



**Mr. Robert Tristram  
McWilliams Boyter**

August 10, 2017

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“ My exwife Jamie and I lived on the first floor under Rob and Nancy on Parkside in High Park. There were lively parties upstairs and rather than fight the neighbors we were simply invited. This included Brian Maloy from the basement suite and Bill from next door. Rob lived music and hated doing the laundry. There were rooms dedicated to books or records as well as a room on the third floor dedicated to his single use sock collection. I met Catriona at one of these parties as well as Paula Taylor. Rob inspired me with Celtic music and exposed me to Allan Stivel, Steeleye span and the friends of fiddler green. He could Morris dance and quote Shakespeare. After I left Toronto and moved west we would call Rob and Nancy on Christmas Eve and this went on for years as I moved from Calgary to Vancouver. I'm sorry we lost touch and I will always remember after one very length party luring in bed and listening to Rob and Nancy's bums squeak on the bottom of the bath tub directly overhead as they cavorted in the bath. Rob I said it before and I will say it again, I hope you remembered your towel. Love to Nancy and someday I hope to meet Robbie.

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David Janeway - August 22, 2017 at 02:12 PM

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“ I knew Robert because my daughter, Leigh Ann, is the best of friends with his son, Robbie. Robert was notably gracious and welcoming. Our last conversation included him mentioning his continued soft-spot in his heart for Leigh Ann and how he wished she was within reach; he then boasted his pride over Robbie's achievements. I will always remember him as a big-hearted, caring man who loved his family very much. My sincere condolences go out to Robbie and Nan at this very difficult time. Leila Buckler

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Leila Buckler - August 16, 2017 at 09:45 AM

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“ *The main theme I remember concerning Rob was his deep interest in music and his rather large and wide ranging record (LP) collection. It was always fun to spend time with him and then with Nan, listening to whatever new music he had discovered. He moved into 61 Clinton St. in 1976 (?) where I had a little bedsit on the top floor. Everyone else was either a musician, or connected to music in some way. Once he met Nan though, I saw very little of him, until they moved in together. They lived for many years on Parkside Dr. where they hosted lively parties. Rob was a very engaging individual, with a zest for life, at least until his later years. I am glad that I am still friends with Nan after all these decades, and wish her and Robbie all the best!*

*Catriona Sinclair*



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**Catriona Sinclair** - August 15, 2017 at 07:29 PM