



Robert D. "Bob" Yuncke

September 23, 1921 - October 10, 2017

Robert D. "Bob" Yuncke, age 86, of Mt. Olivet passed away Tuesday, October 10, 2017 in Good Shepherd Nursing Home, Wheeling.

He was born September 23, 1931 to Charles E. and Virginia G. Minkemeyer Yuncke.

Bob was the Payroll Supervisor for Wheeling Pittsburgh Steel Corporation in both the Benwood and Beech Bottom plants until his retirement with 43 years of service. He graduated in 1949 from Wheeling High School. Bob was a US Army Veteran serving in the Korean War stationed in Japan. He was a member of Nelson Lodge No. 30, the El Tor Grotto, and a 55 year member of the Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church where he served on several committees and as an usher.

Bob was an avid sports fan and athlete, he played baseball for Bernhardtts in the early 1950's. Later in life, he became quite the dart player, being named "Dart Commander" for the dart teams at Coach's. He also loved working crossword puzzles, and had a great dry sense of humor and a quick wit. He will be sorely missed by his family and a host of long-time good friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Charles E. Yuncke and Virginia G. Minkemeyer Yuncke Long, his step-father, Joseph E. Long and step-mother Katherine Twigg Long.

He is survived by the love of his life, the woman who was his rock for 65 wonderful years, Jacqueline Jaeger Yuncke; four sons, David (Karen), Thom (Kathy), James, and Mark (Jolie), all of Wheeling. He was a loving grandfather

to Jourdin Yuncke, Kaden Yuncke, and Hudson Yuncke also of Wheeling; a step-grandfather to Robbie (Misty) Theiss and two step-great grandsons, Brayden and Nathan Theiss of Newnan, Georgia; step-siblings, Bernie Twigg, Rosemary Twigg Petroff, Sally Twigg Gaughenbaugh, Joe Twigg and Erin Twigg Yoders. He is also survived by a special nephew, Norman Stenger and close family friend Rick Talasis.

.Friends will be received from 1-3pm and 6-8pm on Friday, October 13, 2017 at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 1 Ridgecrest Road, Bethlehem/Wheeling. Funeral Services will be held Saturday at 11am at Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church, 500 Fairmont Pike, Wheeling, with Rev. Keith Forkey officiating and the Moundsville Honor Guard conducting Military Services.

Private interment at the convenience of the family.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church.

The family would like to extend its most sincere gratitude to the staff of Good Shepherd Nursing Home, 3 South for the unyielding care and compassion shown to Bob over the last three months.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **13**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory- Wheeling/Bethlehem
1 Ridgecrest Road
Bethlehem/Wheeling, WV 26003
(304) 232-0400
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

Visitation

OCT **13**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

OCT **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church
500 Fairmont Pike
Wheeling, WV 26003

Tribute Wall



“ *Grisell Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert D. "Bob" Yuncke*



Grisell Funeral Homes - October 11, 2017 at 07:30 PM

SC

Love it!❤️

Shawna Cunningham - October 13, 2017 at 11:32 AM

DM

“ *In loving memory of an old Sunday school friend ,Rest in Peace Bob, Dick Millard*

Dick Millard - October 13, 2017 at 09:30 PM

RH

“ Dear Yuncke Family,

I am sorry for your loss, my prayers are with you. I always had a blast when staying at you place as a youngster, your dad was part of those memories. Till this day when I see Steve Martin on tv I think of your dad, gee I wonder why. I wish I could be there for you but my work travels prevent me at this time.

I wish you all keep the fun and happiest memories in your heart forever, god bless you all!

Love, Robert & Kristine Hedrick



Robert Hedrick - October 13, 2017 at 11:03 AM

TC

“ Jackie, Dave and family. Angie and I are so sorry for your loss. We are blessed we got to meet Bob and chat a bit many years ago.

*Love, Blessings and Piece be with you.
Terry & Angie Clark*

Terry Clark - October 12, 2017 at 12:28 PM

DA

“ My sincere and deepest condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Yuncke. Denny Albaugh

Dennis R Albaugh - October 12, 2017 at 09:28 AM

TF

“ *The Wesolowski Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert D. "Bob" Yuncke.*



The Wesolowski Family - October 12, 2017 at 09:23 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert D. "Bob" Yuncke.*



October 12, 2017 at 06:33 AM

TC

“ *The Steads, The Bonars and The Clarks purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Robert D. "Bob" Yuncke.*



The Steads, The Bonars and The Clarks - October 11, 2017 at 10:42 PM

EP

“ *So sorry to hear of Bob's passing. We've been gone from back in that area for over 30 years, but still have fond memories of your family. So good to keep touch on Facebook and feel a part of the community though removed. Prayers for all of your comfort.*

Elmer and Helen Parks

Elmer Parks - October 11, 2017 at 09:55 PM

DD

“ Debra L Dixon-Mansur lit a candle in memory of Robert D. "Bob" Yuncke



Debra L Dixon-Mansur - October 11, 2017 at 08:52 PM

JO

“ Jackie Olson lit a candle in memory of Robert D. "Bob" Yuncke



Jackie Olson - October 11, 2017 at 08:41 PM

JO

Jackie I'm so sorry to hear of Bobs passing. I really enjoyed reading your face book after all these years. You lose track of people & facebook makes it nice to see old friends again. Take care of yourself

Jackie Olson - October 11, 2017 at 08:45 PM

BT

Jackie, Sorry to hear that Bob is no longer with us. He was a great guy that lived a great life. You two were an outstanding couple. Bob and Bobbie Tarantine

Bob Tarantine - October 17, 2017 at 08:00 PM



“ I will truly miss seeing the both of you at Kroger. He was such a wonderful man. When you were in Moundsville that day when Jim was getting his car worked on, I stayed outside of the restroom to make sure he was ok. When he came out, he saw you and his eyes LIT UP when he saw you, and I knew he was ok. If there is absolutely ANYTHING you need, please don't hesitate to ask. Here for you Jackie.

Sheridan Parsons V - October 11, 2017 at 06:55 PM



“ 101 files added to the album LifeTributes



Grisell Funeral Homes - October 11, 2017 at 06:21 PM



“ Jackie, I'm truly sorry to hear of "Bob's Passing". You both were extremely fortunate to have shared many years of your lives together. Please try to remember all the good memories related to your lives together. May God Bless you, and all family members, as you grieve over the loss of a very special human being. Art Robertson, WHS '52

Art Robertson, WHS '52 - October 11, 2017 at 06:08 PM

JP

“ So sorry Jackie. Prayers for you and your family.

Jennifer Patrick - October 11, 2017 at 05:14 PM

SA

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers. Sara Jo and Bill Anderson

Sara Jo Anderson - October 11, 2017 at 04:42 PM

SS

“ Jackie, we are so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. He was a wonderful and kind man who cared about people. Prayers for you and your family. Blessings.

Don and Sandy Schafer.

sandy schaffer - October 11, 2017 at 03:34 PM

SR

*Jackie, Arch and i are so sorry for the sadness that you and your family must be feeling. We wish you strength to get through this hard time.
xoxo*

Sally and Arch Riley

Sally Riley - October 16, 2017 at 01:11 PM