

Edward Bercume



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Obituary

Edward Bercume, age 79, of Plymouth, MA, passed away peacefully at home on Sunday December 5, 2021. Born in Spencer, MA on May 24, 1942, he was the son of the late Marshall and Rose (Frigon) Bercume. He attended David Prouty High School where his lifelong interest in music began. Upon graduation he enlisted in the US Air Force, serving from 1960-1964 - with deployments in Germany and Libya. Ed married the love of his life, Jeanne (Roy) Bercume, on September 23, 1961; and they were inseparable until her passing on September 3, 2020. Ed is survived by his loving family - daughter Malissa and her husband William Kenney of Plymouth, daughter Laurie and her husband James DelGarbino of Worcester, and son Jon and his wife Marie of Sandwich. He is the beloved grandfather of Shane Mullen and his wife Tabitha, Ethan Mullen, Zachary Mullen, Miranda DeBryun, Andrew Kenney and his wife Emma, Jon Bercume and Landon Bercume. Ed was further blessed with five great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his in-laws Suzanne Barnicle and her husband Timothy, and Carol Dowd and her husband Francis, and many nieces and nephews. During a long career as a Systems Analyst and Project Manager Ed was also employed by the City of Worcester, St. Gobain (formerly Norton Company), & Commerce Insurance - retiring to Plymouth in 2010. An accomplished musician, Ed performed with The Embertones while still in high school - releasing a single, I Remember, which is sometimes featured in Doo-Wop collections to this day. He played guitar, saxophone, piano, and drums. Eds many hobbies included furniture making, word carving and model building, often gifting projects to family members. A passionate aviation buff, Ed enjoyed private flight lessons at the Plymouth Airport. Ed was a former volunteer at both the Center For Active Living (Plymouth) and the ARC of Greater Plymouth. Above all else, Ed cherished time with family. He was the grandchildrens movie buddy and Lego builder. Many will remember Ed for his talent, intellect, generosity, and his love for Jeanne. A private memorial will be held in the Cartmell-Davis Funeral Home, Plymouth, MA.

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