



Robert Patrick O'Brien

January 7, 1956 - March 8, 2016

Robert Patrick "Pat" O'Brien, 60 of Keansburg, NJ. Passed away after a sudden illness March 8, 2016 at Bayshore Community Hospital.

He was born in Garfield Heights, Ohio. Pat was an Army "brat" and spent the first 7yrs of his life in Greece.

Moving to NJ he lived in Ocean Township, he graduated from Ocean township H.S., attended Lincoln Tech for HVAC, attended Brookdale Community College obtaining 2 Associate degrees. he also is a Veteran of the United States Air Force. He retired from Fort Monmouth after 34 years. After retirement he worked part time in Home Depot, Old Bridge.

He was a Honorary life member of New Point Comfort Fire Company. He loved traveling to Walt Disney World, brewing beer, making wine, the NY Rangers and NASCAR. he volunteered for 14 years with Mostly Shepherds Rescue Group. Pat was predeceased by his father Thomas.

He is survived by his wife Nancy Kronenberger O'Brien, his mother Donna, AZ, his brother Michael of the Netherlands, his sister Elizabeth Keller, AZ his sister-in-law and brother-in-law Robbi and Brian Pigott, Keansburg, his brother-in-law Gary Kronenberger, Rumson and 2 nieces Erin and Devon, AZ. and his beloved German Shepherd "Kids".

Friends will be received Sunday March 13, 2016 from 2-4 & 7-9pm at the Laurel funeral Home 201 Laurel Avenue West Keansburg, NJ 07734.

A funeral Mass will be held Monday 10:15am at St. Ann's Church in Keansburg. In lieu of flowers kindly make donations to Mostly Shepherds

Rescue, 48 Bayberry Ln, New Monmouth, NJ 07748. For further information and condolences visit www.laurelfuneralhome.net.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Laurel Funeral Home
201 Laurel Ave
Hazlet Township, NJ 07734
(732) 787-0258

Visitation

MAR 13. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

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Service

MAR 14. 9:15 AM (ET)

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Funeral Mass

MAR 14. 10:15 AM (ET)

St. Ann's RC Church
311 Carr Avenue
Keansburg, NJ

Private Cremation

MAR 14 (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SQ

“ Pat was my friend for as long as I can remember. He was always in my heart, and will always remain in my heart. This is so very late coming because almost to the day that Pat passed, I began a years long battle health battle of my own and so, I was unaware that Pat had passed. Nancy, I was so happy for Pat when he introduced you to me. You have my sympathy and my prayers. I remember so well a conversation he and I had, approx. 1977, about God . I know Pat is with God. May God bless you all. My heart is broken to learn of Pat's passing. Susan Quigley

Susan Quigley - December 14, 2024 at 06:51 PM

IL

“ I am so heartbroken to hear this news. I thought about Pat the other day after five years. I went to track him down and found he has passed. My condolences to Nancy and the family. He is missed dearly.

ilene - April 01, 2016 at 08:31 AM

MF

“ Never got to meet him. Wish I did. Rest in peace.

Matt F - March 20, 2016 at 06:15 PM

DG

“ Pat and I became instant friends when I landed in the PEO C3T on a developmental assignment in early 1990s. We worked several projects together, made a lot of trips around US, and did several Symposiums and demonstrations. He found his way to FATDS and worked with my wife Carol. Nancy, Pat, Carol and I all enjoyed Disney and ran I nj to each other several times there. I lost Carol Dec 2014. I know she will welcome Pat with open arms plus show him the ropes while they wait for us. Pat, I love you and miss you already. Nancy if you need to talk you know my number. Dan

Dan Gann - March 12, 2016 at 02:39 PM

MC

“ My heart goes out to both families. I am at a loss for words, but please know that my prayers are with you all! Love you all very much. You've been like family to me for almost 50 years. RIP Pat.



Megan Croken - March 12, 2016 at 08:23 AM

RP

“ Pat was always happy to lend a helping hand. When we lost heat while preparing the house for sale Pat came immediately with the tools needed to give us temporary heat with a smile on his face. We always appreciated his advice and his confirming "correct".
Rick P

Rick P - March 10, 2016 at 08:11 AM

LT

Dear Kronie, This is to let you know you are in my thoughts, prayers and heart. I am so very sorry for the grief you are feeling at this time. I never met Pat, but I know he had to be so very special for two reasons: one, you married him and two, he loved dogs! I read his obituary and saw he was a man of many talents and friends. I send you my love and thoughts. God Bless, Linda T

Linda Thompson - March 10, 2016 at 11:38 AM

GI

I remember Pat as just a really good guy. Loved his dogs, would go to Disney every year, and always enjoyed it. He was so compassionate towards me when my mom passed, it was when i really found out how giving he truly was. Im so sorry to hear of his passing and will have his wife and family in my thoughts and prayers.

Greg I - March 12, 2016 at 07:49 AM

JR

Nancy: Pat was a wonderful guy. I remember the good times we had in the Evans Area. You are in my prayers. Good Bless you and all that loved Pat. I hope to see you tomorrow. Love and condolences from Jack Robertson

Jack Robertson - March 12, 2016 at 07:07 PM