



## Robert McCarn Jr.

February 20, 1947 - October 11, 2021

Robert was born to Robert Sr. and Emma McCarn in Wilmington, Delaware on February 20, 1947 and moved to North Kansas City when he was two year old. He was raised in this area graduating High school from St. Pius X High School. He graduated from the art institute in Kansas City in 1970 and received a scholarship at Walt Disney's California Institute of the Arts where he completed his master's degree.

In 1973 he married Connie Dade at the University of Missouri in Kansas City. While living in Kansas City they had two sons, Joshua and Nathan. He poured his creativity and passions into an engineering career, focusing on manufacturing, allowing him to travel and explore China, Japan, Italy, Germany and much of the United States.

Robert was an artist by heart and excelled in many trades with his favorites including woodworking, pottery and sculpting. His artwork was displayed in the Whitney in New York and the Nelson in Kansas City.

Robert passed away October 11th, 2021 in Kearney, Nebraska.

He was proceeded in his death by his parents Robert Sydney McCarn Sr. and Emma Caroline McCarn, two brothers-in-law, Edward Ray Dade, Clifford Eugene Dade; and one sister in-law, Joyce Eileen Whitaker.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Connie Colleen McCarn; his sons, Joshua Edward and wife, Jamie of Loveland, CO, and Nathan Louis and wife, Sara of Wamego, KS; and grandchildren Casey, Payton, Aubrey, Carter, and Sydney; brothers-in-law, Marvin Dade of Kansas City, Edwin Whitaker of Breau Bridge, LA; sister-in-law, Marleen Dade of Kansas City; plus a host of nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held in Wellsville, KS for the immediate family.

Family requests memorial contributions be sent directly to St. Jude's or can be handled through O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services. Condolence may be shared online at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com).

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