



## Mr. Robert William Murphy

July 28, 2017

MURPHY, Robert William—With deep sadness the family announce the unexpected passing on July 28, 2017 of a beloved brother and uncle at the age of 64 from a fatal heart attack while relaxing at home.

Robert, the youngest son of loving parents Len and Jonnie (both deceased), leaves behind his three older brothers Terry (Wendi), Frank (Christine), Ed and his younger sister Joanne. He shared a home with Ed and niece Lindsey in the same building as his sister, and just down the road from his eldest brother and his wife.

In his youth, after backpacking through the British Isles and Europe, Robert returned home and took jobs with companies handling precious metals, gathering media stats, and the post office. From the 1990s to the present, Robert found satisfaction and enjoyment working within the limousine community.

It was during annual vacations together with our parents to quiet areas in Ontario, the United States, and to the Dominican Republic where, as adults, our family and friendship bonds grew.

Being naturally athletic as a young man, Robert played baseball and hockey. Like a lot of Canadians, he was a loyal Leafs fan still hoping for another Stanley Cup. He followed their games on TV and enjoyed a good Don Cherry rant on Coach's Corner.

Though he was a voracious reader and enjoyed movies and TV, his greatest passion was golf—usually with his brother Terry, whether watching from a

comfortable chair or on the golf course.

Robert was a private person in many ways; yet affably approachable with kind heart and a refined sense of humour. His subtle quips often caught us off guard.

He will be deeply missed.

The Funeral Mass for Robert will take place:

Friday, August 11th at 12:30 p.m.

ST. JOHN XXIII RC Church

(150 Gateway Blvd., Don Mills, M3C 3E2 [Tel: 416 429-4000])

Reception in the Church Hall to follow at 1:15 p.m.

If desired, a memorial donation to Care, Scott Mission or a charity of choice would be appreciated.

# Tribute Wall



“ *It would have been a butterscotch pie day yesterday; instead, another candle lit for April 25th in loving remembrance of a much missed brother. DoJo*



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**J** - April 26 at 04:44 PM



“ *... lovingly remembered and missed - DoJo*



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**Joanne Murphy** - July 28, 2025 at 01:55 AM



“ *Remembered with much love today and every day--miss the quips and the quiriness on the passing of another butterscotch pie day-- DoJo*



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**J** - April 25, 2025 at 09:36 AM



“ *... much love and remembrance for one of the best a sibling could have--DoJo*



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**J** - July 28, 2024 at 08:46 AM



“ *Another butterscotch pie day passed with loving and quirky memories of a much missed brother--DoJo*



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**J** - April 25, 2024 at 12:26 PM



“ *Remembered with much love and humour ... one of the best - DoJo*



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**J Murphy** - July 28, 2023 at 03:31 AM



“ *Would be a butterscotch pie day ... remembered with much love -- DoJo*



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**J** - April 25, 2023 at 12:47 AM



“ *Special remembrance today for the youngest of the "three out of four" wonderful older brothers -- J*



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**J** - July 28, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ ... remembering one of my "three out of four" wonderful brothers --DoJo,



J - July 28, 2022 at 12:39 AM



“ No butterscotch pie today ...only loving and quirky memories of a dear brother and friend -  
- DoJo



J - April 25, 2022 at 09:59 AM



“ Another Christmas...loving memories of you,  
Te, Mom & Dad -- J



J - December 26, 2021 at 03:31 PM



“ ... love and remembrance, particularly today -  
DoJo



J - July 28, 2021 at 10:38 AM



“ *... quirky and loving moments remembered,  
but no butterscotch pie - DoJo*



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**J** - April 25, 2021 at 10:02 AM



“ *... with loving thoughts and remembrance -  
DoJo*



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**Joanne** - July 28, 2020 at 01:38 AM



“ *Joanne lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert  
William Murphy*



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**Joanne** - April 26, 2020 at 12:56 AM



“ *With loving thoughts and remembrance -  
DoJo*



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**Joanne** - July 28, 2019 at 08:39 AM



“ *with loving remembrance*  
*- DoJo*



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**Joanne** - July 28, 2018 at 08:28 AM



“ *Joanne lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert William Murphy*



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**Joanne** - April 25, 2018 at 12:39 AM



“ *In the late 1950s, as a young boy with his brother Ed and Dad, Robert briefly glimpsed a part of Canadian history when they witnessed a test flight of the Avro Arrow in the skies over Malton.*

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**J** - August 16, 2017 at 03:20 PM



“ *for a dear brother and friend*



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**J** - August 14, 2017 at 11:20 PM

MS

“ *Sending condolences to the Murphy Family. So sorry for your loss.*

*Marcia and Ralph Shepherd.*

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**Marcia Shepherd** - August 12, 2017 at 08:30 AM

LV

“ *To the Murphy family.  
We are so sorry for your loss.  
Thinking of you and family at this difficult time.  
Our thoughts and prayers are with  
You and your family.  
Wishing your family hope in the midst of your sorrow and pain.  
God Bless.  
Leo & Karen Reed.*

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**Leo Reed Security15 Vicora** - August 11, 2017 at 03:37 PM

RW

“ *I am sorry for your loss.*



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**Ron Woodman** - August 11, 2017 at 07:20 AM

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“ *I had the pleasure of knowing & working with Robert for over 10 years. I always enjoyed conversing with him. I'm gonna miss that subtle smile of his, gonna miss u Robert. Rest in peace. Cosimo.*

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**Cosimo De Leo** - August 10, 2017 at 04:52 PM



“ *Lindsey Murphy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert William Murphy* ”



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**Lindsey Murphy** - August 09, 2017 at 03:11 PM



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**Joanne** - August 08, 2017 at 10:50 PM



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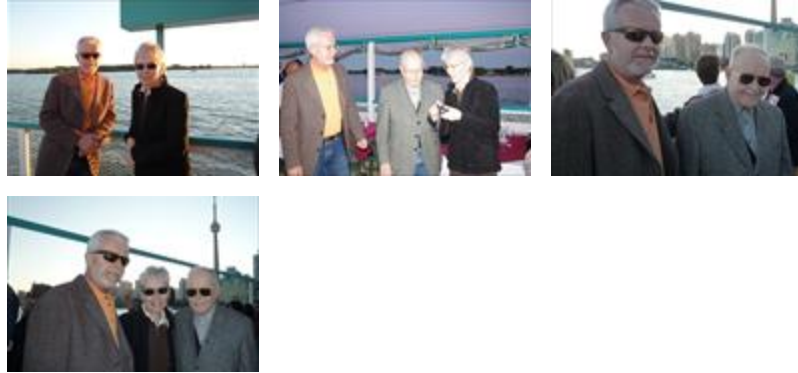


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**Joanne** - August 08, 2017 at 09:32 PM



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Joanne - August 08, 2017 at 09:23 PM

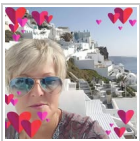


“ Taken too soon. You will be missed.

Steven W



Steven wigoda - August 06, 2017 at 02:55 PM



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Grace Sarris - August 06, 2017 at 02:48 PM



“ *Grace Sarris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert William Murphy*



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**Grace Sarris** - August 06, 2017 at 02:35 PM