## **Robert Emmet Cross, Jr.**

December 11, 1943

August 23, 2017

Charleston, SC

**Robert Emmet Cross, Jr**., died unexpectedly Wednesday, August 23, 2017, in Charleston, South Carolina. He was born December 11, 1943, in Rockford, IL to



Robert and Hazel (Millwright) Cross. He graduated from Rockford West High School in 1961, and attended Kendall College in Evanston, Illinois.

Robert is survived by his wife of 51 years, Judith (Wren) Cross; son, Andrew (Roberta Alterson); daughters, Janet (Timothy) Anderson and Patricia (Bruce) Kirkham; grandchildren, Kelley Cross, Samuel, Thomas, John Paul and Gwendolyn Anderson, and Claire, Emma, and Joseph Kirkham; and sister, Sally (Richard) Paeglow. He was predeceased by his parents.

Bob will be remembered as a loving husband, brother, father, and grandfather. His kindness to so many people will not be forgotten

A memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, September 4, 2017, at St. Rita Catholic Church. Visitation will be held from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Sunday, September 3, 2017, at Fitzgerald Funeral Home, Mulford Chapel, 1860 S. Mulford Rd., and from 10:00 a.m. Monday until time of service at St. Rita Catholic Church. Memorials to Phantom Regiment or St. Rita Catholic Church will be appreciated. Express online condolences at <u>www.fitzgeraldfh.com</u>.

## **References:**

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