



Robert L. Sampson

April 9, 1930 - April 13, 2016

Ipswich, MA – Robert L. Sampson, 86, formerly of Ipswich, Mass., died Wednesday, April 13, 2016 at Colonial Poplin Nursing Home in Fremont, NH.

He was born in Portland, ME April 9, 1930 a son of the late Lewis H. and Anna (Mulkern) Sampson.

Raised in Portland, he graduated from Portland High School with the Class of 1948 and received his Bachelor degree from Gorham State Teachers College, Gorham, ME and his Masters degree from Salem State College in Salem, Mass. He was a member of the National Science Foundation at Ohio State University and was a veteran of the Korean Conflict serving with the US Navy.

Mr. Sampson taught science at the elementary and high school level within the Gloucester school system for 35 years retiring in 1992. He moved to Ipswich in 2002 coming from Gloucester.

He was a member of the National Science Teachers Association, Order of St. Luke the Physician, was active with the Boy Scouts of America for over 40 years and enjoyed fresh water fishing.

He was the husband of the late Elizabeth B. “Betsy” Sampson who predeceased him in 2012.

Family members include his son, Timothy B. Sampson and wife Nicole Legendre of Fremont, NH, three grandchildren, Micaela, Hannah and Jessica, his brother, Walter A. Sampson and wife Edna of Nordheim, TX, brother in law Irv Morris and wife Ellie of Simsbury, CT, his niece, Julia Morris Ogden and husband Stephen and two great nephews, Malcolm and Christopher.

A graveside service will be held at 11 A.M. Saturday, April 23, 2016 in the West View Cemetery, Hampton Falls, NH. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Most Holy Trinity Monastery, 67 Dugway Road, Petersham, MA 01366. Arrangements are by the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory,

Cemetery Details

West View Cemetery

Hampton Falls, NH

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

West View Cemetery
Hampton Falls, NH

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert L. Sampson*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *We were sorry to learn of Bob's passing. We enjoyed our visits to Wolfeboro and getting to know him. We had many good times at The Windrifter. He was a brilliant man and wonderful conversationalist. He adored his family. With sincere sympathy,
George and Dolores Stieper*

Dolores Stieper - April 24, 2016 at 03:00 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I have many fond memories of Bob.*

Natalie Gaudet - April 22, 2016 at 09:25 AM



“ *LOVE ALWAYS; TIM, NICOLE, MICAELA, HANNAH, JESSICA SAMPSON purchased the Divine Light for the family of Robert L. Sampson.*



LOVE ALWAYS; TIM, NICOLE, MICAELA, HANNAH, JESSICA SAMPSON - April 21, 2016 at 11:29 AM

KB

“ *To the Sampson family,*

I was lucky enough to have Mr. Sampson as my 7th grade science teacher at O'Maley Middle School. He opened my eyes to science...and to the process of critical thinking skills. I am so grateful to him for making science so very exciting and fun; and eventually a higher education and career choice.

With my deepest condolences, Kelly-Ann Geraghty Buszek

Kelly Buszek - April 20, 2016 at 10:59 AM



“ *Su Mnewk lit a candle in memory of Robert L. Sampson*



Su Mnewk - April 20, 2016 at 08:03 AM



“ *Mr. Sampson was the first teacher I ever had who taught me to really think. The first day of advanced biology, he asked the class, "What is life?" Of course none of us had the correct answer that day but he was patient and waited until we worked it out and was so pleased when we did! He was so kind and really listened, I think of him frequently and am so sorry for the loss.*

Please accept my sincere sympathies, he was a wonderful teacher and he will not be forgotten.

Su Mnewk - April 20, 2016 at 08:02 AM

RS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I had Mr.Sampson for a teacher in Jr. High School and High School. He was one of my favorite teachers.

Rick Shatford - April 19, 2016 at 03:48 PM

CW

“ Dear Timothy and Family,
I was very fortunate to not only have Mr. Sampson as a teacher but as a colleague at O'Maley. He was always sincere and helpful. He was a good man and I am a better person for having known him.
Please accept my condolences for your loss.
Sincerely,
Cindi Williams

Cindi Williams - April 19, 2016 at 03:17 PM

KW

“ Mr. Sampson was my favorite teacher at the Central Grammar school in Gloucester back in the 60s he was a very kind man and he will be missed by all

Kathy "Swinson" Williams - April 19, 2016 at 09:35 AM

DA

“ Tim and family, sorry for your loss. Bob was a nice guy and was a fixture in our city for many years. always remember his by scout days of giving his free time to others. Rest in peace Bob, you will be missed.
God Speed
Dana & Lola Aptt
Gloucester, Ma.

Dana & Lola Aptt - April 19, 2016 at 05:18 AM