



Robert L. "Bob" Yates

September 28, 1939 - June 9, 2011

Robert L. "Bob" Yates, age 71, of Laurie, passed away Thursday, June 9, 2011, at his home. He was born September 28, 1939, in Osage City, Missouri, the son of the late Roy Nicholas and Grace F. Coon Yates.

On November 12, 1960, in Jefferson City, Missouri, he was united in marriage to Vernie M. Clark, who survives of the home.

Bob was a United States Army veteran.

He was a member of the Kent Memorial Lutheran Church in Sunrise Beach and the Osage Community Elks Lodge #2705 in Laurie.

Bob enjoyed playing golf, boating, barbequing, and good times with family and friends.

In addition to his wife, Vernie, he is survived by his sons, Phil Alan Yates and wife Jean Kolarik Yates and Gregory Scott Yates and wife Shelley Dawson Yates both of Shawnee, Kansas; his daughter, Lora Lynn Yates Adriano and husband Brian of Olathe, Kansas; five grandchildren, Joseph Yates, Madisen Yates, Anthony Yates, Adam Adriano, and Nicole Adriano; his brother, Bobby Lee Yates and wife Doris of Gravois Mills, Missouri; his sisters, Pauline Turner of Gravois Mills, Missouri and Geri Schanuth and husband Curtis of Council

Bluffs, Iowa; and many other relatives and friends. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his brothers, James Howard Yates and Roy Nicholas Yates, Jr., and his sisters Margie Yates Bruns and Verna Mae Byrd.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Monday, June 13, at the Kent Memorial Lutheran Church in Sunrise Beach with Pastor Dave Beese officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 to 11 a.m. at the church. Graveside services and interment with full military honors will be held at 2:30 p.m. in the Riverview Cemetery in Jefferson City. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Pancreatic Research Foundation.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Kidwell-Garber Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Cemetery

2600 West Main St.
Jefferson City, MO 65109

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Kent Memorial Lutheran Church
184 Sunset Hill Dr.
Sunrise Beach, MO 65079
<http://www.kentmemorial.com>

Service

JUN 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

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JUN 13. 2:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Bob and Vernie were our neighbors in Pinehurst Community in Basehor for several years. Bob always had a happy-go-lucky attitude and big grin on his face. We really hated seeing Bob and Vernie move but knew how excited they were to move to the lake. We are deeply saddened to hear about Bob's passing. He will be missed by us and many others. Vernie and Family, you are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Casey & Cori Kallenbach

Casey & Cori Kallenbach - June 13, 2011 at 02:44 PM

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“ *I can't remember a time in my life when you and A. Vernie weren't a part of it. Time flies by so fast I can't believe how long it has been since we saw each other. I still laugh when I remember finding you on the computer and sending that first email to you. Your reply? Do I know you. I will always remember our family Christmases and all the laughs and fun. And I will always have a empty spot in my heart where only you live. All my thoughts and prayers to A. Vernie and the kids now. I know somehow they will find the strength together to go on and someday in the future will smile again. I really did love you. May you rest in peace now. Pam*

Pam Mayfield - June 12, 2011 at 01:00 PM

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“ I had the great fortune to meet Bob and Vernie when we all moved to Basehor, KS in the Pinehurst community. Bob was instrumental in the community and helpful to all of us, as neighbors. I often shared a laugh as he and Vernie stopped to say hello. Vernie, my heart goes out to you and your family, in your loss. Bob was a great friend and neighbor.

Lori Lackner, Basehor, KS

Lori Lackner - June 11, 2011 at 12:53 PM

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“ ROBERT WAS A GREAT BROTHER. HE WAS LOVED BY EVERYONE HE MET. HE ALWAYS HAD TIME TO LISTEN AND GIVE ADVICE. HE LOVED TO HAVE A GOOD TIME. WHEN I MENTION ROBERT TO MY FRIENDS THEY ALWAYS SAY,,HOW HE LOVED TO ORGANIZE THINGS AND HAVE FUN IN TEXAS. I SHALL MISS HIM GREATLY...PAULINE

PAULINE TURNER - June 10, 2011 at 01:59 PM