



Robert Holbrook

July 20, 1943 - January 13, 2010

ADRIAN – Robert J. Holbrook, age 66 of Adrian, passed away Wednesday, January 13, 2010, after an 18 month battle with cancer.

Robert was born July 20, 1943 in Hudson, the son of John and Laudie (Whittaker) Holbrook.

For the past 30 years, Bob, along with his three sons, has owned and operated Centerview Golf Course, cultivating many friendships. Even as his health deteriorated, Bob was at the course, and could often be found mowing. Prior to that he worked for Brazeway where he served as union representative. Bob was an active member of the Moose, the Elks, and the Eagles.

Bob is survived by his three children: Robert J. (Annie) Holbrook, Jr., of Clayton; Rodney D. Holbrook of Manitou Beach; and Sean M. (Lana) Holbrook of Onsted; his former wife, best friend, and caretaker, Patricia Holbrook of Brooklyn; eight grandchildren: Samantha, Andrew, Cameron, Brett, Mindy, Christopher, Sierra and Dakota; three great grandchildren: Aven, Hayden, and Evelyn; sister, Beth (Bill) Faust of FL; brothers, Beau 'Bo' (Judy) Holbrook of Onsted, and Bill (Rose) Holbrook of Adrian; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

The funeral service for Bob will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, January 18, 2010 at Wagley Funeral Home, with Rev. Greg Burdine officiating. Burial will follow at Lenawee Hills Memorial Park. Friends may visit the family at the funeral home on Sunday from 3 to 8 p.m. You may also send condolences at www.wagleyfuneralhome.com. Contributions in memory of Bob may be made to Centerview Golf Course, for a memorial tree fund, or Hospice of Lenawee. Envelopes are available at Wagley Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Holbrook*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *Pat,
I am very sorry to hear of the passing of your husband. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family right now.##imported-begin##Heather Schubert##imported-end##*

January 22, 2010 at 11:16 AM



“ *I have great childhood memories of Bob and his great sense of humor. He was always teasing and making us kids laugh! I send my sincere condolences to Pat, Bobby, Rodney & Sean and their families during this sad time. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Lisa (Brockway) Duchene##imported-end##*

January 21, 2010 at 12:42 AM



“ *We received word today of the passing of one of our dear Adrian friends. As many of you know, Bob had an outgoing personality and was well received by those who played at Centerview. We considered Bob to be a worthy competitor in the golf business and wish his sons continued success. Ron & Marilyn Horstman##imported-begin##Ron & Marilyn Horstman##imported-end##*

January 19, 2010 at 03:31 PM



“ To the family of Bob Holbrook:

First Federal Bank and myself would like to extend our condolence to your family upon the loss of your love one.

Randy Rice

Senior Vice President

First Federal Bank###imported-begin##Randy Rice###imported-end##

January 19, 2010 at 08:43 AM



“ *We play at the golf many times and enjoy it. Bob was a very nice man and it seem he had a smile for everyone. He will be missed.###imported-begin##Susan Brehmer&James McCowan###imported-end##*

January 18, 2010 at 05:35 PM



“ *My condolences to our family. I'm so sorry that I couldn't be there in person to express this. Finances wont allow me to travel at this time. I just started a new job in Wichita Kansas. All my love and prayers to everyone.###imported-begin##Billy Gene Holbrook###imported-end##*

January 17, 2010 at 06:22 PM



“ Although I may not have known him as well as many others, I have a special memory of Bob that will be with me for many years to come. I am grateful for having known him. My heart goes out to his family and friends.##imported-begin##Thomas Pinard##imported-end##

January 17, 2010 at 04:40 PM



“ Rodney, Please know I am thinking of you at this time of loss. I know you have been through a lot with your dad's illness, and from experience I know it is almost impossible to watch him suffer. I hope you all were able to enjoy the good days during his illness & help support him during the bad days. Bless you and take care of yourself. Your dad is in a better place. Your friend, Pam##imported-begin##Pam Ames from Hayes State Park##imported-end##

January 17, 2010 at 03:26 PM



“ So sorry to hear about your Dad Bobby. We are sorry we can't make it today but I have been sick. My thoughts and prayers are with you and Annie at this hard time. He is in a better place and no longer in pain. And he is in the Lords hands now. He will be watching over you.##imported-begin##Chris & Steve Tittle##imported-end##

January 17, 2010 at 11:38 AM



“ You have our condolences on your lose of your dad. I know he enjoyed his time on the golf course and with his family. You have our deepest sympathies.

The D'Lamater Family##imported-begin##John, Karen, & Mason D'Lamater##imported-end##

January 17, 2010 at 10:41 AM



“ Bob will be missed. He was the best golf course owner anyone could ever ask to meet. Friendly to everyone who walked through his door. I'm glad that I became one of his customers and friend.##imported-begin##Dave Tomford##imported-end##

January 17, 2010 at 10:37 AM



“ It breaks our Heart to hear of Bob's passing~ Bob was one of the kindest people that we knew.
Dana is a golfer and met Bob through Centerview~ I met Bob from working at The Bank of Lenawee and we all became friends quickly. We both will always remember Bob with a Heart of Gold and a Smile on his face~
He will be Greatly Missed~
Our thoughts and Prayers go out to Bob's Family.
Dana & Toni Marcum##imported-begin##Dana & Toni Marcum##imported-end##

January 17, 2010 at 07:58 AM



“ The YMCA staff was deeply saddened by the news of Bob's passing earlier this week. We appreciated everything Bob did to help ensure that the YMCA/Jim Morin Memorial Golf Classic was an annual success. Our prayers go out to the Holbrook family.##imported-begin##W. Scott Clites##imported-end##

January 16, 2010 at 06:20 PM



“ I send my condolences to the family and friends. I haven't had the pleasure of knowing my uncle but, I believe that he was good man. And we all will miss him. Times like these makes you sit back and be grateful for the life God has given to us. May God give him peace.##imported-begin##Jason Holbrook##imported-end##

January 16, 2010 at 02:52 PM



“ The world has lost a great person. Bob was a friend to all whom he encounterd. I think his greatest attribute was he knew how to treat people. He will be missed forever.##imported-begin##Glen Hively##imported-end##

January 15, 2010 at 02:55 PM