



## Robert M.S. Farmer Jr.

October 13, 1957 - September 26, 2022

Robert M.S. Farmer Jr. was a husband, father, grandfather, and dear friend. He lost his battle with esophageal cancer on September 26, 2022, with his family at his home.

Robert, known to close friends and family as Bob, was born October 13th, 1957, in Lima Ohio. He graduated from Shawnee High School in 1976 and earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from The Ohio State University in 1982. He was a proud Buckeye and Kappa Sigma member. Bob was a committed season ticket holder and loyal tailgater rain or shine!

Bob pursued a career he loved in custom home building for his own company "RMF Builders Inc." He was proud to be known as a hands-on builder and passionate about his craft. Bob was involved in the BIA of Central Ohio and built in The Parade of Homes. He built and remodeled homes throughout many neighborhoods in central Ohio.

Bob is survived by his wife of 36 years Cheryl (Plahuta) and his five children, Kendel, Chloe (Shawn), Madison (Desmon), Darby and Robert. He was a proud and devoted father. He was also an amazing grandfather to his only grandchild, Caden. The family dogs, Sable and Bailey also brought Bob great light every day.

Bob's diagnosis of esophageal cancer in 2014 did not slow him down. He and his family remained strong, fighting through treatments and procedures. He was resilient and optimistic and continued with all of the things that brought him joy in life.

Throughout his life he followed in the footsteps of his parents with an admiration for arts and travel. Bob served on the board of directors for Art Space Lima. He loved playing hockey with his original 40+ Sunday night guys. Bob enjoyed flying biplanes and was working to pursue his pilot's license. His favorite place to vacation was the Florida Keys. He loved fast cars and was an avid corvette collector.

Bob was a "go-to" person for many and always ready to lend a helping hand. He was his family and friend's best coach and cheerleader. Bob's favorite time was family time. He built strong family traditions. He enjoyed cooking for with his family especially hot pot, Sunday brunches and shrimp scampi. He especially enjoyed spending backyard pool days in the summer with his family. Bob's legacy, memories, traditions, and strong family bonds will be passed down through his family for generations to come.

Visitation will be held on Saturday October 1st from 1:00-4:00pm at RUTHERFORD FUNERAL HOME AT POWELL, 450 West Olentangy Street, Powell, OH 43065. The family welcomes a short service from 4:00-5:00pm to share stories and memories of Bob.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 1. 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Rutherford Funeral Home at Powell  
450 West Olentangy Street  
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## A Time of Sharing

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# Tribute Wall



“ Robert M.S. Farmer Jr.

January 28, 2023 at 10:24 AM



“ Kathy ( LaRotonda) Oneill lit a candle in memory of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr.



Kathy ( LaRotonda) Oneill - October 03, 2022 at 10:39 PM



“ RIP Bob...A true example of determination. My main memories is swimming. Many of us knew him as "boomer". My fondest condolences to friends and family. He was a good guy!! Corky Allen

Corky Allen - October 01, 2022 at 10:17 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..



October 01, 2022 at 10:07 AM

JS

“ *Very sorry to hear about Bob's passing. It seems like just yesterday we were talking at our 45th high school class reunion. Bob was so upbeat and had such a positive outlook. He will be missed by all. Our condolences to Cheryl and the family. Jay and Bev Shindledecker*

**JAY SHINDLEDECKER** - September 30, 2022 at 06:41 PM

JB

“ *Josh & Jack Plahuta ~ Margaret & Brent purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



**Josh & Jack Plahuta ~ Margaret & Brent** - September 30, 2022 at 05:09 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



September 30, 2022 at 05:03 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



September 30, 2022 at 03:41 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



September 29, 2022 at 11:39 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



September 29, 2022 at 10:40 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



September 29, 2022 at 06:50 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



September 29, 2022 at 06:43 PM

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“ *The Barkalows - Marty, Amy, Wes & Sarah purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



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**The Barkalows - Marty, Amy, Wes & Sarah** - September 29, 2022 at 03:17 PM

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“ *ArtSpace/Lima purchased the Fiery Lily and Rose for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



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**ArtSpace/Lima** - September 29, 2022 at 01:39 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



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September 29, 2022 at 12:21 PM

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“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. We are sorry for your loss. Steve Seward and Megan Cook*

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**Steve Seward** - September 29, 2022 at 10:21 AM



“ *Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



September 29, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *50+ Sunday Night Hockey Group purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



**50+ Sunday Night Hockey Group** - September 29, 2022 at 06:39 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



September 29, 2022 at 04:44 AM



“ *Great father, son, husband and friend. You will have fun in heaven Bob. We miss you.*

**david rogers** - September 28, 2022 at 11:16 PM



*I am so sorry for your loss ! Bob will be missed by many ! Hugs to the family that he held close to his heart ! Robin Kaufman*

**rRobin Kaufman** - October 04, 2022 at 08:57 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



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September 28, 2022 at 10:17 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



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September 28, 2022 at 09:40 PM



“ *We were honored to have Bob not only as a friend but as an industry associate. We shared many great adventures, most of which cannot be repeated here! You never spent time with Bob that did not include laughter! His intelligence, sense of humor, business acumen, and adoration of his family and friends made for happy conversation. We will miss him forever. He was truly a great guy! - Kay & Jack Graf*

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**Kay M. Graf** - September 28, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *A wonderful friend, we shared many great times on the ice and at tailgates and Jacket's games. It just won't be the same now. My love to his family.*

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**Bob Francisco** - September 28, 2022 at 08:09 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



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September 28, 2022 at 07:43 PM



“ *Cheryl and family. So sorry to hear of Bob's passing. I enjoyed our friendship thru the years and cherish the memories. May God bless you and your family during this time. In Sympathy, Robin Hand*

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**Robin Hand** - September 28, 2022 at 07:12 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



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September 28, 2022 at 06:14 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert M.S. Farmer Jr..*



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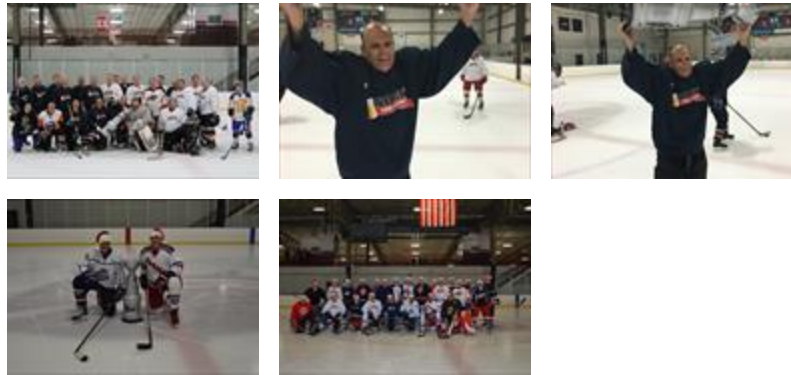
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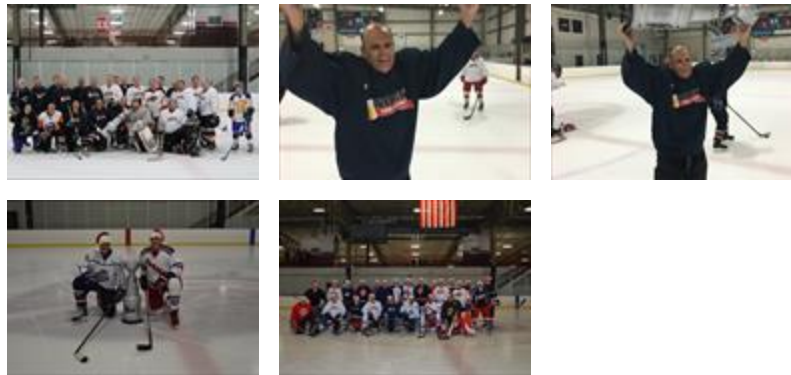
“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Mike Riley - September 28, 2022 at 04:26 PM



“ 5 files added to the album 50+ Hockey



Mike Riley - September 28, 2022 at 04:23 PM