



## Robert E. Schrecengost

May 26, 1936 - February 25, 2015

Robert E. Schrecengost, age 78, of North Huntingdon, died Wednesday February 25, 2015. He was born May 26, 1936 in Dayton, a son of the late Peter Sloan and Daisy (Rearick) Schrecengost. Bob was a retired welder for Beckwith Machinery, Murrysville, and had formerly owned Snyder Welding of Kittanning. He was an Army veteran, a member of Bible Fellowship Church, Irwin, a former member of the Irwin Male Chorus, an Elvis impersonator, and enjoyed hunting and throwing horseshoes. In addition to his parents he is preceded in death by a son, David E. Schrecengost, two sisters, and five brothers. He is survived by his wife of over fifty four years JoAnn Schrecengost; children, Robert A. (Theresa) Schrecengost of CT and Jeanne (David) Czerniak of CA; also seven grandchildren. There will be no viewing. A memorial service may be held at a later date. William Snyder Funeral Home Inc., Irwin, is in charge of arrangements. For online condolences please visit [www.snyderfuneralservices.com](http://www.snyderfuneralservices.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert E. Schrecengost*

October 07, 2023 at 10:37 AM



“ *Robert E. Schrecengost*

August 23, 2022 at 04:00 PM



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**Bob Schrecengost (son)** - March 23, 2015 at 12:43 PM



“ I'm so happy and thankful to Hod so many other folks say such great things about Bob as I do- Bob and I met several summers ago while I was on a church youth mission retreat called Catholic Heart Work Camp. My group travelled from Southern MD to Irwin by car, it was the best decision I've made to go on that trip. We were assigned a week of work remodeling a porch at an elderly woman's home earlier in the week, and had an afternoon clean up job at Joann and Bob's. While my group put in the elbow grease, I was trying to figure job out- then I realized! He was distant and there HAD to be a connection somehow! Well, I looked to my left and there he was. In a photo of Army Dress Greens, white combo cover, Sam Brown belt, and on a brassard over his sleeve it read in big white letters "MP" AHA! I come from a military family, I am a cadet in the US Air Force Auxiliary as well as a JROTC cadet on my school and formerly attended a military academy. This was that connection. I went up to Bob who was taking leaves at his shed, toothpick hanging from his mouth, and said "Thank you for your service MP, remind me to stay on your good side."

Next thing you know, we were best of friends! I went back up several times...we shot stories back and forth of cadet life, army jokes, and even tried the Mess-Hall style Chipped Beef I made for him. The last time Bob and I saw each other was when I booked a flight and two busses to Irwin- I went to the PX, a few other places too, and got Bob's old uniform together. MAN DID HE LOOK AND ACT SHARP! Sirs, maams, and all of it- the whole mine yards! He even asked me if I had a can of Brasso to polish his brass uniform buckle...."I don't typically carry it on me Bob" he replied "That's Private First Class Schrecengost" we went to dinner- Bob insisting on being in uniform, as hard headed as ever- and we had a ball! A gentleman payed for Bob's meal, mine, as well as Joann's! Bob was simply that awesome. This is just one of MANY stories Bob and I made together, I love him. Always will :)

As Bob would've put it thanks to another Bob-  
"Thanks for the memories, I thank you so much for those memories"

*Love you Bob, a lifelong friend and dearly missed at that!*

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**Nick Cammaroto** - March 22, 2015 at 01:38 AM

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“ *Paul Edwards lit a candle in memory of Robert E. Schrecengost*



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**Paul Edwards** - March 14, 2015 at 08:25 PM

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**Snyder Funeral Home** - March 06, 2015 at 02:43 PM

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“ We met Bob & Jo Ann at a Free Methodist Church when we moved here from southern Ohio 20 yrs. ago. Bob was wearing a neck brace from a water skiing injury. He also had snow skies and sometimes skied down the neighbors' yards!

One Christmas I was Bob's accompanist as he sang "Mary, Did You Know?" at church.

I took Jo Ann to visit Bob, and as we were leaving we joined hands in a circle of prayer. Before praying, I asked Bob if everything were right between him and the Lord, and he nodded "yes."

Another visit when Jo Ann went to his bedside, Bob said, "It's so good to see you!" Later as we started to leave, he said to her, "I love you." She replied, "I love you, too."

Bob's caregivers were so special. A strong, young man named Ron took good care of him at West Penn Care Center. The nurses reflected on Bob's Elvis impersonation days. While some called him Robert, and others Bob, he was also dubbed "Bobbert." At Lifecare Hospital we received hugs from the caring staff.

Cheryl & Dennis Chamberlin

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**Cheryl Chamberlin** - March 06, 2015 at 12:32 PM

PL

“ Bo Bob was a good friend and a good welder. Sad to hear his passing to his new home God has gained a good person.( our loss) See you later friend . Paul Libengood

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**Paul Libengood** - March 05, 2015 at 04:04 PM

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“ I lost a great comedy mentor. Bob always treated me as a peer, even when I was a kid. I learned so much from him. He will be missed. My sympathies to all the family.

*Rich and April Waugaman*

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**Rich Waugaman** - March 05, 2015 at 11:26 AM

LA

“ Our deepest Sympathies to the Schrecengost family. Love Mr. and Mrs. Vince Miscovich and the Regina family.



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**Laura** - March 04, 2015 at 12:37 PM

JW

“ *Jim and Anneliese Watkins*

*Rick Pickett*

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**Jim-Anneliese Watkins** - March 04, 2015 at 11:20 AM