen) of Dublin, OH and his grandchildren Courtney, Trevor and Max, niece Patty (David) Edwards of Dallas, TX and their family and many friends. Family will receive friends from 5-8pm Monday July 27 at RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 West Olentangy St., Powell, OH 43065 (614) 792-1471. There will be a private burial on Tuesday July 28 at Kingwood Memorial Park, Lewis Center, OH.

# Cemetery

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# Events

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**Kingwood Memorial Park**

8230 Columbus Pike

Lewis Center, OH, 43035

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**Visitation**

05:00PM - 08:00PM

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Rutherford Funeral Home at Powell

450 West Olentangy Street, Powell, OH, US, 43065

# Comments

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“ An external video has been added.



Rutherford Funeral Homes - July 25 at 01:05 PM

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“ Dear Bond Family,

I just learned this morning of Bob's passing. It caught me flat footed and it stung. I am filled with gratitude to have known and worked with Bob. If you leave the world with people feeling gratitude, you were doing something right.

I met Bob six weeks into my career at Fringe Benefit Group. Bob sold a large amount of retirement plans with our organization through the 90's and up until he stopped working.

While I supported his work in my region at the time, he served as a mentor and friend.

I imagine Bob sitting on the porch with Gloria now. A nine foot cigarette, egg(or was it tuna) salad sandwich and a book on tape ready to go.

Blessings to you all,

Brian Robertson

Brian Robertson - July 27 at 11:37 AM

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“ So sorry to hear this. Keeping you all in my thoughts, peace.  
Emily Navin Prieto

Emily - July 27 at 09:43 AM

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“ We were so saddened to learn that Bob (Bobby to us) has passed. He was a great friend and always a lot of fun to be with. We hope he didn't suffer as he approached the end. His wit and humor always brightened up all the socializing we did with him during the 20 years we knew him in Dublin. He lived a good life and was a great father and husband. The world will be a lesser place without him. Our heartfelt condolences to his sons, daughters-in law, grandkids and other family members.

Sincerely and sadly,  
Connie and Jim Ryan

Connie and Jim Ryan - July 26 at 08:06 PM

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“ May the love of God surround you and your family during this difficult time,  
May you come to know that the love of God is with you always,

May your memories of Robert Bond, give you peace, comfort and strength...

Rest now in the arms of our Lord your mission on earth is complete.  
I thank you for your service to our Country and my Freedom. You will not be  
forgotten.

My thoughts  
and prayers to the family of ....

US Navy Veteran, Robert Bond, is “A True American Hero” God Bless†

† Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.  
John 15:13 †

Cheryl Skinner, Tri-state Millitary Museum - July 26 at 02:09 PM