



Roger Joseph Blank

January 5, 1944 - March 27, 2022

Roger J. Blank Jr., D.D.S, died peacefully on March 27, 2022. He was born in Toledo, Ohio on Jan 5, 1944, to Roger and Rita (Couturier) Blank, Sr. Roger served as an altar boy all through his Catholic school years and was a proud graduate of St. Francis de Sales High School. He graduated from University of Toledo and dental school at The Ohio State University. Upon graduation he proudly served his country as a dentist in the U.S. Army stationed in Ft. Sill, OK and Stuttgart, Germany.

Roger was most proud of his 54 year marriage to the love of his life, Georgia (Brown) Blank, their 3 daughters Amy Watts (Frank), Wendy Poitinger (Mike) and Becky Winters (Chris); 10 grandchildren, Jack and Hannah Watts, Abby, Emily, Laney and Molly Poitinger, and Tyler, Lilly, Cooper and Oliver Winters. Roger is also survived by his siblings Sharon Dusseau, Sandy Bolger (Gene), Carol Puszczewicz, Mark Blank and Denise Gillespie (Tim), and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents Roger and Rita Blank, his sister Jennifer Miller and brothers-in-law, Paul Dusseau, Ed Puszczewicz, Wayne Miller and nephew Terry Bolger.

Roger was a beloved dentist in Waterville, OH for many years until retiring in 1996. He cherished his lifelong friendship with his St. Francis buddies, a good golf game and traveling with his family and dear friends.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, May 3 at 10:00 a.m. with an hour of visitation beginning at 9:00 a.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church. Coyle Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you perform a random act of kindness in honor of a man who was one of the kindest, gentlest souls to grace this earth. Any monetary donations can be made in his memory to The Alzheimer's Association. Please leave a condolence message and view Roger's memorial video tribute at CoyleFuneralHome.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **3.** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady Of Lourdes
6149 Hill Ave.
Toledo, OH 43615

Mass

MAY **3.** 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BZ

“ Georgia,
Janie and I just heard of Roger's passing. Although we have not seen the two of you for years, we have fond memories of past shared experiences at Toledo dental events...especially our trip to the Mid Winter meeting in Chicago.

May the absence of Roger in your life be filled with many good memories as well.

*May you be comforted by the words of Jesus from the sermon on the Mount.
"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.." Only Jesus, through His Holy Spirit, can give us a peace that passes all understanding.*

*Blessings
Bill & Janie Zouhary*

bill zouhary - June 28 at 11:28 AM

VK

“ So sorry for your loss Georgia, Roger was a wonderful classmate at St Francis, a good friend, so happy we got to spend some time in Colorado before his troubles started. A kinder, gentler soul, I can't imagine. RIP Roger

Vince King

Vince King - April 25 at 08:27 PM

CS

“ Roger was a dear friend and neighbor to us for many years!. We have so many wonderful and happy memories of the fun times we shared! Roger was so kind and giving of his time and so helpful to many. You could always depend on Roger to be there if you needed help. We send our love, comfort, and prayers to Georgia, and to Amy, Wendy, Becky and their families. Love, Cathy and Bob Sautter

Catherine Sautter and Bob Sautter - April 11 at 02:49 PM

TN

“ Roger was the ultimate giver of his time and talent. Very professional and a wonderful friend to so many. My deepest sympathy to Georgia and her family. May Roger Rest In Peace in God's loving Arms. God Bless you and comfort you.

Tom Noe

Tom Noe - April 11 at 09:10 AM

PG

Lifelong friend and fraternity brother, peace be with you.

Paul Gorman

PAUL GORMAN - April 11 at 10:36 AM

ML

Georgia

I always of Roger as a friend and colleague. He was a true class act who beat me at golf most of the time. As a dentist he really cared about his patients. My condolences to your family.

Matt Lark

Matt Lark - April 11 at 05:45 PM

BK

GEORGIA: Karen and I were deeply saddened to hear of Roger's death. He was a wonderful man and a dear friend. I have many memories of Roger -- our Liberty Drive softball team, the impromptu gatherings in someone's backyard -- but here's the first one that came to mind: I was laboring, with minimal success, to build a basic stand for our TV set and stereo, to go in the family room. Roger came down, saw that I was struggling to even cut a straight piece of wood, and immediately took over. In what seemed like no time everything was cut to perfection. That was Roger, always willing to help. He was a special man. God bless you and your girls.

Bob and Karen Kinney

Bob Kinney - April 11 at 07:30 PM

CV

“ 2 files added to the album VIDEO TRIBUTE



COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - April 05 at 03:32 PM

JE

“ *Roger was a classmate of mine at St. Frannie. I won't go into the mischievous we got into :)*

Jim Elliott - April 05 at 01:46 PM

JP

“ To the Blank family. I just remember how sweet Georgia and all three of the girls were. I loved working for Dr Blank for a few years and enjoyed going to Wendy and Amy's weddings. So sorry for your loss. He was a great man and a great boss. Love Joanne Pasienza

joanne Pasienza - April 03 at 06:25 PM

DH

“ Georgia & daughters we are so sad to hear of Rodger's passing. As past neighbors, we valued both of you & knowing Rodger & his wonderful principles & sense of humor will not be forgotten. God bless all & RIP, friend.
Dave & Jan Harder

David Harder - April 03 at 01:25 PM

RC

“ Rest In Peace Cousin! You will be missed!
Ron Couturier

Ron Couturier - April 03 at 08:08 AM