



Robert Leonard DIAZ

December 15, 1934 - March 24, 2011

Robert (Bob) L. Diaz, a Carson City resident passed away on March 24, 2011 surrounded by his family. He was 76 years old. Bob was born on December 15, 1934 in San Jose, CA where he lived for 57 years. He is survived by his wife of nearly 50 years Linda Diaz, daughter Leanne Diaz; sons and daughters-in-law Larry and Annie Niebling, Robert and Margaret Niebling, John and Tobie Diaz; sister Rosalie Diaz; grandchildren Jennifer, Jacqueline, Laura, Jonathan, Harley; and great grandchildren Nick, Paul, Damien, and Kennadi.

Bob served his country in the U.S. Marine Corps from 1955 to 1958 and held the rank of Sergeant when he was honorably discharged. In 1958, he began his 31-year career with the Department of Public Works for the City of Campbell in CA ending his career as Public Works Superintendent. He was an active member of the Maintenance Superintendents Association serving as President in 1976-1977, as State Board Representative 1978-1979 and receiving the Outstanding Maintenance Superintendent award in 1985. During his 15 years as Superintendent, Bob assisted the Campbell City Council, the Parks and Recreation Commission, and numerous citizen groups in developing and implementing park improvements, arterial street planting programs, and street and landscaping maintenance policies. During his spare

time, Bob also coached many fast-pitch girls' softball teams over the years for Blossom Ridge Bobby Sox and the San Jose Police Athletic League. He was an excellent pitching coach. Bob and Linda retired to Carson City in 1991 where he pursued interests in golf, target shooting, gardening, and playing guitar.

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Leonard DIAZ*

November 04, 2023 at 08:25 PM



“ *Robert Leonard DIAZ*

November 01, 2023 at 12:58 PM



“ *My sympathies and prayers to Anne Niebling and her family.*

Nancy Tatum - May 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *We will miss him. Our prayers go out to you, Linda and the family.*

Melvin & E Isir Zabel - May 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *God Bless you Bob you were the best, we sure miss seeing you but someday we will all be together.*

Don and Della harmon - May 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

EL

“ *My condolences to the Diaz and Niebling families, and to my dear friend Rosalie. I never had the pleasure to meet your brother, but from what you told me of him, he was a wonderful man. Obviously his family carries his strong characteristics of integrity, loyalty and loving service to others. May God bless you all.*

Emily LaScola - April 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RL

“ *My Sympathy to Linda, Rosalie and family. Rosalie I did not know that Bob was ill. I am so sorry. Love Ron and Lavaughn Lopez*

Ronald Lopez - April 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ *Rosalie, I am so sorry for your loss. I didn't know him, but from everything you told me about him, he was an amazing man. Such devotion from his kids says so much. My sympathy to you and all of your family.*

Marianne Bonasera - April 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RP

“ My memories of Bob are happy ones. His observations of what was going on around him always brought laughter to any situation. He was always engaging and welcoming to anyone that Rosalie was with. With such a kind nature also came a strong nature. He showed his strength as he lived through the struggles of his fate. Bravely, is an inadequate word in describing how he managed each day. He still was ready to joke with his sister, to keep her spirits up. His bravery and love kept his family close to him until his last breath. Their care for him only showed how much they loved him. He was an amazing man to the end.

Rosemarie Pozzi - April 02, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ My deepest sympathy and my prayers are with you.

Donna Miller - April 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to the Diaz and Niebling families. I'm very sorry for your loss. Bob was a great man. I have many fond memories of him from I was younger. Rest in Peace Bob, you will be missed! Much love to you all!!

Mary Anne Pine - March 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ To the Diaz family,

*The sorrow of the faithful
is not that of permanent loss,
but the tender sense of sadness that comes in saying good-bye for
now to someone we love. May today's sorrow give way to the peace
and
comfort of God's love.*

Marisella Gonzalez - March 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Our deepest sympathy to the Diaz and Niebling Family.
Bob was a great man. He was a devoted husband, father,
grandfather who always put his family first.
He endured one of the most brutal diseases and did it with a smile
and humor, which was totally Bob.
We will always remember his laugh and sense of humor.
Our thoughts and prayers are with the family at this difficult time.
Bob would be so proud of his children and all they sacrificed for him
with their busy lives.... You did good, Bob
Rest in Peace

Jeff and Mary Alred - March 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ My Sympathy to the entire family. I pray for peace in knowing that
Bob is with the Lord and playing golf in the prettiest golf course in
heaven.

Betty Harding - March 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *He sounds like a wonderful man who lived a very full life. Thank you for sharing this with me. I know his absence leaves a hole in your heart. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.*
Brenda Hutson

Brenda Hutson - March 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ *My condolences and blessings to you, Leanne, and your entire family.*

Scott Abke - March 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *Leanne,
I just saw your post on facebook about your dad. I am so sorry to hear the news.
With sympathy,
Donna Cleary*

Donna Cleary - March 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM