

OBITUARY

William Tobin

AUGUST 28, 1945 - JANUARY 1, 2013



IN THE CARE OF

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SOUTHINGTON- William ?Bill? R. Tobin, 67, died suddenly at his home on Tuesday January 1, 2013. He was the beloved husband of Mavis (Greene) (Knapp) Tobin.

Born in Long Beach, CA on August 28, 1945, he was the son of the late William W. and Jean (Randall) Tobin. He served in the US Army National Guard during the Vietnam Era. Bill primarily worked in retail sales at the former G. Fox & Co. ,

Cambridge Soundworks in the West Farms Mall and was a former VP with Royal Typewriter Co.

A Southington resident for many years he was a member of the CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) and The Hundred Club. Bill was also an avid collector of police memorabilia.

Besides his wife of the last thirteen years, Bill is survived by his children William and his wife Lynne Tobin of McDonough, GA, Patrick Tobin and his wife Ahnya Redman of Morgantown, WV, Maria and her husband Norman Kiener of North Las Vegas, NV, his step children David Knapp of Plainville, Stacey Knapp Breton of Bristol, two sisters Sharon Tobin and her partner Shannon Steck of Hollywood, CA, Sue and her husband Steve Craver of Batavia, OH, niece Michelle and husband Scott Singleton of Milford, OH, grand-nephews Conner and Justin, and six grandchildren, Jacqueline Tobin, Samantha Kiener, Elliott, Milo, Nicolette, and Hannah Tobin.

A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday January 8, 2013 at 7 PM at the DellaVecchia Funeral Home 211 N. Main St. in Southington. The family will receive condolences at the funeral home from 5 to 7 pm. Memorial Contributions may be made to the Hundred Club of CT P.O. Box 419 Glastonbury, CT 06033. Visit www.dellavecchiafh.com for online condolences and directions.

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FROM THE FAMILY

Wendy Archer

02/02/2013

My memories of Bill from high school are of one of the kindest, most friendly people I have ever known. He was a tall, well-built man with a warm smile and friendly greeting. I enjoyed becoming re-acquainted with him all these years later via his facebook postings. A fine person with a delightful sense of humor. Many of us are grateful for his presence in our lives and his family!

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Alix Epley Traver

01/14/2013

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Gina Zofrea Fish

01/09/2013

Bill is my cousin Bill, Patrick and Maria's dad. I remember seeing him by the side of the road for your e him taking some beautiful photos of my family, many of which still hang in our various households. He looks just as I remember him! To his family, I am so very sorry for your loss. You are all in my prayers. Sincerely, Gina Zofrea Fish

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Cindy St. Hilaire

01/09/2013

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Michael Brown

01/08/2013

You will always be remembered, Scoutmaster.

James & Julie Price

01/08/2013

Please accept our prayers and condolences from our family, friends of Bill and Lynne.

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Harvey & Barbara

01/08/2013

Sorry about your Father. With deepest sympathy
Harvey & Barbara

SUE and STEVE

01/08/2013

We are with you tonight in your time of sorrow

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Jennifer Lynch Wheaton

01/08/2013

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A sympathy card has been sent to the family of William Tobin.

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Mavis, I am so sorry to hear of Bill's passing. My all of your great travel pictures on Facebook it hold close to your heart. Love, Jenn

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Joan Cappannari

01/07/2013

Mavis, I was so sorry to learn of Bill's passing. I know you had wonderful years together and I could tell from your pictures of travels together on Facebook that Bill two shared a wonderful relationship. Thinking of you. Joan

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Lee&Georgeann Ottaway

01/07/2013

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Mike Marandola

01/06/2013

Mavis, I was stunned when I heard the news today. Bill was my closest friend who I will miss greatly. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Donna Potvin

01/06/2013

Sending my sympathies and prayers to the family get you to smile.

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Mary-Ann (Solsvik) Nied

01/05/2013

Mavis, I did not know Bill back in the high school days but I know Bill on Facebook and so enjoyed his kind comments.

Christina Dahl

01/04/2013

Mavis, I know your loss is great. But know that Bill is still with you and he be with you, and you with him. I only met Bill at the 45th Reunion. But as he was a very special man. We'll all miss him. And my heart goes out to you. If I can help you in any way please let me know. Sincerely, Christina Dahl

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Wendie Walker

01/04/2013

Mavis, I am sorry for your loss. May God continue to show you with His presence in your time of sorrow. You will be forever in my prayer's. I love you. Wendie

Vivian O'Meara

01/04/2013

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Ralph Knapp
01/03/2013

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Wendie Morin
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Mavis: My heart goes out for you at this time. M
envelop you with his grace and warmth. Love W

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From the Family

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