


AN IRISH BLESSING

May the road rise up to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
The rains fall soft upon your fields.
And until we meet again,
May God hold you in the palm of His hand.

RECEPTION

Reception immediately following services at: 
Benicia Veterans Memorial Hall
150 1st Street
Benicia, CA 94510

MEMORIAL
CONTRIBUTION

In remembrance of Rob's life, the family asks that any charitable
donations be made to Northgate.
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Celebrating
THE LIFE OF



ROBERT WAYNE "ROB" CLINE

January 1, 1949 - November 15, 2024

"Absolutely nothing better than sailing"

*To all who did accept him and believe in him, he gave the
right to become children of God. -John 1:12*

Service: Saturday, 18th of January, 2025 at 11:00 AM
Northgate: 2201 Lake Herman Road, Benicia, CA 94510

O B I T U A R Y

Robert Wayne Cline was born on January 1, 1949, and passed away on November 15, 2024, after a lengthy struggle with dementia.

Rob grew up in the family home in Novato, California. He was the oldest of five children. Early on Rob showed that, in addition to excelling in academics, he had a flair for music. His love for music lasted his entire life. Rob was a superb singer, guitar and trumpet player. Rob and his youngest sister, Kelley, even recorded an original song called "Christopher's Song" in 1998. After high school, Rob attended Pacific Lutheran University in Washington State before finally settling into a job with Pacific Bell Telephone Company. He was married to Keeta (Kirwin) Watson and together had two daughters, Shannon and Erin. Later Rob met and married the love of his life, Wendy Zeier. Together just short of forty years, their lives were filled with the many joys of family, church, music, and boating.

Rob loved sailing and spent many years captaining sailboats, mostly on San Francisco Bay. Wendy and Rob also enjoyed water skiing and their vacations at Clear Lake. Rob's children and grandchildren, along with the children of many others, first mastered water skiing – Rob in the water with them and Wendy driving the boat. Rob's later years were spent in their home in Benicia, California. Their beautiful home was a great location for quick and easy access to their sailboat moored at the Benicia Marina. They participated in many "cruise outs" around the Bay Area, and even a trip down the coast of California and Baja California to Cabo San Lucas and up into the Sea of Cortez. It was his "Great Adventure!" Rob could often be found happily working on the boat tied up at the dock. He took great pride in maintaining a shipshape boat, ready to sail at a moment's notice.

Rob loved being around people and helping others, whether there were things that needed to be done at the church, helping a neighbor, or helping another sailor on the dock or 'stuck in the mud,' he was always first to offer a hand. In the end, Rob's joy came from the dedication, love, and constant care given by his wife, Wendy, assisted by his younger brother Tim. He treasured the good times with all his family, but especially his two daughters and three grandchildren.

Rob is preceded in death by his parents, Bea and Ken Cline, and his sister, Kelley Bonn. He is survived by his wife, Wendy Cline, his brothers, Mike Cline and Tim Cline (Kathy) and his sister, Colleen Caldwell (Scot), his two daughters – Shannon Brock (Kevin) and Erin Wilsey (Brian), his three grandchildren – Joshua Lemme, Hannah Corsen and Samantha Wilsey, as well as many nieces and nephews. Rob will be deeply missed, and his memory will forever hold a special place in the hearts of his family and friends. Thank you, God, we appreciate the time we had with Rob.

O R D E R O F S E R V I C E

WELCOME
Pastor Ken Jensen

PRAYER
Pastor Ken Jensen

OBITUARY
Shannon Brock (Daughter) & Erin Wilsey (Daughter)

SONG
"Goodness of God" - Performed by Toby Belisle & Charlotte Payne

SHARING
Michael Cline (Brother) - Reading 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

SHARING
Wendy Cline (Bride)

SONG
"Welcome Home" - Performed by Tim Cline (Brother)

HOMILY
Pastor Ken Jensen

LIFE IN PICTURES

BLESSING
Pastor Ken Jensen

T H A N K Y O U

Thank you for sharing in the celebration of Rob's life.
Our whole family appreciates the support.

The Cline Family