



William "Bob" McLennan

June 28, 1920 - March 6, 2014

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William Robert "Bob"

William Robert "Bob" McLennan was born June 28, 1920 in Tedrow, Ohio to William and Rosie Pearl (Monroe) McLennan. He passed peacefully on March 6, 2014 at Hospice of Northwest Ohio, Toledo Branch.

Bob graduated from Libbey High School in 1938. He served in the United States Navy from May 27, 1944 to October 23, 1945 as a Motor Machinist 3rd Class aboard the submarine U.S.S. Conger in Key West, Florida. He worked for the New York Central Railroad, the United States Postal Service and retired on August 1, 1989 from Champion Spark Plug where he was a Journeyman Machine Repairman.

Bob liked to golf, bowl and was an avid reader. He enjoyed spending time with his family and friends, often planning parties and attending social events. He started walking at Franklin Park Mall when he retired, where he was known as "Mayor of the Mall". He also liked to travel and had been to 48 States.

Bob is survived by his loving wife Florence; children Michael McLennan, Judith (Bill) Bolander, Sally (Dennis) Tavis, Susan (Gary) Brill; step-children Lisa (Mike) Habbe, Barbara Botaine, and Randy Portala. He is also survived by his grandchildren Sean McLennan, Cindy (John) Konrad, Bruce (Janet) Hoyt, Matt Fontaine, Misty (Shawn) Kane, Jennifer Bige, Audrey Bige, Jason Fisher, Jennifer Fisher-Rhonehouse; great-grandchildren, Melanie, Brad, Nick

(Laura), Kelly, Brooklyn , Mari (Patrick), Brandon, Zanden; great-great-grandchildren Archer and Willow.

He was preceded in death by his son Robert Vern McLennan, stepdaughter Sandra Portala, granddaughter Robin Fontaine, his parents; Brothers Frank, Richard, John and Sisters Lorna and Jeanette.

Visitation will be Sunday March 16, 2014 from 1-3 p.m. with services from 3-4 p.m. at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd. Toledo, OH.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Northwest Ohio.

Please view Bob's video tribute and sign the on-line guest registry at CoyleFuneralHome.com

Tribute Wall

CF

“ On behalf of the United States Submarine Veterans (USSVI), we offer our sincere condolences to Florence and all of William’s (Bob) family and friends as you mourn his passing. May God whisper peace into your hearts, comfort, and heal them. We are grateful for Bob’s service to our country in the U.S. Submarine Service during WWII on the USS R-11 SS-88 and the USS Conger SS/AGSS-477. To our “Brother of the Dolphin” we say ... "Sailor, rest your oar. We have the watch. May you rest in peace and may God bless your loved ones who remain. Thank you for your service to our country."

*So, heavenly Father add his name to the roll
Of our departed shipmates still on patrol.
Let them know that we who survive
Will always keep their memories alive.*

*Bless those who serve beneath the deep,
Through lonely hours their vigil keep.
May peace their mission ever be!
Protect each one, we ask of Thee.
Bless those at home who wait and pray
For their return by night and day.*

*William Robert ‘Bob’ McLennan, MOMM3(SS), US Navy Submarine
Service, Now on Eternal Patrol.
Fair Winds and Following Seas Shipmate
His record is now posted online in the Eternal Patrol file on the
USSVI website.*

*Rev. Ray Fritz, National Chaplain United States Submarine
Veterans, USSVI.*

Chaplain Ray Fritz - April 07, 2014 at 12:08 PM

OR

“ *May you feel God's comforting presence during this time of sorrow. You are in my thoughts & prayers. It was a privilege to help care for Bob while he was at the hospice center.*

Odette Rolón, RN, CHPN

Odette Rolón - March 21, 2014 at 09:29 PM

SM

“ *Aunt Florence my thoughts & prayers are with you*



sharon mclennan - March 17, 2014 at 10:38 AM

CH

“ *We are so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. We have very fond memories of him - such a nice man! Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with the McLennan family.*

Chuck, Elisa, Emily, Julia, Mary Lou and Tom

Chuck - March 16, 2014 at 09:34 AM

DR

“ *Denise Roughton lit a candle in memory of William "Bob" McLennan*



Denise Roughton - March 15, 2014 at 02:27 PM

DR

Another one of the GREAT ones of gone home

Denise Roughton - March 15, 2014 at 02:32 PM

KC

“ *Uncle Bob I am so glad I have my wonderful memories of you, when working at the mall I was so happy that I was able to visit with you. I will cherish my memories of you always. I love you and will miss you. Aunt Florence I love you and I am here for you anytime you need anything please let me know.*



Kim Croton - March 15, 2014 at 01:01 PM

JW

“ *Bob,, You were an Inspiration to all the guys that knew and respected you at Champion Spark Plug . What a great man, many will miss you, and may God cradle you in his loving arms.*
John Whittaker

John Whittaker - March 15, 2014 at 10:22 AM

MB

You were one of the kindest person I knew. Enjoyed friendship with you at the Mall. My prayers are with Florence and your family.
Marilyn Bexen

Marilyn Bexten - March 15, 2014 at 10:30 AM

DM

“ *Debbie And Pam McLennan lit a candle in memory of William "Bob" McLennan*



debbie and pam mclennan - March 14, 2014 at 10:41 PM


Jennifer
Herrick

“ *Florence and Family we are so very sorry for your loss of Bob. We were lucky to have been able to share a small part of his life with him, and will cherish those memories.*

Love you Florence!

Love Jen, Marlin, Meg and Mason

Jennifer Herrick - March 14, 2014 at 06:39 PM

DI

“ *(((Bob))) Here's The hugs that you loved! I enjoyed every time you came over with Florence.... You were a very Sweet man & kids just loved ya ..well Jack & I did also!
Lots of memories Florence....All good times... Take Care Florence.
Know that I'm here for you...
Love,
Diana Gross*

Diana - March 14, 2014 at 10:41 AM

CV

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COYLE FUNERAL HOME VIDEOS - March 13, 2014 at 11:15 PM