



Patricia "Patti" Rung  
Moved away 12/2018



Robert "Bob" Rung  
2/18/1925 to 11/27/2018

Patti was born in Farrell, PA, north of Pittsburgh, and went to Seton Hill College for a year and then to Westminster College where she majored in math and English. Bob was also born in western Pennsylvania and was raised in Sharon, a Westinghouse Corp. town. After he served in the US Army in Europe in WWII, he went to Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh where he got a degree in Electrical Engineering in 1950. He later got an MBA at Santa Clara U. He worked for a time at Curtis-Wright, in the nuclear reactor division, but returned to Westinghouse in Sunnyvale in 1957.

Bob and Patti's first date was at his high school prom. Then he was gone for nearly three years in the Army, during which he was wounded in combat in 1944. He was then transferred to the Corps of Engineers. They were both good letter writers and got engaged as soon as he returned from Europe. They married in 1950 and have two children and five grandchildren. They have lived in Saratoga since 1957.

Patti began teaching high school English in Pennsylvania and continued at Saratoga High School, occasionally directing plays. After her retirement, Patti worked for more than 20 years at the Happy Dragon thrift shop in Los Gatos which benefits Eastfield Ming Quong. Her hobbies were tennis, skiing and bridge. Bob also enjoyed tennis and hiking with his son. They have been members of Brookside Swim and Tennis Club, and Bob has been a member of SIRs (Sons in Retirement) for more than 20 years. Although they have traveled in Europe and enjoyed many cruises, their favorite trip was a seven-week driving tour around the USA in 1989.

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