



## Robert C. "Bob" Donahue Sr.

January 3, 1932 - March 28, 2021

Robert C. "Bob" Donahue, Sr., age 89 years, of Cairo, N.Y. passed away on March 28, 2021, at Greene Meadows Nursing Home and Rehabilitation Center, Catskill, N.Y.

He was born on January 3, 1932, in Manhasset, N.Y. and is the son of the late Charles and Ida Donahue.

Besides his parents, Robert is predeceased by his sons Robert C. Donahue, Jr. (Connie), Michael J. Donahue, Sr., Jeffrey P. Donahue and also his son George and daughter Deborah from his former marriage.

Survivors include his loving wife Harriet (Thomsen) Donahue of Cairo – they were married on April 22, 1962, sharing 58 years of marriage. Bob is also survived by his daughter Allyson (Dan) Rippel, son Charles Donahue and his wife Lisa of Cairo, his son Robert of Waterford from his former marriage. He is also survived by his sister-in-law Pat Amoroso of Cairo and brother-in-law Harry Thomsen of Florida. He is also survived by nine grandchildren, including his very special grandson Michael Donahue, seven great grandchildren, and several nieces, nephews and friends.

During his lifetime, Robert was a life member of Cairo Hose Company, and would be a member for 65 years in July of this year. Prior to Cairo Hose Company, Bob served as a firefighter for seven years in Garden City Park, L.I., N.Y. Bob loved bowling and scratch offs, also he enjoyed doing puzzles and had a wonderful bobble head collection. He always enjoyed smoking a cigar in his younger years.

Memorial services in memory of Bob will be held on Saturday, April 3, 2021, at 1:00 P.M. at his home.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Richards Funeral Home, 29 Bross Street, Cairo, N.Y.

Condolences may be made at [www.richardsfuneralhomeinc.net](http://www.richardsfuneralhomeinc.net).

# Tribute Wall

MC

“ *Mike*

*I'm sorry to hear of your loss. I know how much your grandfather meant to you. Be thankful he had a such a long life. One of the most crushing moments of my life was when my Grandfather passed. It is only when I realized that he lives on through me, that realized I was his legacy. My thoughts are with you and your family, as well as my prayers.*

*Mike Camadine*

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**Michael Camadine** - March 31, 2021 at 06:36 AM

LM

“ *My deepest condolences !*



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**Lorrie Mueller** - March 30, 2021 at 10:29 PM

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“ *Dear Harriet and Family,*

*Thinking of you and wishing you peace and comfort. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

*With deepest sympathy,*

*Louann Arp and Family*

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**Louann Arp** - March 30, 2021 at 12:21 PM

GM

*Harriet & family so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. He will live on in your heart & in your memories. Sending hugs & prayers to you. Gail Murray*

**Gail Murray** - April 03, 2021 at 12:41 AM



“ *Marlo Parker lit a candle in memory of Robert C. "Bob" Donahue Sr.*



**Marlo Parker** - March 30, 2021 at 09:00 AM

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“ *Dawn Suttmeier lit a candle in memory of Robert C. "Bob" Donahue Sr.*



**Dawn Suttmeier** - March 30, 2021 at 08:29 AM

JW

“ *John Wiley lit a candle in memory of Robert C. "Bob" Donahue Sr.*



**john wiley** - March 29, 2021 at 10:13 PM



Pamela  
Fancher-  
Brent

“ *Our deepest condolences to the entire Donahue family from Pam & Randy Brent.*

**Pamela Fancher-Brent** - March 29, 2021 at 08:37 PM



“ *All my Love and Prayers for Hariett,  
Allyson, Chuck and Family* 🍷💖💖💖🙏

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**Rebecca B Therrien** - March 29, 2021 at 02:01 PM



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**Richards Funeral Home of the Mid Hudson Valley Inc.** - March 29, 2021 at 11:25 AM