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Robert "Bob" Byrnes, 80, of The Villages, peacefully passed away surrounded by his family on Saturday, December 19, 2020. Bob was born in Brooklyn, N.Y. on May 7, 1940 to Maurice and Elizabeth (O'Gara) Byrnes. Bob led a full life, filled with his interests in flying, golfing, traveling, fishing, boating and spending time with his family and friends. He retired from Northrop Grumman after serving in the United States Navy. Bob is survived by his wife, Sally (Brown); children, Elizabeth Byrnes and Tracey (Vasyl) Datsyuk; stepchildren, Sara (Brennan) Hall and Daniel (Sharon) Brown; grandchildren, Melissa, Mackenzie, Addison, Svetlana, Ryan, Lily, Eion; great granddaughter, Michaela; as well as his sister, Elizabeth "Veni" Byrnes; and many Nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral Services have been cancelled at this time. Inurnment will be at Calverton National Cemetery, Calverton, N.Y. In lieu of flowers, please consider a contribution to Ronald McDonald House, American Humane Society, Hope for Warriors or the charity of your choice. Online condolences may be shared by visiting www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Home.



Events

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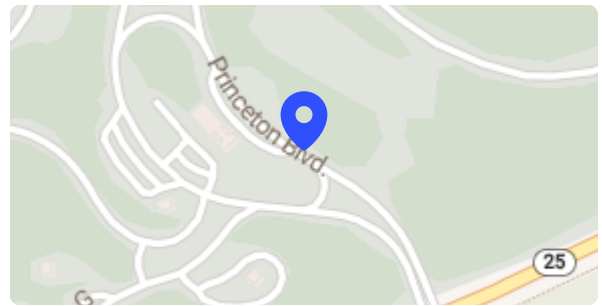
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Cemetery Details



Calverton National Cemetery

210 Princeton Blvd, Calverton NY 11939





Tribute Wall

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Elizabeth Byrnes posted:

Love you, Dad. Miss you, emensliy.

May 2 at 8:17 PM



Frank Fitzgerald shared an album called **Memories Album**.



December 24 at 3:09 AM



Henry Meudt posted:

My sincere condolences Sally on the passing of Bob. I was lucky to speak with him by phone not that long ago and we spoke of the old neighborhood and visiting each other after school back in St. Pascal Baylon days. Sounds like you have a wonderful, large family for support and I wish you all the best. Henry Meudt, Boca Raton, FL

December 28 at 1:26 PM



Robert Obach posted:

My St. Pascal Baylon classmate has lived a full life and I, being a philosopher, theologian and Christian, believe Robert Byrnes continues to be, and that his post-mortem existence is with God in eternity. I like the lines sung by Hazel Dickens: "We are traveling home, we are traveling home, one by one we are traveling home. Across Death's river our friends have gone and we are following one by one." Robert Obach, Ph.D.

December 28 at 12:44 PM



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Frank Fitzgerald posted:

In The Pines We were teenagers when I came over one day to Bob's house on Farmer's Boulevard in Queens county, NY. Maybe it was 1956 or '57. Bob started playing records from his brother's collection. I am pretty sure Bob told me he did not have Larry's permission, so we treated the records with respect. He especially wanted me to hear a country tune, "In The Pines," sung by the Louvin Brothers. I may have already been a fan of the similar sound of Everly Brothers, but the Louvin Brothers performance really knocked my socks off. They were "the real deal." With these guys, you could almost smell the moonshine brewing in the barn. Bob sang along with them. He seemed to know the words. I was impressed. I don't think The Louvin Brothers ever made it into the folk music scene that raged through NYC a few years later, but for some reason, the record stuck in my mind for decades. I considered Bob pretty prescient, having recognized the unique talents of this little known duo. When I visited Bob in January, I told him about this. He looked at me blankly and said, "the Louvin who"? Bob, I still think you are a cool guy and, anyway, now you can refresh your memory whenever you want. Just click here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qWrSg5znyMU>

December 28 at 11:26 AM



Elizabeth Byrnes May 2 at 8:20 PM

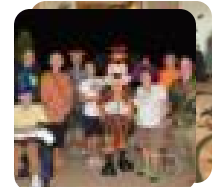
Hi Frank, it's Elizabeth his daughter. Thank you.



Debbie Winters shared 2 photos to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Bob was always smiling! We even got him to go to Disney and wear a Mickey hat all night! We shared many steak dinners and fun times!

December 24 at 3:09 AM





Media

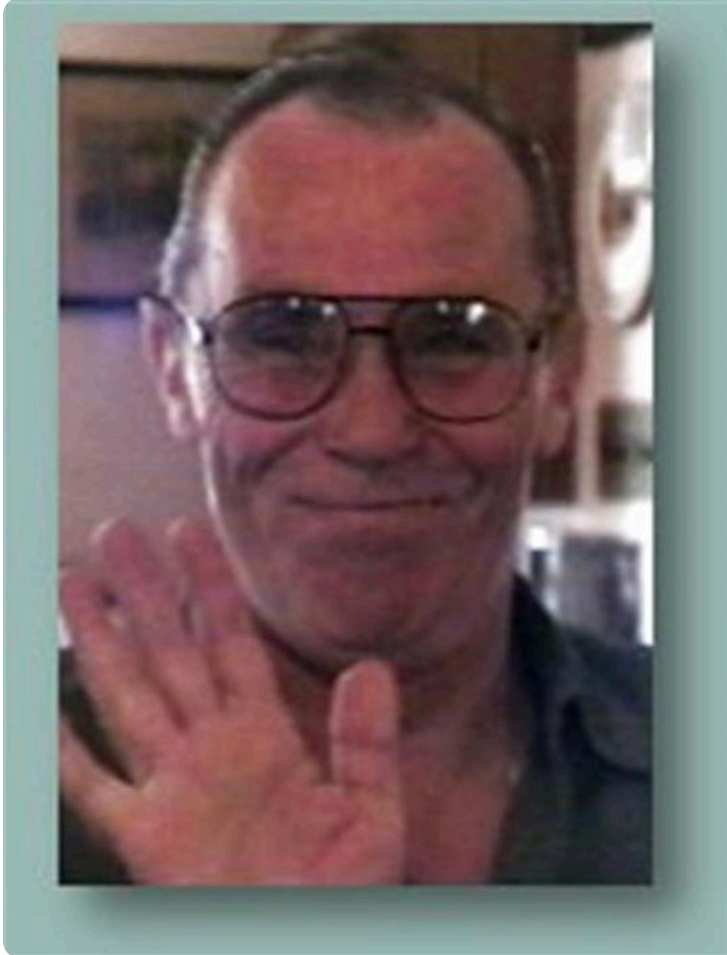
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Frank Fitzgerald shared 7 photos to the **Memories Album** album.

December 28 at 7:03 PM



Bob



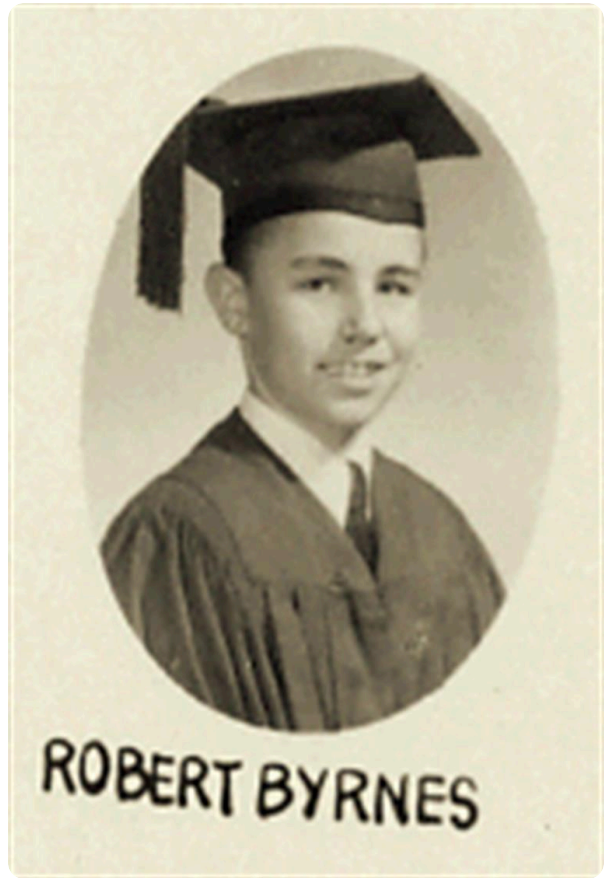
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From 1946 SPB class photo



Bob's graduation 1954



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aprox 1957



Frank F, Bob B in his Merc, George L on 201st Street. Probably 1957.

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Bob



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Memories only last if you share them

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