



David Robert Homan Sr.

June 23, 1940 - August 23, 2025

David Robert Homan — a father, grandfather, husband, brother, and friend who filled 85 years with love, adventure, and curiosity.

Dave was born on June 23, 1940, in Beverly, Massachusetts, to Albert and Nora Homan. From a young age, he was active and bright, with a love of sports and learning that would carry him throughout his life. He graduated from Beverly High School in 1958 and went on to Northeastern University, where he earned his degree in Chemical Engineering. Soon after, he started his military career, commissioning as an officer in the United States Air Force. His commitment to service continued long after his active duty, as he spent most of his career as a civilian engineer for the Air Force, notably working at Strategic Air Command and eventually retiring as Deputy Base Engineer at Offutt Air Force Base.

Dave's professional life reflected his brilliance and work ethic, but his true joy was always his family. He was the caring husband of Judith, proud father of David Homan and Amy Hannan, and loving grandfather to his grandchildren — Alice, Taylor, Alex, and Riley. He treasured his role as “gramps,” cheering them on at their games, applauding at their concerts, and celebrating every milestone with pride.

Dave had a curious mind and a love for adventure. He developed a passion

for biking, riding nearly 100,000 miles (in every state except Hawaii) after his retirement and traveling across the country with a special fondness for national parks and scenic trails during his “odysseys” – his favorite odyssey being his road trip through Canada to bike in Alaska. He had a knack for trivia, riddles, and crosswords, as well as inventing solutions to everyday problems — the true engineer in him shining through.

Those who knew Dave will remember his humor, his kindness, and his resilience. Even as he faced struggles in recent years, he adapted with determination and a smile. His button-up shirts, cargo shorts, and Red Sox cap became his signature look — and a reminder of his easygoing, down-to-earth spirit.

Dave’s story is one of love — for his family, for learning, for nature, for the adventure of the open road. He lived with gratitude, humor, and curiosity, and he leaves behind a legacy of resilience, generosity, and adventure.

We will miss him dearly, but we carry forward his love and the many lessons he shared. In his memory, let us keep telling stories, keep asking questions, and keep finding joy in the simple, beautiful moments of life — just as he did.

Dave is preceded in death by his parents, Albert and Nora Homan, and his brother, Richard (Dick) Homan. He is survived by his wife, Judith Homan; his children, David Homan (Maggie) and Amy Hannan (Tim), and grandchildren, Alice, Taylor, Alex, and Riley; his nephew, Scott Homan (Debora); his lifelong friend, Robert Cook (Nancy); and his special grand-dog, Motley.

In Lieu of Flowers, Memorials to the Family for Later Designation.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 28. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Reichmuth Funeral Home - Omaha / Elkhorn
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Celebration of Life

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Burial

AUG 28. 12:30 PM (CT)

Omaha National Cemetery
14250 Schram Road
Omaha, NE 68138

Tribute Wall



“ *Reichmuth Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of David Robert Homan Sr.*



Reichmuth Funeral Home - August 28, 2025 at 11:04 AM

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“ *Love, Richard and Myrna Johnson girls! purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of David Robert Homan Sr..*



Love, Richard and Myrna Johnson girls! - August 26, 2025 at 02:51 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David Robert Homan Sr..*



August 25, 2025 at 09:39 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of David Robert Homan Sr..*

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