



Roger Frederic Cunningham

October 1, 1947 - July 23, 2021

Roger Cunningham, 73 passed away on July 23, 2021 due to complications from a severe stroke. He was 13 years retired from EMC as a computer principal hardware quality engineer and living his dream in Las Vegas.

Roger is survived by his beautiful wife of 44 years, Sandy. He was a proud dad of daughter, Pam and sons, Jeff and Andrew. He was also happy to be known as Grandpa to Haley and Sean.

Roger was an avid race car enthusiast, and spent most weekends watching racing. In his younger days he was the President of the Central New York Ice Racing Association, and many fun memories were created racing and working on the cars with his friends. He was fortunate to experience the world traveling with his wife, Sandy. He was proud to serve his county in the Coast Guard as he was stationed in Guam. His final resting place will be with the Southern Nevada Veterans Cemetary located in Boulder City, Nevada.

Please feel free to add favorite memories of yours to the guestbook. We know that Roger has had many memorable moments and he would love to have us laugh in his honor.

When I'm Gone

When I come to the end of my journey and I travel my last weary mile, just forget if you can, that I ever frowned and remember only the smile. Forget unkind words I have spoken; remember some good I have done. Forget that I ever had heartache and remember I've had loads of fun. Forget that I have stumbled and blundered and sometimes fell by the way. Remember I have fought some hard battles and won, ere the close of the day, then forget to grieve for my going, I would not have you sad for a day, But in summer just gather some flowers and remember the place where I lay, and come in the evening when the sun paints the sky in the west, stand for a few moments beside me and remember only my best.

Tribute Wall

BP

“ Roger & I worked together at EMC in the 90's. Tasked with many difficult and time sensitive cases, Roger always gave them his fullest attention and patience throughout, producing successful results to the satisfaction of many customers. A true gentleman, Roger will be missed by everyone who knew him.

Bill Piasecki - January 11, 2022 at 08:49 PM

PB

“ I first met Roger when I came to EMC in 1999. I had no idea what I got myself into. I could always walk into his office and ask Roger a dumb question. So many good times. Roger and Sandy would always have some locals and the out of town folks over for Pizza night. What a blast and good memories. Rest Easy Buddy.

Paul Bullock - July 31, 2021 at 10:23 AM

TJ

“ So many memories it would be impossible to list here. Have known Roger since 1976 when I joined him at Memorex Corp. Followed him to EMC in 1997. Over the years we share many interest including ice racing in the SAAB. He was an incredible driver. He will be missed by everyone who had the pleasure to know him.

Tim and Laurie Jacobson - July 29, 2021 at 11:09 AM

CP

“ Roger was one of the first people that I met when joining EMC in 2000. He was always kind and cheerful every time we spoke whether it was talking technical work, or about cars and racing. I was sad to see him retire, but knew he would be having a blast in his retirement and being in Vegas.

Christopher Papp - July 29, 2021 at 10:08 AM

RB

“ I am heart broken to hear this news. Roger was my mentor and friend. Though I have not seen nor spoken to him in some years he and Sandy has never left my thoughts. I worked side by side with Roger from my hire at EMC in 2000 (which he was directly involved in) to his retirement. I could not have asked for a better mentor, peer and friend. He was one great guy and I will always be in debited to him for providing me my start at EMC and the life lessons he provided. There is a part of me that is lost now with Rogers passing.

richard bowers - July 29, 2021 at 09:23 AM

MS

“ Was hoping to visit Uncle Roger and Aunt Sandy while I'm here in Vegas. So this is very sad news. May all his happy memories be close to your hearts❤️

Melanie Lagstrom (Segars) - July 28, 2021 at 02:06 PM

MP

“ He stood with me at one of my darkest hours and did not hesitate to help. He will be missed and only hope his dear wife Sandy and children will heal as only time can offer.

Marcia Posenauer - July 25, 2021 at 09:37 AM