

***Rotarian***

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I came to Ripley in 1986 to work at Best Western McCoys Inn and Conference Center. Ray Miller sponsored me for Rotary in 1992.

**Rotary Leadership:**

Previous to joining Rotary, 1991 Group Study Exchange Member to Republic of Philippines; 1994 Vice President, Ripley; 1995 President Elect; 1996 President; 1998 to present, Asst. Governor

**Honors in Rotary:**

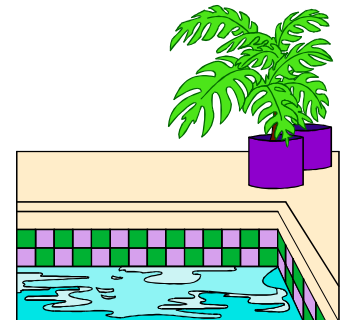
1998 District Governor Citation Award

**Family members in Ripley:**

Wife Cheryl; daughter Sophia

**Other places I have lived:**

Raleigh, NC; Morgantown, WV; Philippines



**Employment story:**

President and CEO, the Robert Brown Corporation, operating 65 room Holiday Inn Express; Previously Best Western McCoys Inn & Conference Center, Ripley; Marriott Hotels & Resorts, Raleigh, NC; Marriott Hotels & Resorts, Charleston, WV.

**Something else:**

Bobby WVU 1984—BS, Business Administration (Management)

Cheryl WVU 1991—BS, Dental Hygiene

Member of numerous civic and professional boards and past candidate for State Senate. President of WV Hospitality and Travel, Lodging Division; VP of WV Southern Innkeepers Assoc.