



## Robert Stokes, Sr.

September 2, 1943 - January 19, 2014

Myrtle Beach

Robert M. Stokes, Sr., 70 of Island Green passed away on Sunday, January 19, 2014, at home surrounded by his family.

Born in Cambridge, Maryland, he was the son of the late Ernie and Agnes Stokes. Mr. Stokes served the Army National Guard for 30 years. Upon retirement, he was a project manager for Home Depot in Maryland. He was an avid golfer, loved life in Island Green, and was a member of The American Legion in Murrells Inlet.

A son, Robert, Jr. and his brother, Wayne preceded him in death.

Surviving are his wife, Patricia Stokes; loving dog and best friend, Lilly; his children, Bryan (Stephanie) Stokes of DE, Edward Stokes and Teresa (George) Reed of MD; stepson, James Valero (Charlene) of NJ; grandchildren, Christi (Denny) Hall and Brittany Stokes; five great grandchildren, brother Ernie (Sandi) Stokes, sister Karen (David) Carpenter and Mary Tippie Stokes (William Jones) all of MD; two step grandchildren, Giana and AJ of NJ and several nieces and nephews.

Services will be 2:00 PM Friday, January 24, 2014 at St. Michael Catholic

Church. Inurnment will follow in the church columbarium.

Memorial Donations may be made to St. Michael Building Fund, 542 Cypress Ave. Murrells Inlet, SC or Mercy Care Hospice 8216 Devon Ct. Myrtle Beach, SC 29572.

The family would also like to extend a special thanks to Mercy Care Hospice of Myrtle Beach for their loving and gentle care.

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

# Tribute Wall

BM

“ Hi Teresa, Just want to tell you I will keep you and your family in my prayers for healing. John is especially saddened to read about your Dad's passing. They were great friends and golfing buddies here on the Shore. They say that time will heal but I know it is God who will heal in His time. Hugs, wish I could be with you. Barbara and John Murphy



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**Barbara and John Murphy** - January 24, 2014 at 11:23 AM

DW

“ Dear Pat, Lilly and family. We were sadden to read about Bob's passing. He was one of the nice guys in our eyes. God Bless him on his heavenly course. Thoughts and prayers to you all. Dick & Terri Wright

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**Dick Wright** - January 22, 2014 at 09:32 AM

JM

“ Dear Pat & family

I was so glad I got to see Bob last week. My prayers are with you & your family. Maybe he is playing a round of golf with Jim. He was a great guy & will truly be missed. Please keep in touch.

Love

Jackie



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**Jackie McKnight** - January 21, 2014 at 02:43 PM

JS

“ Bryan, Eddie and Teresa,

*I am so sorry for the loss of Uncle Bobby. I know that Uncle Bobby and my dad are up there watching down on all of us. I know it is hard, but understand that he is at peace and not suffering. My thoughts and prayers go out to you all. Even though we haven't seen each other in over 25 years, please remember that me and my mother our thinking of you. Love you all so much.*

*Pat Spear and Joann Spear Sullivan*

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**Joann Spear Sullivan** - January 21, 2014 at 02:40 PM