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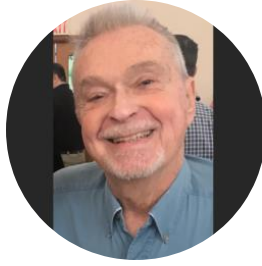


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## **Robert A Gramp**

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**R**obert A. Gramp, 87, of Bridgeton, NJ, passed away peacefully on April 12, 2025, surrounded by his loving family. A New Year's baby, he was born on January 1, 1938 to the late Eleanor (King) and Alfred Gramp in Atlantic City, NJ.

Robert lived a life defined by faith, family, learning, and music. A lifelong scholar and teacher, he received advanced degrees in mathematics and Biblical study from Virginia Tech, Temple University, and Westminster Theological Seminary. He went on to serve for ten years as the Pastor at Calvary Orthodox Presbyterian Church, and later brought energy and encouragement to many as a fitness instructor at the Vineland Center for Health & Fitness, where he taught aerobics classes. Never losing his passion for teaching and growing, Robert also taught at Cumberland Christian School before he eventually retired as a math teacher from Cumberland Regional High School.

An accomplished pianist and organist, Robert had a deep love for classical music and dark chocolate. He performed in many local concerts and loved playing the piano and organ at New Hope Presbyterian Church in Bridgeton. His curiosity and intellect led him to master several languages with particular enjoyment of both Hebrew and German. Robert also enjoyed the opportunity to travel, particularly to Hawaii, where he visited several times. Above all else, Robert cherished time with his family. He found his greatest joy in the company of his children and grandchildren.

Robert is survived by his six children: sons Thomas (Barb), Jonathan (Carol), and Timothy (Amy) Gramp; daughters Kimberly Jobes, Rachel Palumbo (Ken), and Mandy Waldron (Michael); and his grandchildren Ryan Gramp, Caelah Palumbo, Jovani Palumbo, Walter Pierce V, Aiden Waldron, Timothy Gramp Jr, Gilbert Gramp, Lucille Gramp, and Zachary Joyce.

Robert was predeceased by his parents, Alfred and Eleanor Gramp, and his two brothers, Douglas Gramp and Alfred Gramp Jr.



## Obituary

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A memorial service to honor Robert's life will be held Saturday, May 17, 2025 at 10AM at the New Hope Presbyterian Church located on 65 Hitchner Avenue in Hopewell Township

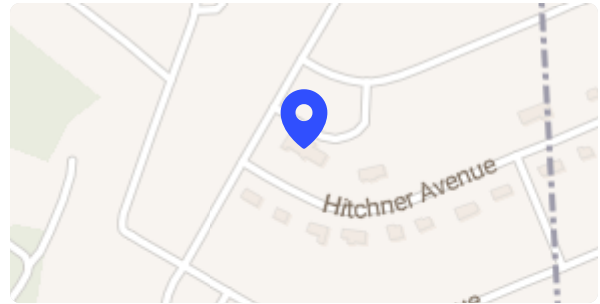


# Events

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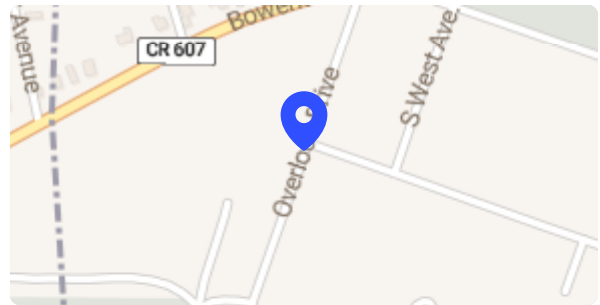
## Memorial Service

- Saturday**, May 17, 2025
- 10:00 AM ET
- New Hope Presbyterian Church**  
65 Hitchner Ave., Bridgeton NJ



## Cemetery Details

- Overlook Cemetery**  
100 Overlook Drive, Bridgeton NJ





# Tribute Wall

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**Rebecca Sabota** posted:

My deepest sympathy on Bob's passing. I had the privilege of being Bob's piano teacher for a while. I was understandably in awe of his amazing playing ability as well as his gift for bringing such beauty and depth to the piano masterpieces he played. In looking back over my piano lesson notes from 2016, I had written that Bob discovered a new passion for playing the works of Felix Mendelssohn that year. At the recital, he played, Mendelssohn's Fantasie Opus 16, #3 and you could have heard a pin drop. At the end of the recital, he was awarded the music studio's "Overall Musicianship Award." Bob excelled in so many aspects of music such as sight reading, piano technique, interpretation of style and musical expression. Yet with all his talent, I remember how he took the time to encourage my younger students. I know that it meant a great deal to them. At lessons, Bob would often talk about his family and it was so obvious that he loved his children and grandchildren very much. I can still see his face light up when he talked about you. I'm praying that God's peace will surround each of you during this time of loss.

June 2 at 1:34 PM



**Anonymous** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Robert.



May 11 at 2:50 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Gramp family.



May 11 at 2:50 PM



**Angela & Ron** planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Robert.



May 7 at 10:48 AM



**Angela & Ron** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Gramp family.



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**Denise Brown** posted:

My condolences to the family of Mr. Gramp. He was one of my favorite teachers at CRHS. Always caring and compassionate. This is a great loss. -Denise B.

April 26 at 7:41 AM



**Debby & Jillian Queripel** lit a candle in honor of Robert.



April 23 at 2:40 PM



**Sheri Huston Keyes** lit a candle in honor of Robert.

Jon, Carol and family, I'm sad to read of your dad's passing. My condolences to all of you.



April 22 at 10:31 AM



**Amanda (Crispo) Marguglio** lit a candle in honor of Robert.



April 21 at 4:32 AM



**Joan Boden** posted:

Rev. Gramp was a special man and one we will miss. I am so glad I had the privilege of knowing him. He was one of the kindest men I knew.

April 20 at 7:35 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Pink Tribute Spray to the Gramp family.



April 20 at 12:24 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Robert by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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