



## Robert W. "Blackie" Ross

November 7, 1937 - April 17, 2019

Robert W. "Blackie" Ross, 79 of Conestoga passed away at home Wednesday afternoon, April 17, 2019. Born in Conestoga on November 7, 1939, he was the son of the late Arnold Wilmer and Ruby Pearl Leonard Ross. He was the best friend, husband and companion of 31 years to Cynthia Cortright Ross. Blackie worked as a masonry contractor for over 35 years. He retired as a Machine Operator for Fenner Precision in Manheim. He was a social member of Lancaster VFW #1690 and a life member of the Green Hill Sportmen's Association. He was a Pittsburgh Steeler fan, enjoyed DooWop and Oldies Music and shot darts earlier in life. Blackie enjoyed fishing even though he came home empty handed most of the time. He loved and enjoy time with his cat Mary.

Bob will be missed dearly by Cindy and also is survived by his daughter, Kim M. Ross of Lititz; son, R. Jason Ross of Tennessee; step sons, Greg Storm of Conestoga and Mike Storm; granddaughters, Bailey Delp and Christina Sheaffer; grandsons, Zachary Hartz, Brian Sheaffer, Michael Jackson and Jamie Ross and his childhood best friend, Ackie Caldwell of Spring City, PA, along with several nieces and nephews. Bob was preceded in death by his brothers, Arnold, Jr., Ken, Glen, Bill, Dick and Barry Ross; sister, Dawn Ross Fritch and his step daughter, Jennifer Hartz.

Remembrance get together will be held at a later date at the Green Hill Sportmen's Association and interment will be held in the Conestoga UM Cemetery. Special thanks to the Devita Health Campus Family, all the great

Doctors in the LGH group and to Dr. Paul Vassil for the exceptional care Bob received over the past years.

Family and friends are invited to "Blackie's" graveside service Saturday, May 18, 2019 at Noon, Conestoga UM Church Cemetery and Remembrance Drop In from 1 to 4 PM following the graveside service at the Green Hill Sportsmen's Association, 6111 River Road, Conestoga, PA 170516.

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

MAY 18. 12:00 PM (ET)

Conestoga United Methodist Church  
71 Sand Hill Rd  
Conestoga, PA 17516  
(717) 872-2907

# Tribute Wall



“ Robert W. "Blackie" Ross

October 22, 2023 at 10:35 PM



“ Robert W. "Blackie" Ross

October 06, 2023 at 08:29 AM



“ Robert W. "Blackie" Ross

October 05, 2023 at 11:43 PM



“ Cindy,

*I am thinking about you at this time. My deepest sympathies regarding the loss of Blackie.*

*love,  
Casey Thomas*

casey - April 22, 2019 at 04:45 PM

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“ Cindy,  
We are so sorry to see that Blackie passed  
away  
Please know our thoughts and prayers are  
with you and his family

Love  
Jeff Davis  
Donna Speece



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**DONNA L SPEECE** - April 22, 2019 at 10:16 AM

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“ The clock of life is wound but once, and no man has the power to tell  
just when the hands will stop. So live, love, toil with a will, place no  
faith in "Tomorrow," for the Clock may then be still.  
We all know the day will come but we're never really ready. So  
many good times and memories. Cindy, I'm so sorry.

Love you both,  
Steve K.

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**Steve Kendid** - April 21, 2019 at 11:02 AM

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“ TO CINDY & FAMILY. I AM SO SAD TO READ OF  
YOUR LOSS..BLACKIE WAS A GOOD PERSON AND VERY  
MUCH CARED FOR HIS FAMILY.IT HAS BEEN MANY YEARS  
SINCE WE HAVE BEEN IN TOUCH BUT FELT THE NEED TO  
REACH OUT TO YOU AT THIS TIME. REMEMBER "DOLLY"  
FROM TNT BAKERY AND HELPING YOU WITH TAX PREP.  
,WELL IT IS ME KEEPING YOU IN PRAYER AND SENDING YOU  
MY SYMPATHY FOR YOUR LOSS. GOD BLESS

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**dolly blessing** - April 21, 2019 at 10:20 AM

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“ To Cindy and all the extended Ross family. Please know that our thoughts are with you at this sad and most difficult time. We hope that your memories of Blackie bring you peace and comfort. May he now rest in peace

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**Trent and Linda Delp** - April 21, 2019 at 09:05 AM