



## Philippe Coirin

January 14, 1939 - July 24, 2025

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C'est avec le cœur lourd, mais dans une profonde paix et une grande unité, que nous annonçons le départ de notre bien-aimé Philippe Coirin, à l'âge de 86 ans, le 24 juillet 2025 à Chicago. Il s'est éteint en douceur, entouré de l'amour de sa femme, Sabine, de ses six enfants — Maryline, Jean-Philippe, Nathalie, Alexandra, Stéphanie et Christian —, de sa sœur chérie Maryse, ainsi que de son ex-épouse, Solange. Son départ s'est fait dans la sérénité, accompagné par la prière, la tendresse et la présence de ceux qui l'aimaient profondément.

De nationalité française, né à Gonaïves (Haïti), Philippe était le fils de Jacques Armand Coirin et de Claire Marie Christine Coirin (née Abraham-Doura). Il était le frère bien-aimé de Maryse Aston, Robert Coirin et Marc Coirin.

Formé au métier d'opticien, Philippe s'est ensuite reconverti avec passion en ingénieur électricien. Doué et curieux, il a appris à réparer tout type d'équipement électronique, allant jusqu'à construire des téléviseurs de A à Z. Adolescent, il avait également fréquenté une école spécialisée pour sourds, une expérience qui a sans doute contribué à forger sa sensibilité et son ouverture aux autres.

Philippe était un homme simple, tendre et profondément affectueux, avec un cœur débordant d'amour et de compréhension. Ami de tous, il était un père et un époux attentionné, toujours soucieux du bonheur et de la réussite de sa famille. Il aimait la vie, et incarnait cette joie de vivre. Aventurier dans l'âme, passionné de voitures rapides et de plongée sous-marine, il trouvait aussi un grand plaisir dans l'écoute de la musique, des douces mélodies françaises à celles de Garth Brooks, qui l'inspiraient tout autant.

Sa patience envers ceux qu'il aimait était infinie. Il adorait raconter des histoires, taquiner, et faire rire son entourage. Par son humour et sa bienveillance, il illuminait la vie de ceux qui croisaient son chemin.

Reconnu comme l'un des ingénieurs électriques les plus compétents d'Haïti, Philippe était un travailleur acharné, rigoureux et d'une fiabilité professionnelle exemplaire. Il avait une confiance en lui tranquille et méritée, forgée par des années de dévouement et d'expertise.

Philippe, Dieu t'a créé, t'a donné la vie, tu as vécu, et aujourd'hui Il t'appelle à revenir à la maison. Te voilà, revêtu de Sa miséricorde infinie, en route vers ta dernière demeure, accueilli dans la joie de Sa présence, qui te dit :  
« Bienvenue, mon fils. »

Merci Seigneur de l'accueillir dans ton immense amour. Paix et joie à toi, Philippe, auprès de ton Père céleste, pour l'éternité. Ta mémoire vivra dans le cœur de ta famille, de tes amis, et de tous ceux qui ont eu l'honneur et le privilège de te connaître

Visitation Wednesday, July 30 from 10:00am until time of Funeral Mass at 11am at St Josephine Bakhita Catholic Church, 2132 E 72nd St, Chicago, IL. Burial services will be private at Calvary Cemetery, 301 Chicago Ave,

Evanston, IL.

Les services seront enregistrés et pourront être visionnés à <https://www.remember.lightenarrangements.com/philippe-coirin-memorial-webpage>

Arrangements par Inclusive Funeral Care, 773-318-1305 or [www.InclusiveFuneralCare.com](http://www.InclusiveFuneralCare.com).

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It is with heavy hearts, but in profound peace and unity, that we announce the passing of our beloved Philippe Coirin, at the age of 86, on July 24, 2025 in Chicago.

He passed away peacefully, surrounded by the love of his wife, Sabine, his six children—Maryline, Jean-Philippe, Nathalie, Alexandra, Stéphanie, and Christian—his beloved sister Maryse, and his ex-wife, Solange.

His passing was peaceful, accompanied by prayer, tenderness, and the presence of those who loved him deeply. A French national, born in Gonaïves, Haiti, Philippe was the son of Jacques Armand Coirin and Claire Marie Christine Coirin (née Abraham-Doura). He was the beloved brother of Maryse Aston, Robert Coirin, and Marc Coirin.

Trained as an optician, Philippe then passionately retrained as an electrical engineer. Gifted and curious, he learned to repair all types of electronic equipment, even building televisions from A-to-Z. As a teenager, he also attended a specialized school for the deaf, an experience that undoubtedly contributed to forging his sensitivity and openness to others. Philippe was a simple, tender, and deeply affectionate man, with a heart overflowing with love

and understanding. A friend to all, he was a caring father and husband, always concerned about the happiness and success of his family. He loved life and embodied this joie de vivre. An adventurer at heart, passionate about fast cars and scuba diving, he also found great pleasure in listening to music, from sweet French melodies to those of Garth Brooks, who inspired him equally. His patience with those he loved was infinite. He loved telling stories, teasing, and making those around him laugh. With his humor and kindness, he illuminated the lives of those who crossed his path.

Recognized as one of Haiti's most competent electrical engineers, Philippe was a hard worker, rigorous, and of exemplary professional reliability. He had a quiet and deserved self-confidence, forged by years of dedication and expertise.

Philippe, God created you, gave you life, you lived, and today He calls you to come home. Here you are, clothed in His infinite mercy, on your way to your final resting place, welcomed in the joy of His presence, which says to you: "Welcome, my son." Thank you, Lord, for welcoming him into your immense love. Peace and joy to you, Philippe, with your heavenly Father, for eternity. Your memory will live on in the hearts of your family, friends, and all who had the honor and privilege of knowing you.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 30. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St Josephine Bakhita Catholic Church  
2132 E 72nd Street  
Chicago, IL 60649

## Mass

JUL 30. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Inclusive Funeral Care created a Tribute Video in memory of Philippe Coirin*



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**Team Inclusive Funeral Care** - July 29, 2025 at 10:01 PM



“ *Inclusive Funeral Care created a Webcast in memory of Philippe Coirin*



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**Team Inclusive Funeral Care** - July 28, 2025 at 01:24 PM

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“ *We were heartbroken to hear about your loss. Please accept our deepest condolences. From our family to yours, our thoughts are with you during this incredibly difficult time.*



*Wishing you strength, comfort, and peace in the days ahead.*

*With heartfelt sympathy,  
Micheline Joseph And Family*

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