



Walter Larry Roland

April 22, 1944 - February 9, 2023

Walter Larry Roland, 78, of Waldorf, Maryland, passed away on Thursday, February 9, 2023 at the University of Maryland Capital Regional Medical Center in Largo.

Born on April 22, 1944 in Washington, DC, he was the son of the late Walter and Hope Roland, raised in Fort Washington, MD. Larry served in the U. S. Army during the Vietnam era, until he was Honorably Discharged at the rank of Private First Class in 1965. He then spent most of his life as a meat cutter with Giant Foods. After his retirement, Larry started a little side business called, Vern's Lawn Care and Stuff, and there the nickname "Vern" was born. Larry loved nature, being outside, caring for his birds in the yard, cutting wood, working in the garden, fishing and crabbing while out on the boat. He was a gifted history buff who loved to share stories about past wars and how life was long ago. Most importantly, Larry loved spending time with his family and his three special four-legged children, Mr. Lucky, Zoey, and Molly.

In addition to his parents, Larry is preceded in death by his son Justin Dwayne Roland; infant brother Lynn Roland.

Larry is survived by his wife of 59 years, Charlotte Roland; children Crystal Ann Sparks and her husband David, Loren Wayne Roland and his wife Natasha; brother Jay Kevin Roland; nine grandchildren, ten great

grandchildren and many relatives, cousins and friends.

A gathering will be held on Saturday, February 18, 2023 from 2PM until time of service at 3PM at the Raymond Funeral Service, P.A., 5635 Washington Avenue, La Plata, Maryland 20646. Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 4217 Park Place Court, American Heart Association Building, Glen Allen, VA 23060 or to the American Cancer Society, P. O. Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718.

Tribute Wall



“ Laurie Roland- Plischke lit a candle in memory of Walter Larry Roland



Laurie Roland- Plischke - May 17, 2024 at 10:41 PM



“ Walter Larry Roland

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ Walter Larry Roland

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ Laurie Ann Plischke lit a candle in memory of Walter Larry Roland



Laurie Ann Plischke - July 09, 2023 at 12:19 AM

BH

“ *Bill and Julie Hitchcock purchased the Delightful Dieffenbachia for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



Bill and Julie Hitchcock - February 17, 2023 at 11:55 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



February 17, 2023 at 10:10 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



February 17, 2023 at 10:07 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



February 15, 2023 at 05:59 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



February 15, 2023 at 05:23 PM



“ *Anna Mike Highsmith purchased the Meat & Cheese Wooden Gift Crate for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



Anna Mike Highsmith - February 15, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Anna B Highsmith lit a candle in memory of Walter Larry Roland*



Anna B Highsmith - February 15, 2023 at 09:48 AM



God saw you getting tired, and a cure was not to be. So, he put His arms around you and whispered "come with Me." With tearful eyes we watched as you passed on to the Kingdom of Heaven. We love you dearly, and we know that your pain has passed and that you are at peace.

A Golden Heart stopped beating; hard working hands are at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.

As little Sharon would tell you, "Have a Blessed day in Heaven, and we love you Uncle Larry."

Skip, Betty, and little Sharon.

Phil and Betty Green and Little Sharon - February 16, 2023 at 09:16 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



February 14, 2023 at 03:53 PM



“ *Cindy Boyd & Bill Shoemaker purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



Cindy Boyd & Bill Shoemaker - February 14, 2023 at 10:08 AM



“ *Larry was one of my older cousins. One of my first memories of him when I was growing up, I jumped off a tractor on my grandfather's farm next door into a large mound of weeds. When I did so, I got stung by about 8 to 10 bees. I don't recall the exact number it's been so long. But needless to say, that was quite dangerous for a child so small. Larry rushed in without hesitation grabbed me and put on top of his shoulders and carried me out. I got very sick and had to go to the doctors. But I will never forget that experience. Spoke volumes about his character. May he rest in peace.*

Glenn R Roland - February 14, 2023 at 09:56 AM

LP

*My father told me about this, Glenn.
I stopped by and visit we s your father's resting place at Trinity last week. I was visiting for Mother's Day.
My parents are in the Mausoleum. Very top, facing out front (road).*

How's your your mother doing? Still traveling???? Amazing she's 98, isn't that correct?

My brother Greg will be laid to rest with my parents when I'm able to let him go again. Right now, I have his ashes with me, in Virginia. He will be gone a year already, in June.

Hope all is well with you.

Laurie Roland-Plischke

Laurie Roland- Plischke - May 17, 2024 at 10:34 PM

CB

“ *Please know that my heart is heavy... Larry and Charlotte Roland were my neighbors for over 30 years! ALWAYS working and making things happen on their side of the street, and throughout the neighborhood. Always willing to lend a hand to others needing help. Such a strong couple with caring hearts. I want to say that family and friends will be in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless. Cindy Boyd*

Cindy Boyd - February 14, 2023 at 09:39 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Walter Larry Roland.*



February 14, 2023 at 07:30 AM