



Robert T. Harrell

June 12, 2020

Robert Tilson Harrell, 81, of Monroeville passed away suddenly at home on June 12, 2020 while working in the backyard on one of his many projects. He was born on the family farm on August 20, 1938 to the late H. Grady and Ella Rae (Gant) Harrell. He was a 1956 graduate of Woodstown High School. From 1959 to 1963 he was a member of the US Air National Guard, completing boot camp at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, TX. Bob was a devoted husband and caring father. On October 23, 1960, he married Nancy J. Hamilton of Vineland. They built a home on the family farm and raised two children. Although a lifelong farmer at heart, Bob retired as a truck driver. He drove for various companies including C. Harrell, Inc., W.R. Grace & Co., Superior Carriers, Clean Harbors, Marjac Nursery and Spring Brook Farms. He was a very kind, noble, hardworking man, he was just a nice guy.

He enjoyed travelling and visited most of the 50 states either by over the road trucking or by travel trailer. Some memorable trips included caravanning to Nova Scotia, a 13 week tour through British Columbia, Alberta and Alaska and spending a week with his family in the Hamptons for his 54th wedding anniversary. Through the years he was often seen travelling back and forth between his home and the farm towing Newton and Seraph in "DAD's DOG WAGON". He was a fan of NASCAR racing and all vehicles made by FORD. His annual plot of sunflowers has been a summer highlight for almost 20 years.

In addition to his wife Nancy J. Harrell, he is survived by daughters Robin and Susan Harrell, and his brother George Kenneth Harrell (Kathy) of Monroeville.

All are welcome to the graveside interment service to be held on Saturday, June 20, 2020 at the Friendship United Methodist Church Cemetery, 149 Friendship Road, Monroeville, NJ 08343 at 11:30 AM. In lieu of flowers, the family has asked that donations be made to the Monroeville Volunteer Fire Company, PO Box 958, Monroeville, NJ 08343.

Cemetery Details

Friendship UMC Cemetery

Monroeville, NJ 08343

Previous Events

Graveside

JUN 20. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Monroeville, NJ 08343

Tribute Wall



“ I am sorry to hear of your loss. Mark Sheppard Spring Brook Farms.

Anne Sheppard - June 21, 2020 at 08:44 PM

DL

“ Susan I am so sorry for your loss! You and your family are in my thoughts. Diane LaRouche

Diane LaRouche - June 18, 2020 at 03:04 PM

MQ

“ MAREY AND RICH QUAY purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Robert T. Harrell.



MAREY AND RICH QUAY - June 18, 2020 at 02:54 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert T. Harrell.



June 17, 2020 at 08:56 PM

MD

“ Robert (Bob) was a really good guy, Nancy so sorry for your loss, Bob and you were always there for mom and he will be missed. Love you always. Mike D'Amico

Mike D'Amico - June 17, 2020 at 10:56 AM

KK

“ I got to know Bob in 1978 working for W.R.Grace.We started to run double a lot on truck for them going to California. He was a great guy. The last little vacation I had was with Bob to a friend that has a Vineyard in up state N.Y. Great time!! He will be greatly missed!!

K K Krause - June 16, 2020 at 05:09 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Robert T. Harrell.



June 16, 2020 at 04:11 PM

RA

“ Susan, my condolences at this time. I know this was not expected. Continue to be there for your mom as you have been for both of them.

Ralph Ackerman

Ralph Ackerman - June 16, 2020 at 08:07 AM

SD

“*Mr. Harrell was a very gentle soul. He always had a smile on his face. He would always attend our Deptford High School Band fundraisers and over the years we spent time sharing dinners and drinks with his beautiful wife and 2 fun loving daughters. Heaven must have needed a special angel and they sent for him. His door was always open at the farm to come and hang out on the porch, ride ATV's on the property or look at all the treasures in his garage! He was a genuine person and will be missed by everyone he has known over the years. Our condolences and prayers go to the Harrell Family.*

With much Love, Sue, Fran and David Kryszczak

Susan David-Kryszczak - June 15, 2020 at 03:22 PM