



## Robert Paul Braden

June 22, 1926 - December 16, 2013

Robert Braden "Bob"

On December 16, 2013, Robert (Bob) Braden, 87, originally of Alexandria, VA, passed away peacefully in Winchester Medical Center from Parkinson's disease. He was a member of Saint Louis Catholic Church for 42 years and later attended Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Bob was a retired Fairfax County Public Schools teacher at Groveton High School and was Education Coordinator at Bryant Adult Center. He was a graduate of Lynchburg College and Virginia Tech, where he was an adjunct faculty member from 1968-1982.

Bob spent the last 11 years in Winchester with daughter Carol Killmer, son-in-law Jim Killmer, granddaughters Katie and Elizabeth, and great-grandson Kasen. He is also survived by his son Robert Braden Jr., daughter-in-law Joan Braden, grandson Dennis and granddaughter Kendall of Fairfax Station. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife Faye.

Bob, a WWII veteran, enjoyed the town of Winchester, gardening at home, golfing, visiting with friends, and swimming at the Cork Street Pool.

Visitations will be held at Jefferson Funeral Chapel, 5755 Castlewellan Dr., Alexandria, VA on Friday, December 20, 2013 from 2 to 4 PM and 6 to 8 PM. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Saturday, December 21 at 12:30 PM at

St. Louis Catholic Church, Alexandria, with interment to follow at Mount Comfort Cemetery. A Celebration of Life will be held in Winchester on January 11, 2014, with more details to follow.

In lieu of flowers please make donations to The Parkinson Foundation—  
National Capital Area, 7700 Leesburg Pike, Suite 208, Falls Church, VA  
22043 or [www.parkinsonfoundation.org](http://www.parkinsonfoundation.org).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Paul Braden*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



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**Jefferson Funeral Chapel** - January 28, 2019 at 09:23 AM



“ *I meet Bob thru his visits at the Cork Street Pool. He was such a fun loving, giving man. I feel blessed to have met him.*

December 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Frank and Brenda Powers*  
*I met Bob at the Cork Street Pool, and became fast friends with him. We shared stories about High School and College football, and we were both fans of Virginia Tech. He would share his love of golf and gardening (which he always brought tomatoes, etc. to me). We will always remember the good times we had at the Pool. He was a true friend and we'll never forget him.*

December 21, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Bob was a friend to so many at the Cork St. Pool. He loved to share stories about family, hobbies, gardening, and all his life experiences. He was a gentleman who loved people and had such a giving heart. He was always bringing small gifts from his garden or treasures from the local thrift stores to friends at the pool. We shared an interest in duck decoys -he allowed me to paint 2 of the ones he had carved. And he let me photograph him and do some watercolor paintings of him carving his wooden decoys. He was a very special friend, and I feel so blessed to have known him. Love and miss you, Bob!

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December 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ I knew Bob from the Cork St. pool and all of us will miss him. He was always so positive and made everyone feel better with his humor. He loved his family, garden, golf, fishing and "Duck Dynasty". He was truly a gentleman.

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December 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Hard to know what to say--Mr Braden (can't bring myself to call him "Bob"...since elementary school it's been 'Mr Braden'!) meant so much to me, to my entire family! I'm only sorry I didn't get to visit with him one more time; I hadn't seen him in a lot of years! My brother would often tell me funny things (Bob) would say and it always made me smile....I know you're with the Lord, Mr Braden! Rest in His Peace. With love, Teresa Kirch Carson

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December 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM