



Rev. Robert Eidson

January 11, 1929 - September 15, 2017

Eidson, Rev. Robert G. Age 88. September 15, 2017.

Beloved husband of Peg. Loving father of Chris (Melissa) and Alison (Darrell) Tiedeman. Proud grandfather of Brice, Tatum, Christian, Alexander, Cody and Grace. Dear brother of the late Amy Belser and Mart Belser. Brother-in-law of Anne Belser. Uncle of Doug Belser, Debbie (Phil) DeWester and great uncle of Ella and Erik DeWester.

As a young man, Robert served his country as a member of the United States Air Force (JAG) and was in Korea from 1950-53. He received his law degree from the University of Michigan and afterward worked for Michigan Bell in property acquisitions. During his time in Ann Arbor, he was introduced by mutual friends to Peg, who was working as a nurse at University Hospital. The couple married on September 20, 1958 in Ann Arbor. Later he graduated from Virginia Theological Seminary, in Alexandria, with a Master's in Theology. Rev. Eidson formerly served at St. Paul Episcopal Church in Brighton, Trinity Episcopal Church in Flushing and retired from St. John's Episcopal Church in Royal Oak in 1991. An avid U-M football fan, his other interests included extensively traveling around the world and sailing on his boat "Baraka."

The family will receive friends on Saturday, September 30 from 12 noon until time of the memorial service, 2 pm at St. John's Episcopal Church, 26998 Woodward Ave. (southeast corner of 11 Mile), Royal Oak 48067. Memorial

contributions to the church or the Alzheimer's Association are appreciated.
Share your memories at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

SEP 30. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

St. John's Episcopal Church
26998 Woodward Avenue
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Memorial Service

SEP 30. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. Robert Eidson.*



September 28, 2017 at 09:30 PM



“ *Bruce, Diane, Troy, Holli, Liam and Grandma Tiny purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Rev. Robert Eidson.*



Bruce, Diane, Troy, Holli, Liam and Grandma Tiny -
September 27, 2017 at 03:11 PM



“ *There was never anyone better then Rev. Eidson at Trinity in Flushing.....that's what my Mom would say.....as much as so many tried over the years (and they really have tried) he just could not be replaced. He was one in a million! Now, once again my Mom and Rev Eidson can spend time together, in eternity. Judy West-Wing (daughter of Dorothy West)*

Judy West-Wing - September 25, 2017 at 08:07 PM

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“ Bob was a dear friend and a fabulous mentor to me. He gave me a chance by hiring me before I was even accepted into the ordination process in Michigan, an unknown Southerner who just showed up at the church door in the middle of The Antique Show. Bob walked with me through that ordination process, teaching me by example all along the way. He shaped my ministry and taught me more than even he could ever know. My thoughts and prayers will be with Peg and family all week as I relive memories and then read the Burial Office at 2:00 PM on the 23rd. I loved him dearly and grieve his dying. Sad for us, freeing for him! May Bob rest in peace and rise in glory! Sally Fox

Sally Fox - September 15, 2017 at 07:32 PM