



Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt

April 22, 1937 - January 30, 2016

Robert Eldon "Bob" Fugitt, the son of the late Hubert E. and Jessie Marie (Newman) Fugitt, was born April 22, 1937 near Mount Vernon, Missouri. Bob peaceably passed into the arms of Jesus on Saturday, January 30, 2016 in the Richland Care Center in Richland, Missouri.

Bob, as he was known to his family and friends, attended school in Carthage and graduated in 1955 from Carthage High School.

While attending his father's first sermon, Bob accepted Christ as his personal Lord and Savior at a young age. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Richland, attending faithfully as long as his health permitted. He served as a Deacon there and held other church offices. He also served on the Board of Directors at the Richland Care Center.

In 1956 he married Nellie Raona (Kinnaird) Wade and to this union were born, Richard Lee, Marilynn Kay, Glenda Ellen, and Bruce Ray.

In 1972 Bob met and married Joyce Etta (Rayl) Roam. The family's love and laughter grew even greater with the addition of Joyce's son, Thomas Edward. Together Bob and Joyce shared over thirty-six years of marriage before Joyce's passing on December 11, 2008.

Bob was a blessed man as God brought another wonderful lady, Marilyn Sue Grider into his life and on June 27, 2010 the couple united in marriage in Marshfield, Missouri and the family grew once again with the addition of Marilyn's children and grandchildren.

Family has always been the most valued treasure in Bob's life. The pride and joy he had for each and every one of his children and grandchildren were immeasurable.

Bob had a love for farming. His family and the farm were his greatest passions in life. In earlier years he worked and retired from the PX at Fort Leonard Wood, owned and operated the South Gate Station and Café, the Ted William's Steak House, and the Fugitt Family Inn, where he was known for his excellent BBQ.

His warm smile and outgoing personality were some of his best assets. He made friends easily and never met a stranger. Bob valued his friends and treasured the lasting friendships he'd made throughout the years.

Bob will live on forever in the hearts of all those who knew and loved him. He leaves behind his devoted wife, Marilyn; his children, Marilyn Gorman (Bill) of Monett, MO, Glenda Duncan (Mark) of Cassville, MO, Bruce Fugitt (Jan) of Mountain Grove, MO, Tommy Roam (Wanda) of Jefferson City, MO, Lori McNail (Jamie) of Richland, MO, Randy Green (Debbie) of Norborne, MO, Kim Davis (Bobby) of Richmond, MO, and Pam Hartwig of Hardin, MO; twenty-one grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; three sisters, Beverly Laswell (Mearle) of Republic, MO, Brenda Lollar (Grover) of Venice, FL, and Loretta Hammon (Frank) of Lawrenceburg, IN; four brothers, Ron Fugitt of Halltown, MO, David Fugitt (Kathy) of Nokomis, FL, Steve Fugitt (Judith) of Norwood, MO, and Jeff Fugitt (Jamie) of Walnut Shade, MO; a number of nieces and nephew, as well as a

host of other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; second wife, Joyce Fugitt; son, Richard Lee Fugitt; daughters, Peggy Denise Roam and Kristi McCoy.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m., Monday, February 1, 2016 in the Memorial Chapel of Richland with Jeff Fugitt, Mearle Laswell and Steve Fugitt officiating. Pianist, Barbara Lee accompanied her husband, Bud Lee as he sang "His Eye Is On the Sparrow" and Jennifer Harrison sang "Beulah Land." Serving as escorts were Bob's grandsons, Ethan Harrison, Joel Harrison, Patrick Gorman, Barry Postelwait, Heath Postelwait, Evan Fugitt, Jamie McNail and Joseph Reed. Burial followed in the Oaklawn Cemetery of Richland, MO.

Services were under the direction of Memorial Chapel of Richland.

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Cemetery

Richland, MO 65556

Tribute Wall



“ *Memorial Chapels and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt*



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - February 02, 2016 at 02:12 PM



“ *Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt*

January 28, 2023 at 06:53 AM



“ *Bob will be missed by so many. He was such a good hearted man, who would do anything he could to help someone out. We send our deepest condolences to his family. May God be with you all during this tragic time.*

Kenneth and Dalene McDaniel- Kim, Kasondra, Kristie, Amanda, Tiffannie and children

Sue Pentecost-Marie, Jimmie, & Richard

McDaniel-Pentecost Families - February 02, 2016 at 12:42 PM

PJ

“ 1 file added to the album *Life Tributes*



PJ Jackson - February 02, 2016 at 11:12 AM



“ Astrid Attwood lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt



Astrid Attwood - February 01, 2016 at 09:15 PM

DM

“ Kenneth Dalene McDaniel
Sue Pentecost and Family
Brian Amanda Miller and Family
Tiffannie McDaniel-Neel
Kristie Daugherty
Corey McDaniel



Dalene McDaniel - February 01, 2016 at 06:28 PM

PG

“ We are comforted in knowing that during this season of bereavement for the family: The LORD will keep you going out and your coming in from this time forth and forevermore. Psalm 121:8 (ESV)



PULASKI COUNTY CAMP GIDEONS - February 01, 2016 at 03:02 PM

SF

“ Steve Baranowski & Family lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt



Steve Baranowski & family - February 01, 2016 at 01:57 PM

MD

“ Missy Douglas lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt



Missy Douglas - February 01, 2016 at 10:45 AM

MS

“ Prayers go out to his family and loved ones.
Marlin Stevens



Marlin Stevens - February 01, 2016 at 07:26 AM

CF

“ So sorry to hear. Bob and Joyce were my parents (George and Mary B Payne) next door neighbors for many years and my parents enjoyed having them close.

Charlotte Payne Folsom - February 01, 2016 at 06:56 AM

CF

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“ Julie Davis lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt



Julie Davis - February 01, 2016 at 12:05 AM



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DV

“ David And Delta (Russell) Vines lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt



David and Delta (Russell) Vines - January 31, 2016 at 10:13 PM

DV

I've such fond memories of seeing Bob at various events at Plato School and in the community - but mostly at the gas station he used to own. He was always friendly even toward the kids. He seemed to be able to get a laugh or at the least a smile from my mom or dad even when they had to take the car to have something worked on. Bob was such a wonderful person.

David and Delta (Russell) Vines - January 31, 2016 at 10:18 PM

TM

“ Terry/Dian Mitschele lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" E. Fugitt



Terry/Dian Mitschele - January 31, 2016 at 08:54 PM



“ 35 files added to the album Life Tributes



Memorial Chapels and Crematory - January 31, 2016 at 05:12 PM

JM

“ To Bruce & the rest of the Fugitt family, you are in our thoughts & prayers.
Mr. & Mrs. Jared Moore & Family



Jared Moore - January 31, 2016 at 08:39 AM

BA

“ To the family of Bob Fugitt. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Bill and Sue Anderson - January 31, 2016 at 06:41 AM

CL

All tthe family is in my thoughts Bob was a great person

Carol Light - January 31, 2016 at 10:56 PM