



## Robert Wattam

November 21, 1936 - September 9, 2023

Robert Wattam of North Tonawanda died September 9, 2023 at home. Beloved husband of the late Judith Wattam. Loving father of Deanna (Michael) Roberts. Devoted Bobpa of Zachary, Dylan (Nicole Zvorsky), Joshua and Allison (Noah Fendrick) Roberts. He was the son of the late Russell and Eugenia Wattam.

Brother of the late Donald Wattam and the late Helena Wattam. Special nieces Deborah (Dr Gary) McBride, and Karen (Peter) Drew. Great nephew Peter Jacob (Gabrielle) Drew, Dr. Katlyn Mc Bride MD and husband Mitchell Murray and Hannah (Jon) Vargas.

Great Great nephews Levi and Lorenzo Vargas and great Great nieces Willow and Valli Drew. As well as many Cousins. He served in the Army at White Sands New Mexico.

A member of Ken-Ton Masonic lodge #1186 F& AM Robert also worked at Mennen Greatbatch working on the first pacemakers. He was an electrical Engineer at Sierra Research and finally taught electronics at Bryant and Stratton. He volunteered for the Somerset Historical Society.

He was a member of St. Paul's UCC Playing in their chime choir directed by his wife. He then joined the Bell Choir @ Zion UCC. He loved music and was a devoted fan of the gospel group the ROYALAIRES.

After his wife passed he began taking keyboard lessons at Matt's Music and loved playing his MULTIPLE keyboards. He had an absolute LOVE of Nikola Tesla and loved teaching about him and "quack medicine".

Visitation will be at the Wattengel Funeral Home, 533 Meadow Drive North Tonawanda on Thursday September 14th from 6 to 8 PM and Friday September 15, from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 PM. Funeral Services will be held Saturday September 16th from Zion United Church of Christ, 15 Koenig Circle, Tonawanda at 9 AM. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to Niagara Hospice or Charity of one's choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Acacia Park Cemetery

4215 Tonawanda Creek Rd N.  
North Tonawanda, NY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **14.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wattengel Funeral Home (Meadow Drive)  
533 Meadow Drive  
North Tonawanda, NY 14120  
(716) 693-0440  
wattengelfh@gmail.com  
<https://www.wattengel.com>

## Visitation

SEP **15.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

SEP **16**. 9:00 AM (ET)

Zion United Church of Christ  
15 Koenig Circle  
Tonawanda , NY 14150

# Tribute Wall

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“ Deanna, I am so very sorry to hear you lost your dad. He and your mom were wonderful neighbors and friends to Aunt Rose and Uncle Don. Please know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers.  
Sincerely, Joanne Gilman

Joanne Gilman - September 25, 2023 at 09:53 AM

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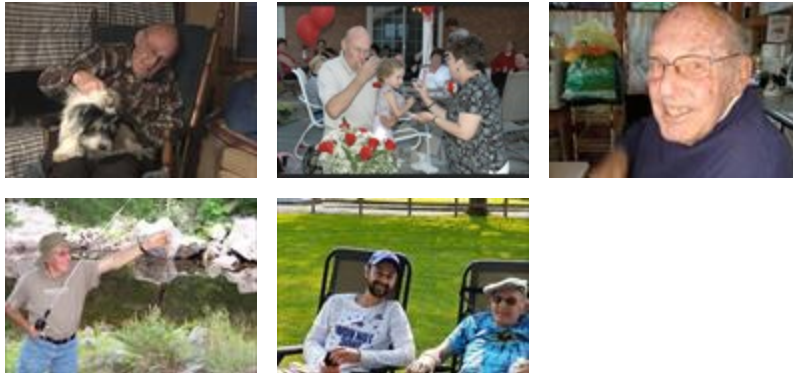
“ Hugs to the heavens! I am blessed to have known him!



Susan Holler-Harszлак - September 11, 2023 at 04:54 PM

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“ the best grandfather a girl could ever ask for. I'll forever appreciate everything you did for me. ☐



Allie Roberts - September 11, 2023 at 03:36 PM