



Robert A. Banaszewski

April 8, 1939 - August 4, 2022

Robert A. Banaszewski, born April 8, 1939 in Hamtramck, Michigan to John and Wanda (Wilczynski) Banaszewski. He was pre-deceased by his parents, his brother; Don of Detroit and sister; Donna of Tampa Florida. Beloved husband of Barbara for 42 years. Loving father of Rob Banaszewski of Warren, Michigan, Lori (Paul) Nottle of Macomb, Michigan and the late Renee (the late David) Kennedy. Dear stepfather of LeeAnna Jonas of Colorado and David Jonas of Lake Orion, Michigan. Best grandfather ever to Katherine (Peter) Berishaj of Sterling Heights, Michigan, Dustin (Lisa) Jonas of Littleton, Colorado, Blake Nottle of Macomb Michigan, Jenna Nottle of Traverse City, Michigan and the late Jordan Banaszewski.

He adored his two Russian Blue cats, Blue and Echo as they loved and adored him in return.

Bob worked for FCA/Chrysler for 44 years, retiring in 2003 and went back to work in 2007 as a liaison between a parts suppliers and Chrysler. It was the best job he said he ever had.

He enjoyed spending time with his family and his grandchildren. He and his

wife Barbara loved to visit Colorado and also spend time in Florida.

He joined the Polish Century Club of Detroit in April 1990 and was an active member. He was a pilot, earning his private pilot license in 1982. He and his wife enjoyed flying to various destinations with their dear friends Dale and Shari Jarackas.

He will be greatly missed by his family and friends. He will be in our hearts forever.

Visitation will be on Thursday from 3-8 pm at the Wasik Funeral Home, Inc. 49150 Schoenherr Rd., N. of 22 Mile Rd. (Shelby Twp.). Instate Friday 9:30 am until 10 am Funeral Mass at St. Therese of Lisieux Church, 48115 Schoenherr Rd, Shelby Township.

The family graciously extends an invitation to all funeral attendees to participate in the funeral reception to be held at Penne Lane, 44905 Morley Drive, Clinton Township, Michigan (South of Hall Road).

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 11. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home, Shelby Township
49150 Schoenherr Rd.
Shelby Township, MI 48315
(586) 532-8600
shelby@wasikfuneralhome.com

Instate at Church

AUG 12. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Therese of Lisieux
48115 Schoenherr Rd
Shelby Twp, MI 48315
(586) 254-4433
frontdesk@stthereseeparish.ws
<http://www.stthereseeparish.ws>

Funeral Mass

AUG 12. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RU

“ *Barb and Family,
So sorry to hear of Bob's passing. He was a real pleasure to work with. Always had the right answers. Great work ethic. Ready smile to go with his stories and experiences. He was the glue that kept so many of the retirees connected. Will miss him.*
Ron Ustruck

Ron Ustruck - August 10, 2022 at 10:25 AM

CG

“ *Barb and Family
I'm so sorry for your loss. I was always very fond of Bob. He was so kind and thoughtful. He's no longer suffering and he's with Renee and the rest of his family in heaven. I'm so happy we had a nice visit last August.*
Love and hugs to you all. Collette Geck

Collette Geck - August 09, 2022 at 09:30 AM

DI

“ *Hi Barb
Sorry to hear of Bob passing into heaven. He was a great story teller and I know you are going to miss him. But just think he is going to be your guardian angel looking down and keeping you safe. May he rest in peace.*
Diane of Crestview Dental

diane - August 08, 2022 at 08:46 PM

SS

“ Sending my heartfelt sympathy to Barb, family and everyone who is missing Bob. Although I only had the opportunity to meet him in person twice his funny e-mails filled with personality always made me feel as though he were in the office with me and always brightened my day. I am so very sorry to hear of his passing. The memory of the laughter he shared will forever hold a special place in my heart and I will be forever grateful for the years of dedication he gave to my family.

Shelley Switzer - August 08, 2022 at 10:54 AM

SJ

“ Thinking of Bob and the wonderful times we all had together. I felt very safe on our trip to Toronto and Chicago, there were three pilots onboard: Bob, Barb and Dale. Sharing laughs and good times on New Year's Eve. And just getting together to play cards, have dinner and enjoy each other's company. Bob's smile, warmth, and humor are things I will miss most. I treasure the memories and so happy Bob was my dear friend.

Shari Jarackas - August 06, 2022 at 01:03 PM

SJ

“ 2 files added to the album Bob Banaszewski



Shari Jarackas - August 06, 2022 at 01:01 PM