



Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo

May 5, 1954 - February 22, 2020

Robert Anthony Cirillo, "Bob", 65 of Mullica Township passed away on Saturday, Feb. 22, at AtlantiCare Medical Center, Galloway.

Born in Hammonton and raised and lived all of his life in Mullica Township.

He attended schools in Mullica Township and Oakcrest High School. He currently was the Fire Chief of the Weekstown Vol. Fire Co., serving Mullica Township and was a member of the New Jersey Forest Fire Service for over 48 years. He was a firefighter for the Atlantic City International Airport where he retired after 25 years. He was an avid deer hunter, and a typical woodsman that enjoyed his family and friends.

Bobby was known throughout the county fire companies as just a great guy.

He is predeceased by his parents, Charles and Mary Cirillo, and his brother, Charles.

He is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Christine Cirillo, his two daughters; Lindsey Komar (Adam), and Sara Cirillo, four grandchildren; Jose, Eugene, Cali, Jaxon, and many nieces and nephews.

A visitation will be held on Friday, February 28, 2020 from 5pm until 8pm and again on Saturday February 29, 2020 from 9am until 11am at the Wimberg Funeral Home 400 Liverpool Avenue, Egg Harbor City, NJ 08215. A Funeral Service will follow on Saturday at 11am at the funeral home. Burial will take place at the Elwood Cemetery.

Arrangements entrusted to the Wimberg Funeral Home and condolences may be left for the family at wimbergfuneralhome.com. Donations may be sent to the Weekstown Volunteer Fire Company, 5733 Pleasant Mills Rd, Egg Harbor City, NJ, 08215

Cemetery

Events

Elwood Cemetery

Elwood Road

Elwood, NJ, 08207

FEB **Viewing** 05:00PM - 08:00PM

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Wimberg Funeral Home - Egg Harbor City

400 Liverpool Ave, Egg Harbor City, NJ, US, 08215

FEB **Viewing** 09:00AM - 11:00AM

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FEB **Service** 11:00AM

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Comments



“ As a former resident of Elwood, I met Bobby when we were very little kids attending Mullica Twp. Elementary School.

Way back then he was the nicest, sweetest little boy. In high school he was still the same...the nicest guy with a warmest smile.

After graduation, I traveled alot before moving out of state, so I only saw him a few times when visiting family. Those times I'd hear someone say, "Is that a Lipford?" He was always upbeat.

My heart goes out to Bobby's wife, children and family. I am so very sorry for your loss -- but it is Heaven's gain. I pray you'll find comfort and peace in that fact. Rest in peace Bobby, dear friend.

Day Deborah Lipford Gardner - February 29, 2020 at 06:49 PM



“ Shocked when I received word of Bobby's passing. We both started and worked together at the Atlantic City International Airport as Firefighters. We both were hunters and outdoorsman, sharing many stories over the years. Bobby was an exceptional person, firefighter and friend. His friendship over the years will not be forgotten, it was a privilege being his friend, but more so a profound honor. R.I.P

Constantine P. Kiamos, Jr., Captain (Ret.)
Dorothy Volunteer Fire Company

Constantine P. Kiamos, Jr. - February 28, 2020 at 06:35 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo.



February 28, 2020 at 10:20 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo.



February 27, 2020 at 09:58 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo.



February 27, 2020 at 09:52 PM



“ Bobby was a loyal, dear friend to me and my husband, Harry. Every Sunday he made rounds in Weekstown, taking everyone's trash to the dump and then he would come in for a cup of coffee and some folksy conversation. He was so helpful to Harry all through a Harry's long illness, always willing to help him (and me) in any way. Bobby's passing is such a personal loss for me and for everyone else whose life was touched by his generous spirit. God bless him and God's peace and comfort to his beloved Chris, Sara, Lindsay and family. I was so blessed to call Bobby a neighbor and true friend.



Karen Cooper - February 27, 2020 at 08:27 PM



“ Mike & Jody Bent purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo.



Mike & Jody Bent - February 27, 2020 at 11:26 AM



“ Dear Chris and Family: Girard and I are so sorry and shocked to hear of Bob's passing. Bobby and I grew up together in Elwood, and I have many fun and fond memories of those times. Riding on the school bus together; hanging out at my cousin, Robie Swilley's home; or him stopping by my childhood home after we'd been picking blueberries all day. Girard first met Bobby at Oakcrest High School, and we were surprised that we both knew him. Even though we didn't get to see Bob often; Girard and I were always happy when we ran into him. He always had a way of making you feel as if no time had passed at all, and that he was truly glad to see you. He was "one of a kind" and will be mourned and missed by everyone who knew him.

Girard & Patricia (Giordano) Castine, Devonshire, NJ

Patricia Castine - February 26, 2020 at 05:55 PM



“ Chris and Family: Sorry and sad to hear the passing of Bobby. I knew Bobby from him being good friends with my cousin Robie Swilley and his family and also from my Grandmom knowing Bobby's mother and her family through the years. We had some good times together. He will be sadly missed. Sending my prayers and sympathies to you, your daughters and grandchildren.

Sharon Wagner - February 27, 2020 at 09:21 AM



“ Sammy purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo.



Sammy - February 26, 2020 at 11:33 AM



“ Bob was truly one of the nicest people I have ever had the pleasure to have known. Bob was never too busy to stop and chat whenever I would encounter him be it at the County Firefighters or County Fire Chiefs meetings. Rest In Peace my friend you have earned it.

Skip Portale - February 25, 2020 at 11:56 PM



“ S. Jimmy Rodio sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo



s. jimmy rodio - February 25, 2020 at 09:39 PM



“ Always a joy to be around. RIP Bobby

s. jimmy rodio - February 25, 2020 at 09:38 PM



“ Dave LoSasso lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo



Dave LoSasso - February 25, 2020 at 07:56 PM



“ Our sincere condolences. Bobby was one in a million - always smiling, always kind, always willing to stop a moment to chat! We went to grade school and high school together. He always left you laughing! A great loss to your family and our community! May God bless you and yours and may the angels hold him gently as he watches over all.

With our thoughts and prayers,
Bob (Tweedy) and Linda (Abbott) Fifer

Linda Fifer - February 25, 2020 at 07:51 PM



“ Bob rest in peace my friend. I will always remember the great times we had on fire assignments out of state.

Michael Achey - February 25, 2020 at 06:35 PM



“ Bobby! I don't have a lot of friends but you BC were the best of friends. So many memories. Yeoooh ! Say hey to the Bub ! Two of the “ Sharks” I treasure. I'm gonna miss you Bobby! Rest In Peace my friend.

Frank “ Gonze” Papola - February 25, 2020 at 05:38 PM



“ I am very sad and sorry for your loss. I had pleasure to meet Bob and his grandson when they delivered firewood to me this past Fall. He was a talker, telling me stories of his fire fighting days. Also talked of his daughter's wedding and how busy his wife was planning for it, then showed me pictures in his phone of how nice his daughter bride looked. I only met him a short time, but he left a lasting impression on me. He said he was old school and a Man of his word. May he rest in peace.

Terry Kaviani

Terry - February 25, 2020 at 12:50 PM



“ There are no words to describe Bobby C that will truly do him justice . He would walk in the room and he was magnetic, everyone would smile and stand around him and talk . He touched everyone around him and would help anyone in need, that is the kind of person Bob was. His family was his life and he never put himself first , he did for others and always made sure his family was taken care of. I never saw him when he was not smiling, and would make a joke to make you smile. My thoughts and prayers are with his family

Erica Nikolinos - February 25, 2020 at 09:26 AM



“ Thank u erica I love u so much ! You have Been helping me so much threw all of this ! My dad would always say “ how’s my erica girl?” When I told him you got your license to be a nurse he was at home when I told him and I will never forget he quickly touched his heart and he said “ ugh I gotta go see Érica I need a nurse to check me out “! He always loved you girl always remember that and he would be proud that you are helping me get threw this though time right now !

sara cirillo - February 25, 2020 at 09:03 PM



“ Best neighbor ever! "Heeyyyyyyyyyyyyy Bobby" Thank you for being a wonderful neighbor for 11 years...thank you for sharing your girls with me...and the time you tricked me into eating deer meat by saying it was wild long horned cow...where you are now there are no fires to put out, but brother if God has an emergency team I know you will be on it! Love, Jacki

Jacki Priest - February 24, 2020 at 11:05 PM



“ Jackie this post means everything to me ! U were the best babysitter me and Lindsey could ever ask for and my parents were very blessed to have u around all those years !! Thank u so much for ur very kind words ! My daddy will always be on the call for any emergency up there him and my poppop !

sara cirillo - February 25, 2020 at 10:28 AM



“ We know that “BC” is up there probably catchin stripers and hangin out with “Bub” Bill Snyder...Luke is gonna miss bumping into “C-Ber” at Elwood Deli.
Our hearts are with his family,
Jeremy and Lisa Senn and the boys

Jeremy Senn - February 24, 2020 at 10:43 PM



“ Chris and Family, I am so very sorry for your loss. I am so very surprised not to mention very sad hearing this. RIP, "Bobert" Respectfully, Michael F. Sciore II

Michael F. Sciore II - February 24, 2020 at 09:42 PM



“ Dave Lichtenfels worked with Bobby at FAA great friend and all around good guy. One of best firefighters I ever worked with. God bless all his family.

David Lichtenfels - February 24, 2020 at 02:44 PM



“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Jason Remillard - February 24, 2020 at 02:29 PM



“ I am saddened and shocked to hear of the passing of Bob. He was such a great person in the community. I am going to miss seeing Bob.



Jason Remillard - February 24, 2020 at 02:27 PM



“ I worked with Bobby at the airport he will be missed. He was a great guy. My prayers to his family.

Hank & Marie Burger

Hank & Marie Burger - February 24, 2020 at 11:54 AM



“ Will always treasure our little talks we would have at the Cupboard about the good times we had together as children and about our outstanding parents. Asking advice from each other about our life and children. Chris, Sara, Lindsey my heart felt deepest sympathy is with you and all the grandchildren. I will always remember him to be the ultimate firefighter.

Rest In Peace my friend,
Michele

Michele Egzi-Simpkins - February 23, 2020 at 07:54 PM



“ I went to Mullica Twp. grade schools during the same time frame that Bob was there. I have lived out of the area for many years. I saw Bob one time since grade school but that was so long ago. We were still very young. It was at the transfer station in Elwood. When I think of Bob, I envision a smile - a big honest smile and a friendly guy who enjoyed life - it seemed.

Hope that Bob's family and friends(which I am sure there are many), find comfort in all of the wonderful memories. Everyone that knew him, can be thankful for the time that they had together with him.

Sincerely,
cheryl viisainen hopkins I lived in Sweetwater.

Cheryl Viisainen - February 23, 2020 at 07:02 PM



“ So very sorry for the loss. He was a very nice guy.

Victoria Champion - February 23, 2020 at 04:09 PM



“ One of the best friends one could have, and an honor to know him and Chris. We worked, fished, and laughed together. I will really miss his, " You know".
Doug Baker

Douglas Baker - February 23, 2020 at 12:02 PM



“ Susan Speck Polk lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Anthony Cirillo



Susan Speck Polk - February 23, 2020 at 07:40 AM



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Ed Ponzetti - February 22, 2020 at 10:28 PM



“ My prayers for Chris, Lindsey, Sarah for your lose. Bobby was more than just a friend and chief to me.



Ed Ponzetti - February 22, 2020 at 09:50 PM