



## Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif

June 6, 1929 - January 27, 2021

Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif, age 91, of Alpharetta, Georgia, formerly of Richlands, Virginia, passed away on January 27, 2021 in Alpharetta.

This obituary was written by me, Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif. I was born in West New York , New Jersey and moved to the great town of Richlands in August 1939 for most of the rest of my life.

I am survived by my beautiful wife of 70 years, Nona and my dear son Gregory and his husband, Jeffrey; dear in laws and ten beloved nephews and nieces and many great-nephews and nieces. I was the son of beautiful parents, Shukry and Evelyn Nassif who immigrated from the Republic of Lebanon and possessed a passionate love for the United States of America. As a Christian, I attended St. Mary's Catholic Church of the Holy Family Parish. It was my pleasure to honorably serve my country in the USAF during the Korean War for four years. My life was abundantly blessed and it was a genuine pleasure to live, work and be of service to my community and area in this beautiful part of Virginia. The love for God, my creator, my dear family, my country and the wonderful people of my community and area will always remain alive. Thanks to all who looked after my needs and for all the love and compassion.

Memorial contributions may be made to Good Samaritan Food Pantry – P.O.

Box 523 Richlands, Virginia 24641 or to the Southwest Virginia Community College Educational Foundation – P.O. Box 1101 Richlands, Virginia 24641. Memorial contributions may also be made to St. Mary's Catholic Church in care of St. Theresa's Catholic Church – 312 Tazewell Avenue Tazewell, Virginia 24651.

Memorial services for Bob and Nona Nassif will be conducted Tuesday, June 6, 2023 at 1pm at the Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery in Richlands, Virginia. Members of Casey-Shortt VFW Post #9640 will conduct military graveside rites.

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at [www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com](http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

JUN 6. 1:00 PM (ET)

Clinch Valley Memorial Cemetery  
3201 West Front Street/US 460  
Richlands, VA 24641

# Tribute Wall



“ *Judy West lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Nassif*



Judy West - June 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



“ *TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Nassif*



TonyanEdgar Wicks - June 05, 2023 at 10:45 AM



“ *Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *A Great, Great Man. He was always so good to our boys and to us. RIP Bob and prayers for the whole family. James and Roberta Ringstaff*

James & Roberta Ringstaff - February 04, 2021 at 04:15 PM

JM

“ I enjoyed working with Bob at the Good Samaritan Food Pantry in Richlands, Virginia. He was a wonderful, caring person who loved the Lord. May the Lord be with you all during this difficult time.  
Rev. Jackie Strickler McGowan

Jackie McGowan - February 04, 2021 at 02:31 PM

TM

“ Tom And Dot McGlothlin lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



Tom and Dot McGlothlin - February 04, 2021 at 10:25 AM

DV

“ Bob Nassif was one of the finest people I have ever met. He loved Blue Tornado Athletics and was always there to support our teams. I am blessed to have known him, prayers and condolences to the family.

Dennis Vaught - February 03, 2021 at 08:37 AM

DM

“ What a dear man. The kindness he showed me and my family was heart touching. Many times he would load me, my brother and Greg up and we would head out to the drive in movie or the Ponderosa for burgers. He was a great influence to his family his friends and his community. David Martin

David martin - February 03, 2021 at 08:22 AM

VP

“ *I am so sorry for your lose.*

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**Vanessa K Purdy** - February 02, 2021 at 03:23 PM

NC

“ *Bob was a good neighbor. He was a very sweet and kind man in our Orchards community and I will miss him. Prayers of comfort for all his family.*

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**Nancy Clark** - February 02, 2021 at 09:38 AM

FV

“ *Our community was certainly blessed to have had such a patrotic, loyal, caring and wonderful example of a true proud citizen of our community. May the memory of Bob Nassif and so many other wonderful citizens like him that have passed on live in the spirit of our community. Our condolence, thoughts and prayers for Nona and family.*



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**Frances & Pete Vance** - February 01, 2021 at 11:45 AM

KB

“ *Even though I never knew any of the family, this obit and all the meaningful condolences are a great tribute to the life of Mr. Nassif. May God comfort his family and friends with the memories of Mr. Nassif. What a meaningful life!*

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**Kattie D Blankenship** - January 31, 2021 at 11:48 AM

JB

“ Oh my, so sadden by this. Bob and Nona were 2 wonderful and loving people. I loved them dearly. Such a sweet loving couple and it did my heart good just to talk to them. Ms.Nona came to our Cardo Rehab at Clinch Valley Medical Center, and when Bob would come to pick her up, he always came in to say hi to me. I missed seeing them so much when they moved away from Richlands. RIP my dear friend, prayers for Ms. Nona, I know she feels lost. Prayers for the family.



Janet Baldwin - January 30, 2021 at 07:10 PM

KH

“ Ken & Effie Hicks lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



Ken & Effie Hicks - January 30, 2021 at 12:51 PM



“ TonyanEdgar Wicks lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



TonyanEdgar Wicks - January 30, 2021 at 08:30 AM

JV

“ *Bob Nassif, you will forever be remembered for your kindness to all, thank you! Sending my deepest sympathy to his family and friends. Judy P. VanDyke*



**Judy P VanDyke** - January 30, 2021 at 06:50 AM

DH

“ *I HOPE THE TOWN OF RICHLANDS WILL HONOR THIS MAN SOMEHOW FOR HIS BEYOND THE NATUAL REAL OF GIVING TO OTHERS WITH LOVE AND KINDNESS !*



**DAVID HORTON** - January 29, 2021 at 10:53 PM

BP

“ *Betsy And Sonny Plaster lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif*



**Betsy and Sonny Plaster** - January 29, 2021 at 10:29 PM

BN

“ *Bill & Vicki Nuckels lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif*



**Bill & Vicki Nuckels** - January 29, 2021 at 09:39 PM

JW

“ *Judy West lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif*



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**Judy West** - January 29, 2021 at 05:36 PM

CR

“ *Mr blue tornado you'll be missed sir...thanks for being a friend and aquantince at all local sports games here in richlands va...*



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**Christopher r Rogich** - January 29, 2021 at 03:49 PM

TJ

“ *Badjet and I were classmates in sixth grade. Our teacher would call on him a lot because he was quite a talker and would entertain the class with funny demeanor.*

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**Thurman Jackson** - January 29, 2021 at 02:11 PM

JS

“ *Jane Sizemore lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif*



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**Jane Sizemore** - January 29, 2021 at 01:47 PM

LA

“ *The Richlands Blue Tornado has lost one of its greatest supporters of all time. Remember the Ramrod's Homecoming float...with a giant size "athletic supporter" in the back of the truck? We'll also never forget the kindness and friendship (and sense of humor) with my Mother and Dad. Our losses; Heaven's gain. Love from Tom & Lara Addison*

Lara Addison - January 29, 2021 at 01:39 PM

SZ

*What a beautiful obituary. My heart cries for all, and celebrates such a wonderful man. With love, Susan Ziegler*

susan ziegler - January 31, 2021 at 12:15 AM

SS

“ *It was my pleasure to have Bob Nassif and his parents to be my first employers at the Economy Store during my senior year at Richlands High School) during the Christmas season. I worked for \$.50 per hour. What Bob taught me: "When a farmer walks in here with bibbed overalls on and mud on his boots and maybe a little tobacco in his mouth, make sure you are especially helpful, respectful and nice.....that man could buy me out. Never forgot that. From his mother (same day) she said, "Susie, when you earn \$10.00, you must save \$2.00,..... (Should have listened to that one) That family was always very kind to me.*



Susie Stevenson Shrader - January 29, 2021 at 12:35 PM

JS

“ Jackie Turyn Smith lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



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**Jackie Turyn Smith** - January 29, 2021 at 11:38 AM

PS

“ My Condolences to all the family.



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**Peggy SPARKS** - January 29, 2021 at 11:30 AM

SL

“ Bob was a treasure and will be missed by many. I am proud and humbled to have called him a friend. Praying for peace and comfort for precious Nona and Gregory.

*Kenny and Susan Lowe*

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**Susan Lowe** - January 29, 2021 at 11:22 AM

JH

“ To the family, Bob was a great supporter of RHS Athletics . He would do anything for the students at RHS . He truly was Mr. Richlands. Jill and I will be keeping the family in our thoughts and prayers.

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**Jill & Sanders Henderson** - January 29, 2021 at 10:46 AM

KM

“ Kathy Mcvey lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



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**Kathy Mcvey** - January 29, 2021 at 10:38 AM

AW

“ Thank you Mr. Nassif. You served as a role model to so many students. You willingly gave your time and efforts to bring joy to others . I am forever blessed to know you.

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**Ann Walls** - January 29, 2021 at 09:13 AM

ME

“ When it was made public that I was going to be working at SWCC, the first call I received was from Bob. He always made one feel important and respected. What a gentleman. He will be missed...

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**mark estepp** - January 29, 2021 at 09:02 AM

NR

“ Nona and Gregory, thank you for sharing this special man with so many. Bob's smile and huge heart touched our world and made it a much better place. I was blessed to call him friend and honored that he was my tennis partner. Much love to you both.

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**Nina Rogers** - January 29, 2021 at 08:29 AM

JH

“ *Joyce Haynes lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif*



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**Joyce Haynes** - January 29, 2021 at 08:24 AM

AD

“ *I am extremely proud to say that Bob was my dear friend. It was not that I was special, but that he treated everyone as though they were his best friends. I truly believe when God created Bob that he gave him all the best qualities to serve mankind. From personal experiences, I know of his devotion to all of this area, and he truly earned the title, "Mr. Richlands." Nona, Gregory, and all the family, I share your grief, but I also rejoice that I had the privilege of knowing and loving such a wonderful man. May God give you strength and comfort in this difficult time.*



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**Anna Y. Damron** - January 29, 2021 at 08:16 AM

KH

“ *Karen Hale lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif*



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**Karen Hale** - January 29, 2021 at 06:45 AM

NH

“ Neal And Debbie Hunsaker lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



neal and debbie hunsaker - January 29, 2021 at 06:02 AM

HC

“ We are saddened to read of Bob's passing .He was such a wonderful person and a friend to everyone. He brought "Men's fashions" to Richlands. Our Prayers are with Nona and Greg and Bob's entire family. May they take comfort in many, many memories! God Bless you! Leon and Helen Vencill Custalow, Jerry Vencill and David Ascue

Helen Vencill Custalow - January 28, 2021 at 09:50 PM

KS

“ Katrina Saxton lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



Katrina Saxton - January 28, 2021 at 09:43 PM

JH

“ James & Ruby Harmon sent a virtual gift in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



James & Ruby Harmon - January 28, 2021 at 08:22 PM

NR

“ Norma Jewell Richardson sent a virtual gift in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



Norma Jewell Richardson - January 28, 2021 at 06:57 PM

PS

“ Pat Cooley Shamblin sent a virtual gift in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



Pat Cooley Shamblin - January 28, 2021 at 06:52 PM

BW

“ We love you, Bob.  
Brian, Kathy, Zoe, and Isa.

Brian Wright - January 28, 2021 at 06:31 PM

RH

“ Thanks Bob for all you did for our clan,always keep the boys and Rocky looking good over the years.You was the best,and will be missed.Prayers for the family.



Rocky&Pat Horton - January 28, 2021 at 06:27 PM



“ Carolyn Pyles lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



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**Carolyn Pyles** - January 28, 2021 at 05:04 PM

JS

“ Thinking of all the family celebrations shared with Bob. His humor and faith and strong love of family and friends will be remembered and missed.

*Jeffrey Sowder*



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**Jeffrey Sowder** - January 28, 2021 at 04:20 PM

JB

*Love this photo. 2 of my favorite people. Loved them both.*

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**Janet Baldwin** - February 01, 2021 at 10:12 PM

MH

“ Dear Family,

*Bob was a true gentleman. Kind, compassionate, and inspirational.  
You always felt uplifted after spending time with him; it was an  
honor to have known him.  
Our prayers for God's comfort and peace.*

*Mike and Virginia Hart*

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**Mike and Virginia Hart** - January 28, 2021 at 04:18 PM

KS

“ My deepest condolences for the family and  
many friends.  
Prayers of comfort and love



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**Kathy Sneed** - January 28, 2021 at 04:01 PM

NG

“ Norma Grace lit a candle in memory of Bahjet  
Joseph "Bob" Nassif



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**Norma Grace** - January 28, 2021 at 03:39 PM

AM

“ Anita McGlothlin-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



Anita McGlothlin-Gibson - January 28, 2021 at 03:35 PM

DA

“ RICHLANDS OWES A LOT TO THIS MAN .... A CITIZEN, GENTLEMAN, PATRIOT, GOD LOVING GIVING SOUL THAT MET NO STRANGERS OR ANYONE BENEATH HIM . HE GAVE MORE TO THE COMMUNITY THAN ANYONE WILL KNOW ! HE SURE LOVED RICHLANDS FOOTBALL AND DESERVES TO BE REMEMBERED AS A # 1 FAN ! HE HELPED BUILD RICHLANDS WITH THE GREAT " RAMROD STORE ." HIS WIFE WAS HIS EQUAL .....IF ONLY WE HAD MORE OF THESE PEOPLE IN RICHLANDS ! SAD TO SAY ....THESE KIND ARE DISAPPEARING IN THE U.S.A. I SALUTE BOB , YOU RAN A TREMENDOUS RACE FOR GOD , AND THE ONES THAT ARE ALIVE STILL REMEMBER YOU GREATLY ! THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICES MY FRIEND !



DAVID - January 28, 2021 at 02:33 PM

BJ

“ Bill And Naomi Joyce lit a candle in memory of Bahjet Joseph "Bob" Nassif



Bill and Naomi Joyce - January 28, 2021 at 02:11 PM