



## Robert Beaudry

July 5, 1949 - July 21, 2020

Robert Beaudry, 71, of Hudson, passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on July 21st, 2020.

Robert was born on July 5th, 1949, son of the late Alfred and Lorraine (LaBlanc) Beaudry and was pre deceased by his loving wife Camille "Kim" (Vachon) Beaudry in 2009.

Bob was a member of the first graduating class from Bishop Guertin High School in 1967. He received his Bachelors Degree from St. Michael's College, Colchester Vermont and went on to earn his MBA from Rivier University.

Bob spent most of his life as an Educator. He taught in the School of Business at Hesser College, University of Phoenix and was currently teaching at Rivier University. He will be missed by his students and colleagues and will also be greatly missed by his family and friends. Especially, the Murphy, Vachon and Fountain families. He leaves his best friend of 57 years Ron Plante and his wife Dee, as well as his dear friend Linda Ravenelle.

On behalf of Bob, the family would like to extend to Dr. Pierre Dionne our sincere thanks and gratitude for your constant care for Bob over the years.

Bob was instrumental in establishing the Nashua Senior Activity Center and most recently poured his time and energy into the campaign to elect Joe Biden President.

Donations in Bob's memory can be made to the charity or organization of one's choice.

Funeral Services will be held for Bob on Monday July 27th at 10am in the Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Home, 50 Ferry St., Hudson. Public may begin to arrive at 9:30am. Burial will be taking place in St. Louis Cemetery, Nashua following the service. A limited number of guests will be allowed inside the funeral home to visit with the family and participate in services. All guests are asked to please wear a mask or facial covering. To leave an online message of condolence or for more information please visit <http://www.dumontsullivan.com>. The DUMONT-SULLIVAN FUNERAL HOME IN HUDSON IS IN CHARGE OF ARRAN

GEMENTS.

# Cemetery

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# Events

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**St. Louis de Gonzague Cemetery**

752 West Hollis

Nashua, NH,

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**Service**

10:00AM - 11:00AM

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Dumont-Sullivan Funeral Home Hudson, NH  
50 Ferry Street, Hudson, NH, US, 03051

# Comments

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“ My first encounter with Bob was hearing his singing voice and cool guitar playing across the hall from my dorm room at Saint Michael's College. As we became good friends and later roommates , and just by watching him, I became a far better guitar player than I was, and a better person as well.

Fondest memories were the many of the College road trips, Glee Club, Church Choir, Dinner at Boves or harmonizing to the juke box over beers at The Mill with our good friend Jim Sheehey and Bob's future wife Kim . (Not to mention the speeding ticket, and suspended licence, I got with Bob one night, racing Sheehey to the Mill.)

We also took several business classes together, my favorite being Corporate Finance with Harry ( the Hat) Knight. I particularly remember cramming for our final exam and asking Bob to explain numerous stock calculations formulas to me, which I had apparently slept through in class . I got 100 on the final, and when Harry the Hat handed out Bob's test paper he said to Bob, "you should have studied more with your roommate who aced the test. " I thought he was going to kill me, but I should have known then that he was ultimately bound for teaching.

We kept in touch over the years, mostly long distance, except for my occasional road trips to New Hampshire every few years, or to Maine (for Bob and Kim's wedding). The sole exception to Bob's reluctance to travel was the time 43 years ago that he agreed to be the Best Man at my wedding to Gerry ( referred to by Bob as "the Pretty One"), on Long Island.

Our other visits by phone would inevitably start with....."Will you accept the charges for a collect obscene phone call from New Hampshire " .... to which Gerry would respond... "Absolutely"

I am so grateful for my lasting friendship with Bob, and extend my deepest sympathies to the Vachon family, Bob's cousins, and friends.

**Donald Tosti** - August 02, 2020 at 10:34 AM

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“ Bob was one of the most amazing men I have had the pleasure of meeting. We first met bright and early for an 8 am class; my very first class as a business major. Kind, supportive and ever the jokester, Bob took time to get to know every one of his students.

Even after not having him for more than an online course for two years, returning to his classroom, he remembered one of the most important things in my life. His first question to me was “how is Little Man?” The nickname my oldest dog has.

Bob, I can't thank you enough for being one of my professors. You helped me develop a foundation in my business career that I'm able to implement at my new job! I wish I could sit and talk to you about the nightmares of Excel I walked into. To tell you how much I appreciated your influence in my life.

Rest In Peace. You will be greatly missed



**Alyssa Kuhns** - July 30, 2020 at 10:58 AM

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“ My condolences to Bob's family and all his friends. What a kind and humorous soul he was. My late husband and I both had the pleasure of working with him at Hesser College. Both of us felt tremendous respect for his teaching and wisdom....  
S Stephanie

**S Stephanie** - July 29, 2020 at 10:31 AM

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“ I had the honor of working with Bob for 15 years at Hesser College. He was an amazing man and loved by all. My favorite memory of Bob was me harassing him for his graduate's PPWs so I can confer their degrees. I told him I wasn't leaving his office without them. Bob will always be remembered and will hold a special place in my heart forever.

**Tracy Smith** - July 29, 2020 at 06:40 AM

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“ Soon after our graduation from BG, Bob went off to college in Vermont while I went to school in Boston and then to Illinois. So, we did not see each other during the time we matured as young men. He is one of a small group of people whom I very much wanted to see at the 50th reunion. Luckily, Bob was there and we had a chance to reconnect even though it was all over so quickly. Bob had been one of my classmates at the Brother's school on Vine Street. One of my favorite possessions is an old black and white photo of eighth grade graduation day with Dan Riendeau (close friend), me, Bob, and Wayne Byron (my cousin). Bob was a great young man. I believe everyone who came to know him in his adult life also felt that way about him. I always admired and respected Bob.

Colin Letendre  
BGHS 1967

Colin Letendre - July 28, 2020 at 02:57 PM

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“ I first met Bob and his parents through the Bishop Guertin Alumni Association, circa 1990. He gifted me with his CD by "The Men of Substance", and that phrase has been with me ever since. Clearly your teaching career reflects a Man of Substance. Rest in peace Bob.  
Bob Hawking  
Teacher, Bishop Guertin High School

Bob Hawking - July 27, 2020 at 02:44 PM

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“ I had Professor Bob for multiple classes during my time at Rivier. Quick to crack a joke, he was always fun to work with and loved to come up with little nicknames for everyone. He was kind, caring, and always willing to put in extra time with his students. Above all, he loved to talk about the beautiful wife he missed so much.

He will be missed by his students and the Rivier community.

Brilie "Ballet" Dunigan

Brilie Dunigan - July 27, 2020 at 10:28 AM

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“ You came into our lives through my dear sister Kimmie in the early 70's. She kept talking about a boy that shared her birthday. His name was Bob. It wasn't long after that that she decided to share the rest of her life with you. You entertained us with your guitar, made us laugh, and a good sport when you occasionally lost at cribbage. You were definitely the king of Trivial Pursuit except on questions concerning nature or medicine.  
You've touched so many people over your life, but especially ours.  
You'll be missed.  
Love from the Fountain family,  
" La Belle" Claudette Vachon Fountain, Harry, Nathan and Ian

Claudette Fountain - July 27, 2020 at 08:49 AM

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“ Way back in the day I was a newly appointed department chair at Hesser College. I had no idea what I was doing, but Bob befriended me.

There were days when it seemed like everything was on fire, but Bob would just smile and remind me that we were there to teach students. Everything else was just noise.

I learned a lot from Bob over the years . . . probably more than he realized. Most of all he taught me to be kind . . . and patient . . . and to treat people with respect and dignity, even when they were being knuckleheads :)

And he made me laugh. A lot.

Rest in peace, my friend.

Todd Slover

Todd Slover - July 27, 2020 at 08:06 AM

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“ Pretty sure my UB introduced me to the Beatles. I still have his cassette tape in my car and "Get Back" is my ultimate favorite jam. Not because of The Beatles and all their glory but because his voice during the "Get back/get back/get back to where you once belonged." It wasn't raspy, and I don't know how to articulate music, but he made that song amazing in my heart and whenever I hear it on the radio I decide every time to play the cassette because his version was better. Way way better.

Tuna Fruna - July 26, 2020 at 10:35 PM

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“ Teachers remember their students for various reasons. I remember Bob for all the right reasons. It was a pleasure. Rest in peace, Big Guy.

Maurice Trottier

Maurice Trottier - July 26, 2020 at 08:38 PM

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“ There are so many memories with my Uncle Bob. He was always joyful and making jokes to make my sisters and I laugh. From my earliest memories as a child, sitting on his and my Auntie Kim's porch, playing his guitar, to spending holidays together and playing games. My uncle first introduced me to the guitar, he'd always be playing. One of his favorite times is when I grabbed my toy guitar and asked him if he "wanted to jam!". He brought me to the store to get my very own when I was teen and I've been playing ever since, that day holds a strong place in my heart. UB! I still remember how to play the rhythm guitar part to The Ventures "Walk don't run", which was our first jam together :).

Thank you so much UB, you were always so kind and loving and you will be missed

XO  
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Peter Vachon - July 26, 2020 at 05:38 PM

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“ Visits from Uncle Bob and Aunt Kim were our absolute favorites. As kids I remember my parents, Uncle Bob and Aunt Kim playing Trivial Pursuit and the dining room table. They'd be laughing and cutting up. We would always stay up late and try to sneak some extra time with the adults. My sister mentioned his soft shirts - they truly were the softest things I have no idea how they got that way but I remember asking for one to use as a sleeping shirt (as every cool kid in the 90s did haha) it was blue with white stripes I think. How funny a thing to remember? Uncle Bob and Aunt Kim would spend every Christmas at our home - Each had a stocking on the fireplace our AK and UB. UB would always sit by the piano on the bench - his spot- and join the fun. He was super witty and quick with a joke. UB loved to play guitar - it was awesome to watch him. (Probably one of the reasons my brother took it up.) I remember he recorded us a cassette tape of songs that my brother, sister and I would listen to it on repeat. How sweet is that? Especially in a time where tech doesn't easily allow someone to crate something like that - he made us our very own special mix tape. One of the songs that sticks out in my mind is 'Get Back' by the Beatles.

UB always made us feel loved. We're so lucky for that. Missing you UB, say 'hi' to AK for us.

XO  
Your French Fry

Jessica Vachon Romano - July 26, 2020 at 05:15 PM

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“ UB,  
I'll always remember you sitting on the piano bench at Christmas crackin' jokes with some situational sidebar comedy. You are incredibly intelligent and I wish I could have learned more from you. I'll miss hugging you and your perfectly soft dark blue pull over sweatshirt. I know Aunty Kim will be happy to give you one for me. I love you and I miss you. The piano bench will forever be yours.

Your Tuna Fruna

kelsey - July 26, 2020 at 02:25 PM

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“ Uncle Bob and Kim would spend most Christmases at The Vachon home . Bob would enjoy watching his nieces and nephew rip open the gifts . We would play family games (Bob was a wiz at Trivial Pursuit) around the dining room table and laugh and tell stories. He loved his music and his share of guitars with his nephew Peter. He was there for all of the kids graduations and never forgot a Christmas. One of our fondest memories was when we had a family "reunion " in Kennebunk in a big beautiful home at Christmas. This was the last Christmas we would spend with Kim. I'm sure she is smiling because she now has her "Bobby"

The Vachon Family  
Pete, Suzanne, Jessica , Peter, and Kelsey



**Suzanne Vachon** - July 26, 2020 at 12:22 PM

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“ Bob, was a "true" friend of mine for "many" years while teaching at Rivier. I will always remember him as someone who never blamed people but challenged us to stand-up and make a difference. He lived his life on the playing field of life and was never one content to just sit in the stands and observe and complain.

I will miss him dearly...

Dr. Burt Reynolds

**Burt Reynolds** - July 24, 2020 at 04:02 PM

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“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



**Ronald** - July 24, 2020 at 01:47 PM