



Robert "Bobby" Grabowski

March 31, 2015

Myrtle Beach

Robert "Bobby" Grabowski age 55, died Tuesday, March 31, 2015.

Born in Buffalo, New York, he was a son of Richard A. and Lorraine Grabowski. Robert served 10 years in the U.S. Air Force as an Air Traffic Controller. He owned Myrtle Beach Lighting and was on the Horry County Council for over 10 years. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, helped with the Boy Scouts, and Jr. ROTC. He was a Constable on the police force and volunteered his time on a number of charities. Robert enjoyed spending time with his children, fiancée, riding horses, and hunting.

Surviving in addition to his parents of Summerfield, FL is his fiancée, Natalie Ruckman; children, Sarah, Mitchell and Morgan; step-children, Taylor and Ryan; a brother, Ken Ventell (Phil Fairy) of Columbia, SC; sister, Debra Baird (Bobby) of Gainesville, FL; a niece, Laura and 2 nephews, Zachary and Adam.

The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 PM Friday, April 3, 2015 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel in Murrells Inlet. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, April 4, 2015 at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made in Robert's name to Horry County Teens and Infants Shelter Home P.O. Box 51703 Myrtle Beach, SC 29579.

Sign a guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Celebration Center
11528 Hwy 17 Bypass
Murrells Inlet, SC 29588
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Goldfinch Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert "Bobby" Grabowski



Goldfinch Funeral Home - April 02, 2015 at 01:13 PM

MA

“ Bob was an amazing, kind and caring man. He listened intently when you were speaking and genuinely cared for others. He will be missed by all who knew him. My prayers and thoughts are with his children, family and all his loved ones.

Melissa Andavazo - April 03, 2015 at 05:23 PM

RZ

“ Our prayers are with the childern and familys. Bob was a hard working man and we were glad to have known him. He will be missed. Ronald & Lynda Ziembko

Ronald & Lynda Ziembko - April 03, 2015 at 10:14 AM

KL

“ Kelvin Lewis lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bobby" Grabowski



Kelvin Lewis - April 03, 2015 at 12:15 AM

JH

“ Dear Dick and Lorraine,
Jerry and I are still in shock and heartbroken of the loss of Bobby. I listened to the tributes of members of the County Council members and it made me realize he gave this group so much energy and an example to all. He gave and gave to everything he did and accomplished. We remember him as a young man running around the store doing multitasking when it wasn't even a word. We did so enjoy our dinners with both of you and Jerry and Karen. Karen lives across the street from us in Longs and we were remembering the two of you and Bobby. God bless your entire family.
Most sincerely,
Jerry and Gale Hoffman

Jerry and Gale Hoffman - April 02, 2015 at 04:51 PM

WU

“ RIP Airman !!!
Wayne Williams
United States Marine Corps

Wayne Williams - USMC - April 01, 2015 at 09:52 PM

TG

“ Bob was our valued friend and a true Christian. He will always remain in the forefront of our memories. Our condolences to his family. Ted L. and Connie Gragg

ted l gragg - April 01, 2015 at 07:11 PM

RA

“ Bob was a loving, giving gentleman whose company my wife and I always enjoyed. While he was a member of St. Andrew Catholic Church, he and I were in the same Knights of Columbus Council. Bob could always be counted on to help others. When he moved out of the parish we were still able to keep in touch and saw him often at Myrtle Beach Lighting. It is a shock to learn of his demise. We offer his family our deepest condolences and assure you he will be in our prayers. May Our Lord comfort all of you now as only He can. Richard & Gretchen Abney

Richard Abney - April 01, 2015 at 06:38 PM

JG

“ Dick, Lorraine and Family, I have very fond memories of Bob and the Myrtle Beach Lighting Days. Bob was a very fine individual who got it directly from his parents. You will all be in my thoughts and prayers. John Gore

john gore - April 01, 2015 at 04:18 PM

HG

God Bless--a friend--officer Howard Gold (ret)

H gold - April 02, 2015 at 02:16 PM

TM

Don't cry because it's over, smile because it happened.

Tommy Morris - April 03, 2015 at 04:26 PM