



Robert C Sessions Sr.

September 30, 1913 - July 15, 2009

Robert C. Sessions Sr., 95, lifelong resident of the Syracuse, New York area, died Wednesday, July, 15, 2009 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Syracuse with his loving family beside him.

Born in Syracuse, New York, he was the son of the late Homer and Emma Myers Sessions. He was an Army veteran of World War II. He retired from Pacific Transportation and was a member of Local 317. He was a member of Christ Community United Methodist Church and a former member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church. He was an avid golfer and bowler.

Robert is survived by his wife of 70 years, Arlene Hartung Sessions; daughter, Janet Maier of Baldwinsville, New York; son, Robert Sessions Jr. of Binghamton, New York; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his brother, Paul Sessions; sister, Marion Sessions and grandson, Gregory Maier.

A Memorial Service will be held Saturday, July 18, 2009, 11:00 a.m. at Christ Community United Methodist Church, 3474 Stiles Road, Syracuse, New York. Private burial will be in Onondaga Valley Cemetery, 2500 Valley Drive, Syracuse, New York.

Calling Hours will be Friday, July 17, 2009, 4:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Ballweg & Lunsford Funeral Home, 4612 S. Salina Street, Syracuse, New York.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Memorial Fund at Christ Community United Methodist Church, 3474 Stiles Road, Syracuse, New York 13209.

Tribute Wall



“ To the Sessions Family, I was saddened to learn of the passing of Mr. Sessions. He was a wonderful person, and you were all so kind to me as a young woman. It has been many years since I have seen or spoken to you, but I would like to thank you for the many happy memories. You would remember me as Jean Russell, the girl from Pleasant Valley. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love, Jean

July 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ To all of Uncle Bob's family, One cannot think of Uncle Bob and not smile. He was a palette of calmness with a twist of humor that could make us giggle like teens. God will smile to see His servant coming home after a life of honor and integrity. Our prayers are with you. Love, Dave and Lynda

July 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ We have many happy memories of Uncle Bob. We are in Alaska and are very sorry we were unable to attend service. Lee sent us word of Uncle Bob's passing. We send our love and condolences. Carol and Ronnie

July 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Deanna and I were saddened to hear of Bob's death. We have such fond memories of Bob and Arlene. Bob was a great golf mentor and a good friend. I cherished my friendship with him. His appreciation for Arlene, the celebration of our wedding anniversaries and the renewal of our vows are memorable occasions. He knew how fortunate he was to have Arlene in his life. I know he has found lasting peace in the arms of God. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family. Love, Hal and Deanna

July 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ We will miss you Uncle Bob. I remember the family functions and the great fun we all had. lee

July 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ I am so very sad to hear about Bob passing but he surely did live a long and rich life. I remember him most fondly from St. Paul's UMC. He would always come up to me and say how much he enjoyed Circle of Friends singing in the church and he was always quick to say how pretty I looked or how nice I smiled. Always made me feel so good about myself. I will miss him and his energy and spirit he brought to others.

July 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Hard to believe it was 70 years ago I was your flower girl - one happy memory that has never faded! Love, Pat

July 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Janet and Family; Sorry for y our loss lknow he will be missed.

July 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ We send our deepest sympathies to all of you. we will miss seeing Bob in church sitting next to his lovely bride of 70 years. See you in Heaven.

July 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Arlene & Family,My thoughts and prayers are with you all as you go through this painful time. I'm sorry I cannot be with you tomorrow. Bob's quiet smile and 'wicked good' sense of humor will remain with me always. May you find comfort in knowing he has been welcomed into heaven by his good friend, Ward Higgins. Can't you just see them now...plotting something mischievous? God bless you all,Gail & Carl

July 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Uncle Bob, May you rest in peace after the wonderful life you have had and the happy memories that you have given to everyone in our family. We will all miss you dearly.Rich

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