



Robert CHAIKEN

April 30, 2009

(KOREA) CHAIKEN, Robert, age 75, passed away April 30, 2009 in the presence of his family, beloved husband of Rosalind Chaiken, devoted father of Bruce, Jonathan & Randi & Frank & Mary Chaiken, loving grandfather of Mollie, Sydney, Phoebe, Max & Benjamin Chaiken. Services Weil Funeral Home, 8350 Cornell Rd., Sunday, May 3, 2:00 P.M. Visitation begins at 1:00 P.M. Friends may call on the family at the residence of Roz Chaiken Sun & Mon evenings only 7-9 P.M. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions to Hospice of Cinti or the Chaiken Fund at Isaac M. Wise Temple.

Tribute Wall

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“ Bob was wonderful partner, and a lot of fun. I miss him.

Jack Selvia - February 14, 2024 at 04:21 PM

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When he died 17 years ago we were so deeply grieving that noone really expressed the best about Bob. Robert ,as his mother liked to call him, was a brilliant student at James Madison High School in Brooklyn New York . His academic achievements earned him early acceptance to the University of Pennsylvania but he chose to go to Lehigh because it was smaller, not like his very large HighSchool..This independent mindset also carried him to leave NYC and practice accounting in Cincinnati where his career thrived and grew to the day he retired. What was not said about Bob was his devotion to his family. How he was a rock to his three sons and a loving and supporting husband to me. What was not said was how he quietly endured Prostate Cancer Treatment, continued to work as remission set in (all unknown to most who did not know about the diagnosis) and then had 10 years of remission until the cancer raised it's ugly head again. He loved numbers and word games. He did three crossword puzzles every day and the Sunday NYT in ink. He acquired Master points in Bridge and mastered Suduko. About his Judaism. Well he was raised in an Orthodox, Kosher home. He once told me he thought a sermon was a plea for money until while in the Army he heard a Reform Rabbi give a sermon. His involvement as Treasurer of Wise Temple and a Board Member in the MidWest and National UAHC kept Judaism alive for him albeit not Orthodoxy. Also what needs to be said is Bob as a teacher and mentor to the young men and women in his firm,ACH. He saw the potential in many of the men and women who worked at ACH and encouraged them. Yes, Bob was a wonderful man and lots of fun (Thank you Jack Selvia for your comment.) I have moved on, but think about him every day. He supported my return to college and my new career after years as a homemaker. After nearly 17 years since he died I write these words that have been in my dreams and in my heart. Roz

Rosalind Chaiken - March 16, 2025 at 02:41 PM