

Robert S. "Favas" Riggin
May 9, 2019

Robert S. "Favas" Riggin, 50, of Fairhaven, passed away Thursday, May 9, 2019, at St. Luke's Hospital, in New Bedford, after a long illness.

Born in New Bedford, son of Charlene (Vieira) Riggin and the late Kenneth Riggin, he was a lifelong resident of the town and graduate of Fairhaven High School. Favas was a scalloper for many years on various area vessels.

He is survived by his mother; his beloved companion, Joanne; three sisters, Dawn Riggin of New Bedford, Julie Costa and her husband Derek and Amy DaSousa and her companion Mike Perry all of Fairhaven; six nieces and nephews, Chandler and Cordelia DaSousa, Nicole "Boo" Nunes, Felicity "Boo" Pacheco, Zachary Zykowicz and Allie Costa; a great aunt, Lula Wareing of New Bedford and uncle, Earl Rogers of Fairhaven; also cousins, Susan and Leo Ledoux of Dartmouth.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Saturday, May 18, 2019, at 9:30AM in St. Joseph's Church, in Fairhaven. Calling hours are omitted and interment will be private. Arrangements are by the Fairhaven Funeral Home, 117 Main St., Fairhaven.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the ASPCA, P.O. Box 96929, Washington, DC 20090-6929.

Events

MAY 18	Funeral Mass	09:30AM
	St. Joseph Church	
	74 Spring St., Fairhaven, MA, US, 02719	

Comments



Christy Guillotte lit a candle in memory of Robert S. "Favas" Riggin



Christy Guillotte - May 19 at 10:25 AM



66 My Sincere Sympathy to Favas Family Christy Guillotte - May 19 at 10:26 AM



66 Ricky Fryer lit a candle in memory of Robert S. "Favas" Riggin



Ricky fryer - May 17 at 01:40 PM



Melanie Medeiros lit a candle in memory of Robert S. "Favas" Riggin



Melanie Medeiros - May 17 at 06:04 AM



66 May he Rest in Peace never met Robert but I knew his Dad and his Mom Sorry for your loss Charlene Judy (Olson) Moniz



Thank you so much Judy hope all is well with you Charlene - May 19 at 07:42 PM



Mary Dias lit a candle in memory of Robert S. "Favas" Riggin



Mary Dias - May 14 at 04:45 PM



Tammy (Charpentier) Eichelberger lit a candle in memory of Robert S. "Favas" Riggin



Tammy (Charpentier) Eichelberger - May 14 at 04:38 PM



I went to school with Favas all the way from elementary to high school. He always knew how to make someone laugh. The last time I seen him was about 15 years ago at the Portuguese Feast with a snake wrapped around his shoulders lol and he came right up to me and gave me a hug and was friendly as ever. We had a shot together for old times. I told him that I moved from MA to SC and he said he was going to come visit SC one day. Favas was a great guy with a big heart and he will not be forgotten. RIP my friend and the shot will be on me the next time we meet.

Tammy (Charpentier) Eichelberger - May 14 at 04:38 PM



My deep and heartfelt sympathies and prayers, go out to the Riggin family, at this sad time Bobby was such a happy person to be around. He will be greatly missed by so many. Another angel, gone too soon. May God rest his precious soul, and may he rest in peace, until we all meet again. Love, Mary Dias