

Roger Santos Baylon 1938-2023

Roger Santos Baylon of Inverness, Florida, age 85, passed away October 10, 2023.

Roger was born February 24, 1938 in the Philippines to Francisco and Mamerta (Santos) Baylon. He and his family emigrated to the Chicago area, and he and his wife eventually retired to Inverness. He enjoyed fishing, gardening, and singing in his church choir. Folks could count on him to give his rendition of "My Way" at any karaoke event. Roger always looked forward to participating in the Hernando United Methodist Men's Group fish fry. He was a long-time volunteer at Citrus Memorial Hospital, where he cheerfully greeted visitors and delivered flowers to patients.



Roger is survived by his daughters Mer Baylon and Roda (Tod) Farrell, granddaughters Elisa (Garrett) Wilson and Bailey (Preston) Dunlap, grandson Connor (Erin) Farrell, two great-grandsons, and a great-granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife of 59 years, Idaisa, and his son, Isaac.

The family wishes to extend its heartfelt thanks to the staff at The Reserve at Citrus and Citrus Memorial Hospital. In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully suggests memorials to or volunteering at a local hospital, food pantry, or meal center to honor Roger's memory.

A celebration of life may be announced at a later time.

Arrangements are under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL.