



Robert Walter McEnrue

September 20, 1949 - July 22, 2019

Robert Walter McEnrue, age 69, of St. Augustine, passed away on July 22, 2019 at the Bailey Family Center for Caring. He was born and raised in Boston, MA and served his country in the U.S. Navy. In 1982 he moved his family to St. Augustine, where he worked for the City of St. Augustine until his retirement in 2011. Robert enjoyed bowling, music and was a diehard New England Patriots fan.

He is survived by his wife, Jennifer Tan McEnrue; sons, Brian McEnrue (Rachael) of Denver, CO, Steven McEnrue (Matthew Longo) of Brooklyn, NY; sisters, Anita Myrick (John) of Brockton, MA, Michelle McEnrue of Weymouth, MA; brother in-laws, Stephen Belitsky of Brockton, MA, Ronnie Vechione of Quincy, MA; grandchildren, Benjamin McEnrue and Rose McEnrue and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James Robert McEnrue and Frances Anita Flavin; brother, Father James McEnrue; sisters, Carolyn Vechione and Susan Belitsky.

A memorial service will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, July 27, 2019 at St. Johns Family Funeral Home.

St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Johns Family Funeral Home
385 State Road 207
St. Augustine, FL

Tribute Wall



“ *St. Johns Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert Walter McEnrue*



St. Johns Family Funeral Home - August 02, 2019 at 01:25 PM

JM

Many thanks to St Johns Funeral Home for making this beautiful tribute video.

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - August 03, 2019 at 04:51 PM



“ *5 files added to the album Life Tributes*



St. Johns Family Funeral Home - August 02, 2019 at 01:24 PM



“ 6 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



St. Johns Family Funeral Home - July 30, 2019 at 10:02 AM

JS

Bob was such a fine neighbor and friend! Anytime I needed help or advice with a project he was there to help! We (Bob, Jennifer, Inga and I) spent many wonderful times together. When Jennifer contacted me about his final challenge, I was so proud to tell Bob how often I thought of him because he gifted me his bond of organized pieces and parts. There isn't a weekend that goes by that I don't think of him because I always find the right size bolt, washer, but... Like I said, Bob was a good friend, always eager to give, often with a mischievous smile. But, the greatest pleasure I ever saw him exude was when he was either going to see Jennifer or, even better, when she was coming here. Bob wanted to show her off! I found myself loving Jennifer as much as my good friend Bob. So glad I got to see you a couple of weeks ago... Journey on!

Jim Stafford - August 06, 2019 at 05:39 PM

JS

miss you Bob

Jim Stafford - August 06, 2019 at 05:41 PM

JM

We miss you all so much after we moved out of that neighborhood. Was so happy to see you at your studio & thank you so much for putting the memorial service video in DVDs.

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - August 10, 2019 at 07:23 PM

IN

“ I just learned that of Bob's passing. He was my neighbor for years in Willow Walk. He was just the best. He was always there to lend a hand when needed. One time there was this huge snake climbing a palm tree in the yard. We saw it through my ex-husband's office window and he wanted to kill it with a shove. I ran to Bob's door and asked him to please look at it and tell us what kind of snake it was. He came over and said "oh, that's a totally non-poisonous snake, let him go. He eats rats." So he saved the snake.

When he first met Jennifer, he was so excited and he would tell me all about his plans to visit her. You could tell he was so smitten. When she planned trips here he would knock on the front door and say "look who is here!" I was so glad for him, but I'm so sorry for her loss.

I was sad when he left the neighborhood. I understood why he did, but I think everyone in the community missed him.

It was a blessing to know you, Bob. Rest in peace, I was lucky to call you my friend.

Inga - July 29, 2019 at 09:02 PM

JM

Thanks Inga for remembering Bob in such a beautiful way.
Love, Jennifer.

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - July 30, 2019 at 05:41 PM

JC

“ My heartfelt and sincere condolences to you and your family, dear Jennifer. May peace be with you and your family. Hugs and blessings.



Joanna Ching - July 27, 2019 at 07:43 AM

JM

*Thanks a lot, Joanna.
Love, Jennifer.*

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - July 30, 2019 at 05:44 PM



“ 51 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



St. Johns Family Funeral Home - July 26, 2019 at 03:58 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.



July 26, 2019 at 03:40 PM



“ *Basket of Memories* was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.



July 26, 2019 at 01:16 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.*



July 26, 2019 at 12:40 PM



“ *Sympathy Fruits Abound was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.*



July 26, 2019 at 12:04 PM



“ *Bob always had a joke to tell, a smile to share and bragging rights for his beloved Patriots. It was often he would walk his darling Bonnie down to our house and stop for a chat. We are so sorry for the McEnrue family's loss. We will always remember Bob with fondness.*

Rebecca Hill - July 26, 2019 at 10:39 AM



*Thanks for remembering Bob with such fondness.
Love, Jen*

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - July 30, 2019 at 05:12 PM



“ *Best neighbor! You will be missed.*

Nancy Wright - July 26, 2019 at 10:36 AM

JM

*Thanks so much, Nancy.
Love, Jennifer.*

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - July 30, 2019 at 05:46 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.*



July 26, 2019 at 07:57 AM



“ *Rose Tribute was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.*



July 25, 2019 at 06:07 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.*



July 25, 2019 at 02:30 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.*



July 25, 2019 at 12:50 PM



“ *Robert Walter McEnrue, who will always be "Bob" and "Godpa Bob" to us.*

Queenie recalls his loving nature...how Bob called all the way from USA to Malaysia to ask her to get a bouquet to surprise Jennifer during their courting days. This loving gesture shone through as genuine when we finally got to meet him.

Bob clicked with KL when they both discovered a common interest in the music they loved. It was Bob who introduced KL to The Traveling Wilburys, the 80's supergroup consisting of Bob Dylan, George Harrison, Jeff Lynne, Roy Orbison and Tom Petty. That started KL off on an odyssey to find the album which KL finally found in London. Bob and KL had a chance to enjoy the album together on one of Bob's trips to Malaysia.

Shahnon had a high school project to shoot a short video for commerce workshop. He remembers Godpa Bob was such a sporting participant who acted enthusiastically as a prospective customer in Shahnon's "shop". The video was shot in Westin's coffee house in Kuala Lumpur.

There are many more memories of the kind, loving and humorous nature of Bob which we will treasure. Rest in Peace dear friend and Godpa.

Lau Kean Lee - July 24, 2019 at 11:31 PM

JM

*Thank you so much for the beautiful tribute. He did enjoy all those good times with you, Queenie & godson (Shannon) during his many trips to Malaysia.
Love, Jennifer.*

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - July 30, 2019 at 05:17 PM

CH

“ I'm glad to have known Bob. I will miss his great wit in particular.

Charles - July 24, 2019 at 09:57 PM

JM

Thanks for remembering his great wit. He always told me that "you Malaysian " have no sense of humor cause sometimes I don't understand his jokes.

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - July 31, 2019 at 04:43 PM

JC

“ Bob was a good supervisor and a thoughtful person. I was lucky to have had the opportunity to worked under him. When he came to Florida he had not eaten grits and at a breakfast with employees he ordered one grit to try before he placed a full order. Was a funny story. He will be missed.

James Crowe - July 24, 2019 at 06:39 PM

JM

He always told me this story whenever I ordered grits for breakfast. It's really funny !!

Jennifer Tan McEnrue - July 31, 2019 at 04:45 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.



July 24, 2019 at 06:19 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Robert Walter McEnrue.



July 24, 2019 at 06:16 PM