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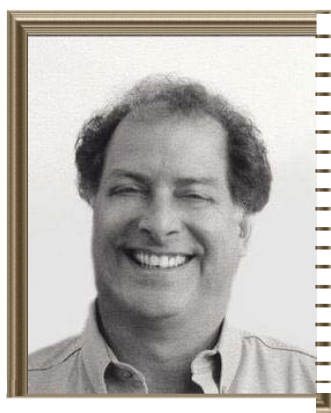
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Pat Coniff

(April 24, 1948 - May 16, 2015)

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Our hero is gone. Pat Coniff, 67, Green Bay, loving husband, father, brother, uncle and friend, died unexpectedly Saturday, May 16, 2015, following a brief illness. He was born on April 24, 1948, in Green Bay to Michael J. "Mickey" and Eleanor (Schoepp) Coniff. Pat graduated from Green Bay West High School in 1966, where he was part of the 1966 basketball team that went to the state championship. He also played football and competed in track and field.



He was proud of putting himself through college, obtaining his Bachelor's degree in 1972 from the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh. Pat was a member of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity.

After college, he enjoyed a career in retail with Dromedary Imports in Fish Creek and Body and Sole in Green Bay. Pat also was a supper club manager at Florian's in Baileys Harbor. He operated Shucker's Pub with his brother, Mike, and tended bar at Connie's on Broadway with his brother, Tom. Pat will be most remembered for an 18 year legacy of live blues music at his beloved Heroes Club on South Washington Street. Countless area musicians found a warm welcome on Pat's stage, including the Normal Adults, the Happy Schnapps Combo, Big Mouth and the Power Tool Horns, Duke Tumatoe and the Power Trio, Fat Mike and the Blue Cats, and the Blues Weasels to name a few. He retired nine years ago to spend time with his family.

Pat is survived by his wife, Barbara Coniff; sons, Jarrett and Alex, at home; sister, Colleen (Bill) DeBauche; and brother, Mike (Tina) Coniff, all of Green Bay; brother-in-law, Jeff (Lisa) Horner, Columbus, OH; father-in-law, Bill Horner and his wife, Bee, Fort Myers, FL; aunts, Bernice Hayes and Mary Ellen Hayes, Green Bay; nieces, Annye (Tyler) Graff and Brooke Coniff, Green Bay; Natalie Horner, Madelyn Horner, Olivia Horner; nephews, Cameron Horner and Austin Horner; great-nephews, Kale and Jordy Graff; and a great-niece, Ayla Graff.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Eleanor; father, Mickey; brother, Tom; and uncle, Tom Hayes.

Friends may call at Blaney Funeral Home, 1521 Shawano Ave., from 4 to 7 p.m. Thursday, May 21. Friends may also call at the Rev. Ken DeGroot Center at St. Willebrord Catholic Church, 209 S. Adams St., from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Friday. The Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday at the church with Rev. Andrew G. Cribben O.Praem officiating. Burial will be in the Allouez Catholic Cemetery. To send online condolences, please go to www.BlaneyFuneralHome.com.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been established for Pat's sons to achieve a college education.

Dad, you were always there for us and you always believed in us. We love you and we miss you. Your sons, Alex and Jarrett.

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