



Walter William Wilczynski Jr.

November 19, 1951 - March 19, 2024

"Vodge" Walter W. Wilczynski Jr., age 72 passed March 19, 2024. He was the son of the late Walter W. Wilczynski Sr. and Bertha T. Scharff. Preceded in death by his son "Vodgie" Walter W. Wilczynski III.

He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Rita M. (McCarron) and his two children, Kelli Ann Wilczynski and Joshua J. Wilczynski. He leaves one brother, Edward Ratkowski.

He worked at Hale Fire Pump until the closing in 2013. He loved playing softball in Hale Pump's league. He coached Little League in Conshohocken and also served as Head Umpire and Chief for many years. Vodge loved to shoot pool at Markley Billiards and was on traveling Leagues there.

Vodge was a great father / husband and loved life. Also he leaves behind nieces; nephews; great nieces, two of whom he saw quiet frequently, Rianna and Ava; his godchild Amanda; and in-laws, that were good to him. He gained many friends on his venture thru his life. He will truly be missed.

As per Vodge's wishes; services were held privately.

Tribute Wall



“ *When we were young you were a good friend to me, thank you for that. Rest In Peace Vodge. Heartfelt condolences to your family and friends.* ”



Janice Lynn - October 19, 2024 at 06:30 PM

HJ

“ *I already miss all the times you and the kids came to my parents house to go swimming, miss all the conversations and fun we all had at the pool, RIP Vodge* ”



Helen Johnstone - March 21, 2024 at 03:12 PM

BK

“ *Aunt Rita, I am so sorry to hear of Uncle Vodge's passing. My deepest condolences to you, Kelly and Josh.* ”

Becky K - March 21, 2024 at 11:48 AM

CW

“ *My sincere condolences to you Rita and your family, we all grew up and played and hung out as kids and teenagers. We lost touch but never forgot the great guy how grew up on Hector Street and had a warm heart and loved to play ball. May God help you get thru this knowing he is with your son in heaven.* ”



Cathleen Brennan Webb - March 21, 2024 at 12:50 AM

DM

“ Though we didn't get to see Vodge very much, we'll still miss him. My heart aches knowing he is gone. My family sends prayers, hugs and love to Rita, Kelly, Josh and all the family. God Bless!

Dotsey Matey - March 20, 2024 at 11:47 PM

DA

“ nothing but wonderful memories of Vodge from Conshy Little League and softball games to just being one of Conshohockens best people. His sincere kindness and caring about everyone is something everyone that knew him will always be why he will be missed and never forgotten. Besides, he was the only umpire that would call strikes in his bare feet. Much respect my old friend. Prayers, hugs and love to his loving wife Rita and his children.

Dee Altieri - March 20, 2024 at 11:47 PM

JH

“ I have known Vodge for many years he will be missed sending prayers and thoughts to his family.



Jennifer Herd - March 20, 2024 at 10:08 PM

KS

“ Vodge was my neighbor for my entire childhood. He mentored me and always showed me that was a rare person of genuine character. They don't make men like him anymore. His family treated me like I belonged with them and it made a huge difference in my life. Love you and rest Easy Vodge!!!!

ken sanders - March 20, 2024 at 08:35 PM

ND

“ *What a good dude. Always fun to be around. Played lots of softball with Vodge. Great memories RIP buddy 🙏*

nick direnzo - March 20, 2024 at 03:44 PM

SL

“ *Vodge was a man who would do anything for you. You can't find people like this man. He was a brother to me, was great with my kids. I will miss you my friend. Gone but never forgotten. Taken way too soon. Peace be with you!!*

Scott Loehr - March 20, 2024 at 03:15 PM

PS

You will be missed. You were loved by all. Great friend and family man. Say hello to Watren for me . He was your biggest cheerleader when you played on the beer league on Sundays. Rest in peace my friend.

Pat Szczypiorski - March 20, 2024 at 06:18 PM

PR

Sad to see you depart this life. You were exceptionally nice to my son and we always respected you! Knowing you family will cherish all the good memories will create an eternal tribute to you. God rest your soul.

patricia Rowe - March 21, 2024 at 12:28 PM