



## Robert Perry "Bob" St. Arnold

April 10, 1932 - December 20, 2015

Robert Perry "Bob" St. Arnold of Brandywine, Maryland, died on Sunday, December 20, 2015 at his home surrounded by his family. He was 83 years old.

Born on April 10, 1932 in Baraga, Michigan, he was the son of the late Isabelle L. and the late James E. St. Arnold Sr. He was a member of the Keweenaw Bay Tribal Community his entire life. Mr. St. Arnold served in the U. S. Army during the Korean War before being Honorably Discharged in 1954. He then served as Superintendent of the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the U. S. Government until his retirement. He dedicated his whole life to the preservation of the Native American people. He was a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church, the Knights of Columbus and the White Plains Golf Club. Mr. St. Arnold was an avid golfer but enjoyed spending time with grandchildren and great grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Mr. St. Arnold was preceded in death by his daughter Cheri Ann McMahon and ten of his siblings.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Shirley A. St. Arnold; his children Robert P. St. Arnold Jr. and his wife Michelle, Thomas E. St. Arnold, Brian F. St. Arnold and his wife Victoria; he is also survived by many grandchildren, great grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, December 29, 2015 from 10AM until time of Mass to begin at 11AM at St. Peter's Catholic Church 3220 St. Peter's Church Road Waldorf, MD 20601.

Interment will be held at Maryland Veterans Cemetery 11301 Crain Highway Cheltenham, MD on Wednesday, January 6, 2016 at 11AM (those attending are asked to meet at the cemetery by 10:45AM).

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Charles County, 2505 Davis Road Waldorf, MD 20603.

# Cemetery Details

## MD Veterans Cemetery - Cheltenham, MD

11301 Crain Highway  
Cheltenham, MD 20623

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **29**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter's Catholic Church  
3320 St. Peter's Drive  
Waldorf, MD 20601

## Mass of Christian Burial

DEC **29**. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Peter's Catholic Church  
3320 St. Peter's Drive  
Waldorf, MD 20601

## Burial

JAN **6**. 11:00 AM (ET)

MD Veterans Cemetery - Cheltenham, MD  
11301 Crain Highway  
Cheltenham, MD 20623



# Tribute Wall



“ Robert Perry "Bob" St. Arnold

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ Robert Perry "Bob" St. Arnold

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ Everyday I'm down I think of you to cheer me up to get pure happiness I am dedicating my back tat to you for you may rest in peace I love you grandpa thank you for filling my heart with memories and love and joy

Justin McMahon - April 10, 2023 at 08:07 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert Perry "Bob" St. Arnold.



December 28, 2015 at 01:08 PM

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“ *Uncle Bob was a great uncle. He had a great sense of humor. I remember the many times that he would come and pick me up to take me to my cousins Cheri's birthdays. I remember the night before Cheri's wedding - Uncle Bob standing at the stove cooking taco shells in a skillet so that we would have fresh tacos. Uncle Bob and my mom shared birthday's within 1 day of each other. I am going to miss him very much. My prayers and thoughts go out to his family. Love Brenda*

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**Brenda Derflinger** - December 28, 2015 at 07:00 AM

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“ *Stan, Pauline and Sean Spruce purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Robert Perry "Bob" St. Arnold.*



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**Stan, Pauline and Sean Spruce** - December 25, 2015 at 01:09 PM