



# Robert Hawkins

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**R**obert J. Hawkins, 85, loving husband of Patricia Hawkins died at home on September 15, 2010. He was born March 27, 1925. He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, James and Donald. He is survived by a sister, Mary Lou O'Connor; nine children, Jim, Bob, Bill, Steve, Ed, Chris, Pete, Mary and Dan; numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He served in the Marines and Navy during WWII and earned a purple heart. He received his undergraduate degree from Alfred University and a masters degree from Ohio University. He worked as a ceramic engineer and was a professor at Hocking College. He was very active in the community. The catholic church was an extremely important part of Bob's life. He was a deacon and a member of the Knights of Columbus. He was a member of the Rotary for many years. He was a Fellow of the American Ceramic Society. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: St. Therese Catholic Church, PO Box 3520 North Fort Myers, Florida 33918 and Hope Hospice, 9470 Health Park Circle, Fort Myers, Florida 33908. A viewing will be held on Saturday from 4:00 to 6:00PM at Fort Myers Memorial Garden Funeral Home. The funeral will be held on Sunday at 2:00pm at St. Therese Catholic Church in North Fort Myers.



## Tribute Wall

**Robert Hawkins**

AM

**Ann Mason** posted:

Dear Patricia and Family: I want to share my condolences on the passing of your Husband, father, grand-father and great-Grandfather. He was a great man, and a someone I didn't only call Professor, but also Friend. He was my faculty adviser at Hocking College and we developed a friendship during my time there that stretched on into my professional career. He really did care about his students and his program. He will be deeply missed by one and all.

September 29 at 1:55 PM

GJ

**Gail Jordan** posted:

Pat and family, The world has lost a very good man. When he was at Hocking College, he was like a father to his students and he was a tremendous mentor to those who worked for him. My condolences, Gail Jordan

September 23 at 12:06 PM

RK

**Ruth And Alan Knipe** posted:

Dear Pat, Ruth and Alan send our prayers and condolences to you and family in this time of personal loss. We will always remember Bob as one ready to help in any way possible. Our Prayers and sympathy, Ruth and Alan

September 19 at 6:00 AM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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