



Robert W. Schrum

October 19, 1930 - October 24, 2025

Robert W. Schrum, 95, of Naples, Florida, passed away peacefully on October 24, 2025, at All Seasons Naples.

Born on October 19, 1930, in Hammond, Indiana, he was the son of the late Walter F. and Jean (née Felipe) Schrum. Formerly of North Wales and Maple Glen, Pennsylvania, Robert had been a resident of All Seasons Naples for the past five years and previously lived in Bonita Springs since 1995.

Bob was a proud graduate of the University of Illinois, where he earned his Bachelor of Science degree in chemical engineering. He was also a proud member of Theta Xi fraternity while at the University of Illinois. After graduation, he married the love of his life, Luella M. Schrum, who predeceased him in 2020 after 68 wonderful years of marriage.

His professional career began in 1952 with the Sinclair research laboratory in the Chicago area. In 1966, he joined Rohm and Haas Chemical Company in Pennsylvania, where he dedicated the remainder of his career until his retirement at the age of 62.

Upon retirement, Bob and Lou sought the warmth of Florida and made Spanish Wells in Bonita Springs their winter home enjoying the sunshine and community they loved so much. Previously, he was an active community

member of Spanish Wells where he began as a snowbird, then as a full-time resident for over 20 years. He served as president of his condo committee for 25 years.

Bob was a faithful member of St. Leo the Great Catholic Church in Bonita Springs. He will be remembered for his kindness, devotion to family, and love of life's simple pleasures.

He is survived by his two children, Pamela S. Casperson and her husband, Chris, of Telford, PA, and Jeff Schrum and his wife, Jill, of North Wales, PA; five grandchildren, Matt (Chrissy), Eric (Allison), CJ (Lauren), Scott, and Alec; and five great-grandchildren, Max, Nicholas, Ethan, Graham, and Lina. He is also survived by his sister, Judy Albright (Vince), of Surprise, AZ.

A funeral service will be held on Monday, October 27, 2025, at 11:00 AM at Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home, 28300 Tamiami Trail South, Bonita Springs, FL 34134. The family will receive friends at the funeral home beginning at 10:00 AM until the time of service.

Visitation will take place from 9:15 AM until 10:00 AM with the Funeral Mass to follow on Thursday, October 30, 2025, at St. Maria Goretti Catholic Church in Hatfield, Pennsylvania. Entombment will follow at Whitemarsh Memorial Park in Ambler, Pennsylvania.

His family suggests that in lieu of flowers memorial donations in his memory be made in honor of his grandson's wife and niece to: Unite for Her 22 E King St, Malvern, PA 19355 or online at <http://uniteforher.org/donate/>

To sign Bob's guest register or leave online condolences, please visit www.ShikanyFuneralHome.com.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home – Family Owned and Operated Since 1978.

Cemetery Details

Whitemarsh Memorial Park

Ambler, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **30**. 9:15 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Maria Goretti
1601 Derstine Rd
Hatfield, PA 19440

Funeral Service

OCT **30**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *John and I live next door to Bob and Luella for 12 years. We had many many fun times with them along with other neighbors. They were loved.*

Kathy Morrow

Kathleen Morrow - October 28, 2025 at 06:37 PM

JA

“ Hello -

I am Bob's "little sister", Judy. I must admit that because of our age difference and that we rarely lived close to each other, I truly do not remember anything of my brother until at his age 21, he married Lou - I was only 10 at the time. Bob was in high school by the time I even vaguely remember having a brother. After high school, he left for college in southern Illinois, and then after graduation, he married Lou and moved away. After high school and college, I moved to Florida and Bob was in PA by then. We reconnected for a few years when I moved to PA and we lived only a short distance from each other. During that time, we did see each other very frequently and I have wonderful memories of Bob, Lou, Pam and Jeff (both of whom were very young). I did have a daughter during those few years and Bob and Lou were her god-parents. I then moved back to the Chicago area and finally to AZ and Bob eventually moved to Florida. I did get to see Bob and Lou about 15 years ago when I went to Florida. While there, we shared a few days of fun, laughter, and revisiting "old "times" when we were all together in PA. We didn't realize it at the time, but our time together in Florida would be the last time we would see each other. Although early memories of my brother are fleeting, we did have a special "Schrum" bond that we would share through phone calls during the years. We would laugh together and each of us would share old "Schrum" stories that only he and I would remember. I always admired my "big brother" who seemed to be the "rock" of the dwindling Schrum family. He truly loved Lou, Pam and Jeff and their faith showed everyone what a strong family unit is. In this message about Bob, I cannot mention all the special times and memories we shared because neither Pam nor Jeff nor the remainder of his family will know the special bond a brother and sister whose lives were so different can have. Pam and I have been in almost daily contact during the last 10 days of Bob's life and I was so blessed to be able to see and talk with my brother (via a face time talk) just a couple of days before God called him home. He is now at peace with God, and his dear Lou, and happy in his new home. I have always loved you, Bob.

Judy [Schrum] Albright - October 28, 2025 at 03:39 PM

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“ *My parents Marie and Don loved your parents ! They were in each others wedding .. I will never forget as a child how much fun we had visiting your family in the summer ..*



Sheryl Robbins - October 26, 2025 at 02:30 PM