



Robert Duane Hastings, Jr.

July 17, 1960 - February 13, 2026

It is with deep sadness that we announce the passing of Robert D. Hastings Jr., who passed away on February 13, 2026, surrounded by his loving family. He was born on July 17, 1960, in East Cleveland, Ohio, to Robert D. Hastings Sr. (“Red”) and Margaret Joanne Hastings (“Peggy”)(née Whetsel).

Bob with several affectionate nicknames such as “Zeke” and “World” was a devoted father, grandfather, and family man whose greatest joy was spending time with those he loved—especially his grandchildren. He is survived by his cherished children, Nicole Hastings (Jeremy) and Robert D. Hastings III (Rosa). He was a proud and loving grandfather to Jayden and Kylie Porter, who will miss their beloved “Pap Pap” dearly. He is also mourned by Char, Kelly Lunato (Donny Ledford), Richard Szabo, and Caleb Ledford, along with many extended family members, including an Aunt, Uncle, Nieces, and friends, especially his lifelong friend Eddie Gvora.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, Robert D. Hastings Sr. (“Red”) and Margaret Joanne

Hastings ("Peggy"), and by his sister, Cynthia L. Smith.

Bob had a larger than life personality and was truly known as the life of the party. Wherever he went, laughter, music, and fun followed. He loved watching football and was a diehard Pittsburgh Steelers fan. An excellent athlete, Bob grew up racing motocross/dirt bikes and carried that competitive spirit throughout his life. He especially enjoyed golfing with family from Pennsylvania and Columbus, creating countless memories on and off the course.

A passionate music lover, Bob was an avid fan of The Temptations and Motown, and he loved nothing more than dancing, celebrating, and partying with his family and cousins when they came in from out of town. His energy, excitement, and love for life made every gathering brighter, and his presence will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Family and friends are invited to attend visitation on Thursday, February 19, 2026, from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at Monreal Srnick Funeral Home, located at 35400 Curtis Boulevard, Eastlake, Ohio. A funeral service will be held on Friday, February 20, 2026, at 11:00 a.m., also at Monreal Srnick Funeral Home, followed by interment at Mentor Cemetery. Robert's memory will live on through the laughter he shared, the music he loved, and the family he cherished.

Cemetery Details

Mentor Cemetery

6881 Hopkins Road
Mentor, OH 44060

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **19**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Monreal Srnick Funerals & Cremations
35400 Curtis Blvd.
Eastlake, OH 44095

Memorial Service

FEB **20**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Burial

FEB **20**. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JD

“ Lisa and I send our condolences. 🌸
We did not know Bob for a very long time but he was a nice guy and will be missed.
Love, Joe and Lisa

Joseph Dusi - February 19 at 01:21 PM

JJ

“ Jeanne's Joynt purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Robert Duane Hastings, Jr..



Jeanne's Joynt - February 18 at 10:53 PM

CM

“ I don't know what to say honey. we shared 26 years together and was so hoping that would continue. God had other plans for you honey. i am so lost without you.. I can't make decisions without you but I am trying. Babe the outpouring of love that I have received is amazing. I will get thru this somehow honey but I want you to know that I will be surrounded with friends and family. that all loved you too.
I will love you forever Bob.

I love you so much,

All my love, Char.

Charlene Madry - February 18 at 08:46 PM

JA

Char, your message was beautiful. Love you. Hugs

Janette - February 19 at 12:25 AM

LR

Char, I will miss Bobby dearly. You both were so very special in my life. My prayers and love go out to you and Bobby's family. Some of my best memories are "Bobby and Char" moments! 💕💕💕 much love, peace and light..

Lisa Rapinz - February 19 at 02:38 PM

UA

“ *Uncle Tony & Angela purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert Duane Hastings, Jr..*



Uncle Tony & Angela - February 18 at 06:37 PM

NJ

“ *I don't even know how to start this because there is so many memories and stories. Bobby is one of a kind in so many different ways. Never had a bad time with him. From playing quarters with pitchers of beer to drinking some moonshine. Listening to Hank and singing like fools to watching a football game. I got to work a few times with Bobby. The one time he came to help me out with a job pouring footers. It didn't go so well for wheelbarrow Hastings that day. The whole wheelbarrow full of concrete ended up in the footer trench that day. We got it out laughing the whole time. Then of course we stopped for a cold one and a shorty. From afternoons at club garage A.K.A Boz's garage drinking beer and telling stories. Never had a dull moment. Rest easy Bobby*

Neal Helmick Jr - February 17 at 09:44 PM



My condolences to you and your family. Love Jojo

Josie - February 18 at 07:18 PM