



## Robert Elias Bloch

March 22, 1947 - September 10, 2023

No obituary found for this tribute.

# Previous Events

## Funeral Service

SEP 14. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (ET)

Temple Rodef Shalom  
2100 Westmoreland St.  
Falls Church, VA 22043

## Graveside Service

SEP 14. 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

King David Memorial Gardens  
Hollywood Road  
Falls Church, VA 22043  
(703) 560-4400

# Tribute Wall

RL

“ Dear Nancy and Family, Shelley and I are so heartbroken that Bob has passed away. He was my fraternity brother at F&M, and we stayed in touch both personally and professionally during our entire careers. I'm so sorry we were unable to attend the funeral. Bob Langer

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**Robert M Langer** - September 14, 2023 at 10:51 AM

JJ

“ To Nancy, David, Becky, Dominic, Paul, Lisa, Samer, and all of Bob’s loved ones,

*We have been struggling to make arrangements to be in Virginia to honor Bob’s memory and each of you as we grieve together at his funeral, and are so sorry that we have been unable to accomplish this. The following comes straight from the hearts of all of our family.*

*This is an expression of love and thanks which we had hoped to deliver to Bob in his presence, with many loved ones surrounding him, at a retirement or big birthday celebration for him. We are heartbroken that we didn’t do this sooner, and that we all have lost such an extraordinary person in our lives.*

*Bob was such an amazing presence, so full of vitality, that it is almost impossible for us to speak of him in the past tense. A brilliant, loyal, self-sacrificing and caring attorney and friend, Bob flew cross-country at a moment’s notice, always totally prepared and ready to fiercely represent Seth’s employer as though it were his favorite and only client. He seamlessly melded the professional and personal parts of his life with us, welcoming us in as dear friends, connecting us with his beautiful family and incredibly talented and self-sacrificing team of intelligent, kind, patient, and skillful attorneys, and calling and emailing us often, so that we felt close even when we lived so far apart.*

*There are a few people who lovingly made huge sacrifices to enable Bob to form these connections and to perform his legal work so brilliantly. Nancy, David, Lisa and their families spent many occasions away from Bob when we know they would have wished to have been together if Bob hadn’t been working so hard. Chris, Scott and their families likewise sacrificed precious family and personal time in order to provide the highest quality legal work and to forge very meaningful friendships with our family. Losing Bob creates a huge void in our lives, and we grieve along with all of you and your families, who are our quiet heroes and heroines for having*

*enabled Bob to successfully fight so many legal battles while nurturing our precious friendships with each of you.*

*We wish that we could be with you today, and send our love and prayers for healing. Most of all, we thank you for sharing Bob with us. Please stay in touch.*

*Love,*

*Julie, Seth, Sam, Elizabeth and Jessica Jacobs*

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**Julie Jacobs** - September 13, 2023 at 04:03 PM

ML

“ *Robert was my roommate for three years at F&M, and I was saddened to read of his passing in The NY Times. My condolences to his family.*

*Michael E. Lane, NYC*

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**Michael E. Lane** - September 13, 2023 at 01:45 PM

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“ *To Bloch Family,*

*Robert was such an incredible person and there no words to describe how amazing he was. He will be greatly missed by our family. Wishing you comfort and peace during this difficult time. We're so sorry for your loss.*

*Kim Family (Kim's Tailor)*

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**sue** - September 13, 2023 at 01:12 PM

RM

“ Dear Nancy and Family, I am so saddened by Bob's passing and for your loss. Having the privilege of working with Bob in 1973 and 1974, I gained the highest respect for his amazing gifts of advocacy, clarity, focus and authenticity. Bob was a good man. He will be missed by many people beyond his family. With deepest sympathy,  
Ray Marvin

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**Raymond Marvin** - September 13, 2023 at 12:48 PM

BB

“ To the family of Robert Bloch,

*I am so sorry to learn of your loss and just learned that your family is close by. I am a cousin of Robert's and live in Northern Virginia. My mother, Mildred Busman, was very close to Fanny Lonyai who I believe was Robert's aunt. Please do not hesitate to reach out to me if I can be of any help.*

*With sympathy,  
Bruce Busman, bebusman@gmail.com*

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**Bruce Busman** - September 13, 2023 at 11:45 AM

PE

*Nancy: I was so sad to learn about Bob's passing. I just saw you two a few weeks ago at the Italian Oven. He was a lovely, lovely man who was always so nice to me during our days at Mayer Brown. Lots of love to you. Penny Eastman*

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**Penny L. Eastman** - September 25, 2023 at 03:56 PM