



Robert L. Zoeller

July 28, 2023

Robert L. Zoeller, 84, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, passed into eternal life on Friday, July 28, 2023.

Bob was born in Topeka, Kansas, but spent his formative years in Chicago, Illinois. He was a 1956 graduate of St. Ignatius College Preparatory School in Chicago. He earned an ME degree from Illinois Institute of Technology and an MBA from Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern University. He was a member of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity at IIT.

He served as a Staff Sergeant in the United States Air Force where he was the officer of the day in a missile silo, The Titan II, on the day of the Cuban Missile Crisis in October of 1962.

Bob was a devoted father, grandfather and great grandfather. He loved his family, classical music, the opera, fishing, and the passion of his life, model railroading, an interest he pursued throughout most of his life. He was a long-time member of the National Association of Prototype Modelers.

He will be remembered for his kind heart, generosity of spirit, keen intellect, infectious smile and unfailing sense of humor.

He is survived by his wife, Susan Jean Hady, his sister, Kay Ring of Denver,

Colorado. Loving father of Dr. Robert L. Jr. (Dawn), Thomas Zoeller, Kathleen (Steve) Contezac, Dr. Karen Swanson (Paul) and Patricia Zoeller. Proud grandfather of Maggie Zoeller, Jack (Claire) Zoeller, Michelle (Tyler) Vogds, Jacquelyn Zoeller, Daniella Zoeller and Eric Zoeller; Nick (Anna) Contezac and Joseph Contezac, Dr. Cal Swanson, Grace Swanson and Sonia Swanson, great grandfather of Layla and Harlow; other relatives and friends.

Memorial Celebration of Life service will be held on at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 24 at the Oconomowoc Golf Club, W360 N5261 Brown St., Oconomowoc, WI 53066.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Alzheimer's Association will be greatly appreciated. Please visit www.alz.org.

Tribute Wall

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“ On behalf of everyone here at the Alzheimer's Association - thank you so much for thinking of us at this time of loss to your family. Memorial donations made in Robert's name will be put to immediate use serving families and supporting research. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Dave Grams, Executive Director

Alzheimer's Association Wisconsin Chapter - August 14, 2023 at 12:00 AM

JZ

“ Uncle Bob and Aunt Susan were always a welcome sight at the Fourth of July Barbecues I and my late husband, Kim Nagasawa, held at our house in Chicago. He always was like a bit of my late Dad, Walter Zoeller. We also had fandoms of several authors in common, and would catch up on them. God's love and rest to you, Bob.

Julia Zoeller - August 09, 2023 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Bob was a thoughtful man who easily commanded your attention. He had a rich sense of humor, and his general appreciation of family and friends was obvious. We have lost a special friend.

James Roche - August 09, 2023 at 12:00 AM