



Roger Dennis Hubbard

May 26, 1947 - October 13, 2012

Roger D. Hubbard died suddenly on October 13, 2012. His irrepressible spirit is mourned by his wife, Linda, and son, Daniel. As a realtor he loved helping people find their homes in Oakland County. As an ardent Democrat he enjoyed registering voters, recruiting volunteers, and lively jousting with the other side. But he felt his greatest joy as a father, his true calling. Family members sharing their grief include brothers, Joel Neonilla and Brian Jane; sisters, Cathy Nunez, Annabel Bazante and Dorothy Hubbard; stepmother, Joan Hubbard; mother-in-law, Marcella Soike; sisters-in-law, Bonnie Brian Gluth and Jacalyn Scott Mann; brother-in-law, Cory Soike; and nephews and a niece. Many whose lives Roger touched will miss his generous spirit and wit. There will be a memorial gathering Friday, November 16, 2012, from 6 p.m. until the time of the service 7 p.m., at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road 4 blocks E of Woodward, Royal Oak. Those who wish to honor Roger's memory may make a donation to Partners in International Education, International Academy, 1020 E. Square Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304, pie@bloomfield.org.

Tribute Wall

AN

“ Linda and Daniel, I just heard of Roger's passing. I am deeply sorry for your loss. I worked with Roger at Prudential over 10 years ago. I was still in high school during that time. He often kept me company behind the reception desk- always sharing stories of you both. When I moved back from London we would meet for lunch now and again. Roger was an encouraging, witty and gentle person. Without his encouraging words I do not think I would have pursued a degree in art. I am saddened to learn of your loss. He was a great man. With kind thoughts, Angela Gabriel

Angela - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Dear Linda, I only just learned of Roger's passing yesterday from your mom. Please accept our sincere sympathy. It has been many years since we have spoken, but we carry warm memories in our heart and hope we can connect again in the near future. With love, Mary and Jim Hanin

Mary Zahn Hanin - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KP

“ Dear Linda, I don't know what prompted me to google you today, but I did, only to discover such sad news. My thoughts go out to you and your family. I remember Roger well and am sure he will be sorely missed. Take care of yourself, Kathy Palmer

Katherine Palmer - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Our thoughts are toward you and your family during this time and our prayers are that the mercy and comfort of God will visit and rest upon you all going forward. John and Latitia Watkins

John Watkins - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KG

“ Linda and Daniel, my heart and support are with you during this difficult time for your family.

Katherine Gruber - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ Linda and Daniel, We are saddened by your loss. We remember Roger's kindness and encouragement he showed for the IA soccer team and, especially his sincere interest in our son Michael. Joyce and Steve

Joyce Kornbluh - Steven Novinson - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ I met Roger in 1993, and he was instrumental in helping me become the person I am today. His honesty and openness and humor were invaluable to me, and I regret having lost touch with him over the last several years. I will never forget Roger's pride in his family, and, as Dave Kerr already noted, his frequent rejoinder that "it's only a movie." 5 Stars, my friend.

Brian Balow - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

UM

“ I will remember him as always being there for his family, especially when they needed him the most. I will remember him for his generosity, like when our soccer team owed almost \$100 and he stepped up and selflessly paid the money so we can have fun and finish our season, or the following season when he paid a majority of our registration fee so playing soccer could be more affordable. I will remember him for his sense of humor that would always put a smile on my face. Saying that he is a great role model is an understatement. He may have passed away, but his positive influence on me is not going anywhere.

Umair - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Linda & Daniel, I am deeply saddened to learn of your terrible loss. My thoughts are with you. Roger was not only engaging, intelligent and blessed with a quick wit, he was, more importantly, a lovely caring husband, dad and friend to so many. My thoughts are with you and with all those near and dear to him.

Janet Baum - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Linda, you and Daniel have been in our prayers. Roger and I shared a lifetime together. I cannot express in words what he meant to me. He was a brother in the spirit and I will miss his counsel and wonderful conversation. I will miss the 21 years of laughter we shared and our journey to a sober life. After all it's only a movie. Rest in peace my friend.

Dave Kerr - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SY

“ *My thoughts are with you, Linda and Daniel. I knew Roger when we worked together at Prudential in Huntington Woods and I remember him fondly.*

Sarah Cook Yates - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HP

“ *Our thoughts are with you and Daniel and your whole family. Helene and Charlie Potter*

Helene Potter - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM