



## Robert D. Dalziel

March 26, 2015

Robert D. Dalziel, of Buck Hill Falls PA and Dataw Island, SC passed away peacefully on March 26, 2015, after an extended battle with prostate cancer. Born in Brooklyn, New York to George and Edythe Dalziel, Rob grew up in New Hyde Park on Long Island, and was a 1956 graduate of Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute (now NYU Poly), where he later served as a board member. After serving as an army officer, Rob joined New York Telephone, and later, its parent AT&T, serving as a senior officer both in Tehran, Iran, and Brussels, Belgium. He retired in 1991 as VP Global Networks. In retirement, Rob was an active volunteer and civic leader. He consulted for the US State Department on telecommunication in Kazakhstan and Ukraine. Rob was President of the Theodore Roosevelt Association for 5 years, and a board member of the Pine Knot Association, preserving TR's retreat near Charlottesville, VA. Rob was an active Rotarian both in Pinehurst, NC, and the Stroudsburgs of PA. He was also chair of the Stroudsburgs Rotary Foundation. In these roles he spearheaded international humanitarian projects in Nicaragua, Peru, and Haiti. In Buck Hill Falls, PA, Rob served as chair of the architectural review committee, and of Buck Hill Community Services. Similarly, when he lived in Green Pond, NJ, he was president of its resident corporation. He was also an avid singer- most recently enjoying barbershop singing in Beaufort, SC. Rob is survived by his loving wife and best friend of 58 years, Mary Lou Schulte Dalziel, as well as his son Bruce Dalziel and daughter in law Mary Dalziel of Morristown, NJ, along with their children Matthew and Suzanne, and daughter Nancy Ansman and son in law Brooke Ansman of Phillipsburg, NJ, along with their children Sam and Elena. He is also survived by his Brother Don Dalziel and his family in Oregon and Washington State, as well as his sister in law Marge Carroll and her family in New York state. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be sent to the Pine Knot Foundation, c/o Pala Beazley, Coleswood, 6198 Green Mountain Road, Esmont, VA 22937; or Buck Hill Community Services, PO Box 426, Buck Hill Falls, PA 18323, or the Stroudsburg Rotary Foundation, PO Box 365, Stroudsburg, PA 18360. Private cremation has been entrusted to Bolock Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc, Cresco, PA.

# Comments

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My condolences.

Rob was my first boss at New York Telephone. His wonderful spirit and guidance influenced my entire professional life. I had a few contacts with him over the years and his wonderful spirit never changed.

I remember his joy of driving his little car, maximizing his manual shifting, slipping in and out of traffic. That joy found its way into his work and his humanity and my years since 1963. He will be remembered.

Barry Howard (Barrycomputer@aol.com)

June 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

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Dear Mary: You may remember that some years ago my wife, Lisl, and I were guests of you and Rob in Brussels. I was then a lawyer representing ATT against Iran before the US-Iran Claims Tribunal, and Rob was the ATT officer I worked with. On one of our several days with you and Rob we all went to Waterloo and toured the battlefield.

My wife and I spend summers in Arundel, West Sussex, where the 200th anniversary of the battle of Waterloo is a major event. Last night we went to a special concert and commemoration of the battle, with the Hanover Band playing Beethoven at the Stationer's Hall in London. It was moving, and reminded both of us of the lovely time we had with you and Rob.

We decided that we would try to contact the two of you. Unfortunately I came across Rob's obituary and learned of his death less than three months ago.

Please accept our deepest condolences.

Lee Marks

June 19, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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Rest in God's peace, cousin Rob.

March 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM