



Robert "Bob" J. Carroll

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Robert J. Carroll. (Bob), 81, a long-time resident of North Andover, MA, passed away unexpectedly at Prescott House, North Andover, on the morning of May 1, 2025.

He was born in Lawrence on June 3, 1943, son of the late Francis and Olivia (Mello) Carroll. He grew up in North Andover and graduated from North Andover High School where he was on the track team, the wrestling team and the football team.

After graduating from high school, he worked at Raytheon in Andover and later went on to serve in the U.S. Air Force for 4 yrs. He was stationed at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas and spent the rest of his time serving as a medic in the Azores.

Upon his return he worked as the nighttime admitting officer at the Lawrence General Hospital and later went on to work as a postal letter carrier for the North Andover and Lawrence Post Offices where he was employed for over 30 years. He married Donna (Blanchette) whom he has been married to for over 51 years

Anyone who knew Bob knew that he was an avid Red Sox fan as well as being a Patriots fan. He was one of the originators of St. Michael's 1000 club and more recently belonged to St. Michael's Mens Group.

He also volunteered at St. Theresa's Church, Methuen and later put up chairs for his home at Sutton Pond, North Andover. (He proudly called himself the chairman of the Social Committee).

He was predeceased by his 4 siblings, the late Francis Carroll, the late William Carroll, the late Rite Claire (Carroll) Maglione and the late Olivia (Carroll) Runge.

He is survived by his wife, Donna, as well as several nieces and nephews. A funeral mass will be celebrated in his name on Thursday, May 8, 2025, at 11:30AM at St. Michael Church, 196 Main St.



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North Andover, MA.

A rite of committal will follow at the Immaculate Conception Cemetery in Lawrence, MA. Friends and family are invited to call on Wednesday, May 7, 2025, from 5:00PM to 7:00PM at the John Breen Memorial Funeral Home Inc. 35 Merrimack St. North Andover, MA.



Events

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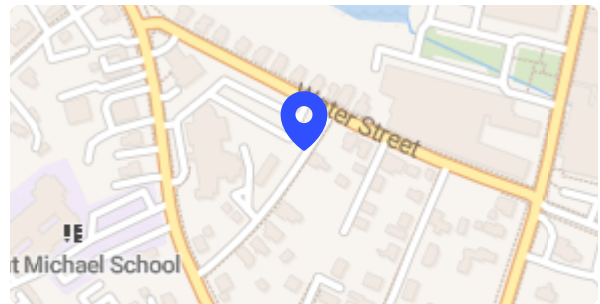
Calling Hours

Wednesday, May 7, 2025

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET

John Breen Memorial Funeral Home, Inc. - North Andover

35 Merrimack St., North Andover MA 01845



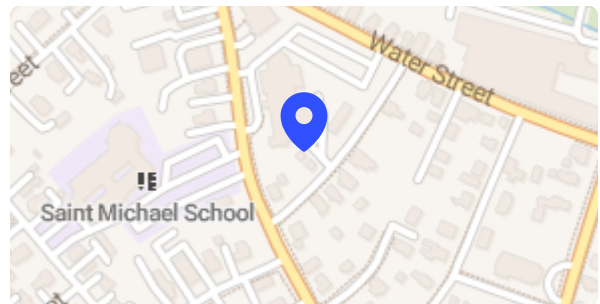
Funeral Mass

Thursday, May 8, 2025

11:30 AM ET

St Michael's Parish

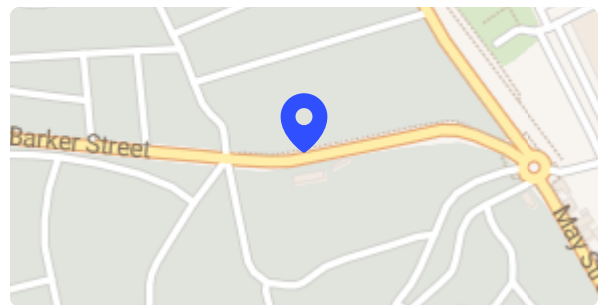
196 Main St, North Andover MA 01845-2509



Cemetery Details

Immaculate Conception Cemetery

29 Barker Street, Lawrence MA 01841





Tribute Wall

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Anonymous planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Robert "Bob".



May 9 at 6:59 AM



Anonymous sent a Heart Throw to the Carroll family.



May 9 at 6:59 AM



Glenn Dowling posted:

So sorry for your loss Donna. Bob was a good man and he will be missed

May 7 at 1:35 AM



Maglione Family Lyden, Washington sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Carroll family.



May 5 at 7:14 AM



John Lyons posted:

One of the most honorable guys in North Andover. His sister Olivia went to St. Mikes and NAHS with me. His brother Frankie was mentally disabled and could be found all over town (this was before special needs) and Bob would go to find him and bring him home. His great grandfather fought in the Civil War and while in the south he passed down time by picking up southern chestnuts and when he finally got home, he planted them around the town. Bob was a mailman and loved the job, played football for NAHS with the big 1957 championship . He was one of the only kids I ever saw stand up to the nuns when he saw mistreatment. Fellow member of the Holy Name, The Men's Prayer group. He would always stop to talk to me whenever he saw me working outside. Bobby was a good friend and I'll miss him a lot. John Lyons

May 4 at 5:41 AM



Jeannie Card May 7 at 11:22 AM

I'll miss bumping into Bob frequently in the hallways at Sutton Pond. He was so good about exercising his legs! I'll miss him.



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May 3 at 12:25 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Robert "Bob" by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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