



Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne

January 28, 1942 - September 21, 2024

Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne, 82, of Mooresville, NC, passed away on Saturday, September 21, 2024, at his home, with his wife of 62 years by his side.

He was born January 28, 1942, in Virginia, to the late George Alexander Darne and Mildred Geneva Wortman Darne.

He was the president/owner of a home building company. Bobby was a born leader. Starting as President of the Band in high school, football player and cross-country runner. He was a Lowe's Store Manager and part owner of a Yamaha Motorcycle franchise. When he was not working, he raced Go Karts and Stock cars then became a NASCAR race official. He loved God, family, friends, golf, snow skiing, football and his passion was auto racing.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his son, Steven Brett Darne; and brother, Jackie Darne.

Bobby is survived by his loving wife, Shirley Stanton Darne; daughter, Kelly Ann Darne; son, Michael Douglas Darne; brother; William A. Darne; grandchildren, Abby Kate Darne, Heather Shannon Wolfe, Tyler Dalton Wolfe (wife, Katelyn), Brittney Nicole Darne, Allyson, Kara, Cameryn, and Braeden Conroy; great-grandchildren, Cameron, Carter, Cayden, Cayleigh, and

Lynnlee.

Visitation for family and friends will be on Tuesday, October 1, from 1-2 PM, at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life will be at 2:00 PM, with Rev. Mark Pitts officiating.

A reception will follow the service in the Heritage House of Cavin-Cook Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Joe Gibbs Youth for Tomorrow, Attn: Love Jones, 11835 Hazel Circle Drive, Bristow, VA 20136 (Main Campus 703-396-8415) <https://www.youthfortomorrow.org>.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home and Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Darne family.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

OCT 1. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home
494 E. Plaza Drive
 Mooresville, NC 28115

Memorial Service

OCT 1. 2:00 PM - 2:45 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Chapel
494 E. Plaza Drive
 Mooresville, NC 28115

Reception

OCT 1. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Heritage House of Cavin-Cook Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall



“ *The Diaz Family purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne.*



The Diaz Family - September 30, 2024 at 02:02 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne.*



September 30, 2024 at 01:03 PM



“ *Billy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne.*

Billy - September 29, 2024 at 08:02 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne.*



September 29, 2024 at 08:02 AM

FF

“ From your PEC family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne.

From your PEC family - September 27, 2024 at 09:55 AM



“ Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne.



September 27, 2024 at 09:55 AM

JL

“ I did not know Bobby a long time but from the short period I did, I knew he was a really good man.

John Lavelle

JOHN LAVELLE - September 27, 2024 at 09:02 AM

DB

“ Don and I met you and Bobby at beautiful Bryce Resort and when we eventually had our "retirement" home built at Bryce, Bobby was so easy to work with as our General Contractor -- we LOVE our end product!! The two of you have so many good friends here and when you moved to North Carolina to be closer to family, I remember you telling me how much Bobby loved and seemed to do a little better during your visits back to Bryce. Our hearts go out to you -- but you are strong, Barbara and I know your sweet good-time memories will comfort you. With much love -- Don and Dalene Bailey

Dalene Bailey - September 26, 2024 at 04:23 PM



“ Barbara, Thinking of you at this sad time. I always enjoyed Bobby’s smile and great sense of humor. Hugs and may over time the memories bring smiles and peace. Regards, Heather Rosenker

Heather Rosenker - September 26, 2024 at 02:16 PM

KB

“ Simply impossible to find a better member of the "good-guy" club. It was both an honor and pleasure to have him as our friend for nearly three decades. Lots of love to you Barbara.

Fondly, Kathy and Jeff Bown
IHB, FL

Kathy & Jeff Bown - September 26, 2024 at 09:29 AM

GG

“ I have such wonderful memories of our days at Bryce with both of you. Al always thought so much of Bobby. Sending you love and prayers,

Ginny Gravallese

Ginny Gravallese - September 25, 2024 at 11:14 PM

SE

“ Steven & Doris Custer & Our employee's planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne.

Steven & Doris Custer & Our employee's - September 25, 2024 at 09:56 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Robert "Bobby" Alexander Darne.



September 25, 2024 at 09:56 AM