



Mr. Robert Leon Lowe

February 1, 1924 - December 10, 2016

Robert Leon Lowe, of 700 E. Brighton Ave, Syracuse, passed away peacefully at age 92 on December 10th, 2016 at the Cunningham in Syracuse. Bob, as he was known to all his family and friends, was born to Leon P and Bertha P Lowe in Syracuse on February 1st, 1924. Bob graduated from Vocational High School and upon graduation enlisted in the Navy. He served our country honorably during WWII and saw action on the USS Hale (DD642) in the Gilbert Islands, Marshall Islands, New Guinea, and the Philippines. Bob was an Eagle Scout and active as a Sea Scout leader in Phoenix where he settled after the service. He worked in construction as a carpenter, for the Post Standard and Herald Journal as a Stereotyper, drove school bus in Phoenix, and worked until retirement at Miller's Brewery in Fulton. Bob was a loving family man who was blessed with a great sense of humor and a contagiously positive outlook on life. He loved golf and traveling. Bob was predeceased by his first wife Betty Jean (Hilton) Lowe, of Syracuse and is survived by wife, Rita M. (Walter) Lowe, children, Gregory S. (Patti) Lowe, of Solvay, Deborah Jean (Richard) Lytle, Gareth Robert Lowe, Dianne Leslie (Gerry) Boyle, Charlene Marsello, Patricia (Robert) Sherman and Peter (Jackie) Foertsch, niece, Lyn Kemp, 19 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren. Calling hours are Friday, December 16, 4 to 7 pm, at BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, 2601 Milton Ave, Solvay. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Cecilia Church, 1001 Woods Rd, Solvay at 9:30 am Saturday, December 17th. Bob will be laid to rest in St. Mary's Cemetery,

Dewitt.

In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to K9's for Warriors, 114 Camp K9 Road,

Ponte Vedra, FL 32081, www.k9sforwarriors.org or a charity of your choice.

Please offer online condolences at www.bagozzitwins.com.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

DEC 16. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home, Inc.
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Solvay, NY 13209
(315) 468-2431
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Mass of Christian Burial

DEC 17. 9:30 AM (ET)

St. Cecilia Church
1001 Woods Rd.
Solvay, NY 13209

Rite of Committal

DEC 17 (ET)

St. Mary's Cemetery-DeWitt
DeWitt, NY

Tribute Wall



“ *Bagozzi Twins Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Robert Leon Lowe*



BAGOZZI TWINS FUNERAL HOME, INC. - December 15, 2016 at 09:38 AM

JD

Best memorial video !

Joan Darnell - January 02, 2017 at 03:23 PM



“ *Mr. Robert Leon Lowe*

January 21, 2023 at 02:11 PM

PW

“ *Rita, Greg, Deb, Gary and Dianne, Bob and I are so sad to hear of your Husband/Dad's passing. He was such a huge part of our teen years and beyond. Your house was always open to all of us and we had many wonderful times there. Bob especially remembers the sea scout years when he spent so many hours with them refinishing the boat that they finally got to put into the water. Our condolences to you all. Our love.*

Pat and Bob Wall

Pat Wall - December 24, 2016 at 07:53 PM

TK

“ *Living larger than life, now peaceful in rest. Father, Husband, Friend, WW II Warrior, Santa Clause, Confidant, Mentor, Entertainer, Patriarch, Medic, Fixer of things and of anybody who was ever feeling down at any time. To me he was all those things encapsulated in one extraordinary, unbeatable soul. To me he was my Uncle Bob.*

Visiting the Lowe Family home in Phoenix, NY in the late 1960's and 1970's as a young boy with my Grandparents was like taking a trip to Disneyland and a Classic Hollywood Movie Set combined into one, with just a sprinkle of a PG version of the Brady Bunch. For me it was a borderline mythical place where Uncle Bob and Aunt Betty reigned over a Court of incredible son's, daughters, extended family and merry celebrations.

In charge of it all and Master of all Ceremonies was Uncle Bob. Whether it was his arrival as the jolly Elf Santa Clause to the house - no less magical to me than any classic Christmas Story, or the jolly Devil behind a wall of flames created in the bathroom sink with burning alcohol, sterilizing the tweezers and scissors he was about to use to pull overdue stitches out of my lip - Uncle Bob would appear ready to take on any task or mission. The high energy yard parties in the warmer weather, to include now outlawed Jart competitions and performance motorcycles, just added more layers of fascination and intrigue to the environment. I can recall every inch of that house and yard and every happening during my visits. The fact that the home actually sat adjacent to a real amusement park sent the experience over the top. Such were the important and ever lasting impressions made.

Uncle Bob's tour at this Duty Station has now ended. His ship has passed over the horizon and we say "there it goes". However, this does not mean the ship is not there. We are just the group who now cannot see it. Another lucky group, at his new Duty Station beyond the horizon is pretty darn excited right about now and hailing his ship's arrival - "here he comes, Bob is now here. We have been

waiting a while, excellent".

Now with the family and friends who arrived before him, the good times continue. Uncle Bob is making sure everybody feels OK there and here still too, with a presence too large and good to ever be forgotten or leave us. That was always his primary mission and I'm sure it remains the same now.

Well done, Uncle Bob. Mission Accomplished.

Tom Kemp - December 16, 2016 at 03:58 PM

DB

What a fitting tribute. Thank you cousin Tom♥♥

dianne boyle - December 17, 2016 at 08:22 PM

GA

Thanks Tom you were on the mark with that tribute! He was an awesome Man!!

Gary - December 17, 2016 at 10:11 PM



“ 29 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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