



Roger Francis Demers Jr.

July 14, 1953 - November 13, 2021

Roger F Demers Jr of Grasonville, MD died on November 13, 2021. He was 68 years old.

Born on July 14, 1953, in Massachusetts to Roger F Demers Sr and Mary (Ricci) Demers, he tried to fill his life with as much adventure as possible. He joined the USAF, learned to fly, travelled the world, built friendships, worked hard/played hard, discovered love, unfortunately found loss, learned to captain a boat, took on the lifestyle of an RVer, and became the patriarch of a crazy family.

The best part of having Roger in our lives was that he was always ready to have fun. Whether it was listening to a band at his favorite bar, setting off fireworks in the middle of the night (much to his neighbor's chagrin), terrorizing the roads on his electric bike, or just telling stories into the wee hours of the morning, Roger was the life of the party. He made so many connections from so many different aspects of his life. To be his friend meant you were special because he was not a fleeting moment but rather a way of life.

He and Susan showed the rest of us how to do life right. He didn't believe in being given anything, so he worked hard to become successful and when the time came to retire, he and Susan said they were buying a RV to travel the country and they didn't care what anyone else thought. Never ones to be idle, that's exactly what they did: packed up the RV and set out on the road with no real plan or direction (for the first times in their lives) and discovered a whole world and we were just lucky enough to get a glimpse.

He is predeceased by his love, Susan and his brother, David. He is survived by his brother Michael Ricci of AZ and several nieces and nephews as well as his extended family: Patricia Scheirer of PA, Josh Brumley of PA, Mary Erickson of SC, Alysia Lombard (Kenny) of VA and multiple grandchildren. He is also survived by his "family": The Woolford Family, his Sigsbee Shuffle partners-in-crime, and so many more.

A celebration of life will be held in Grasonville, MD on December 5, 2021 starting at 2 pm.

Comments



“ One of my earliest and fondest memories of Roger:
He & Susan had just moved into the Grasonville house. Susan went to bed leaving Roger and I to our own devices. First mistake! Because we are grown children with access to copious amounts of alcohol we decided it was a good idea to set off fireworks in the backyard at 3 in the morning. We were giggling like school children and trying to tell the other to “shhhh, you’ll wake Susan” but of course at the decibel reserved for aircraft runways. We almost set two trees on fire but finally wandered off to bed. I fell asleep on the floor of the then unfinished sunroom. Two hours later I am awoken by an extremely unhappy Susan (by her kicking me of course) and she was demanding that I get up and go clean the yard of every single piece of paper and stick from our “escapades” from the night before. She apparently was woken by a phone call from the neighbor who told her that her idiot family was setting off fireworks and caused them to fall out of bed and hurt themselves. She was so pi\$\$ed! Needless to say, that became a tradition for Roger and now fireworks will only be used for evil.

Patty Scheirer - November 23, 2021 at 06:20 AM