



Robert "Bob" E. Ferguson

February 24, 1946 - May 30, 2024

Robert "Bob" "Ferg" E. Ferguson, age 78, of Bloomington passed away on Thursday, May 30, 2024 after a year of being ill leaving behind his family and dog Skamp.

Bob was born on February 24, 1946 to Lena Lucille (Quillen) Williams and William Ralph Ferguson. He played basketball for 3 years and graduated from Bloomington High School in 1964. He enlisted in the Air Force on September 29, 1965. Bob married his high school sweetheart on March 10, 1966, he and Anna had been married for 58 years. In September of 1966 Bob was sent to Republic of Vietnam where he served at Korat Royal AFB, Thailand as an Airborne Radio Operator.

Bob was a truck driver for most of his life. He worked for Wetterau, numerous trucking companies, and retired from USF Holland in 2002 where he served as Union Steward. He also held many part-time jobs. His final position was with Bloomington Public Transit as a bus driver which he left in May 2023.

Bob was a member of the American Legion Burton Woolery Post 18. He loved gathering with friends and family for dinner, drinks, and laughter. He was a huge sprint car fan, loved camping and working in his yard.

Bob is survived by his beloved wife Anna; his daughter Lori Jacoby (Gary), his son Robert Brian Ferguson; grandson Nicholas Brewer; granddaughter Miranda Brewer; stepson Jayleb Jacoby and partner Abby; brother Rick Ferguson; two sisters Joyce Nichols and Rebecca Ferguson; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and precious fur babies Snuggles, Smoke, Hillary and Odie.

A Celebration of Life will be held at 1:00 PM on Saturday, June 29, 2024 at Allen Funeral Home, 4155 S. Old State Rd 37 Bloomington, IN. Military rites will be conducted by the Monroe County Honor Guard.

The family will receive friends on Saturday from 12:00 PM until the time of service at the funeral home.

Online condolences may be shared with his family at www.allencares.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **29**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JB

“ I worked with Bob at BT and also knew him from the Legion. One of the kindest and quality men I've known. A fellow Vietnam vet. My thoughts and prayers to his family. Jim Brothers

Jim brothers - June 21, 2024 at 05:04 PM

JW

“ Anna im so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. We had many memories together. It has been a long time since had to opportunity to talk but please know I'm thinking of you and praying for your peace and knowing how much love the two of you shared.
Jackie Miller Wikle

jackie Miller Wikle - June 07, 2024 at 02:42 PM

RF

“ He was a good brother! I remember when we were children, growing up. We didn't have much but we had lots of fun together.

Rick Ferguson - June 05, 2024 at 08:50 PM

AS

“ Uncle Bob was a wonderful man and he will be missed! Love, Amy and Victor Shamanov



Amy Shamanov - June 05, 2024 at 01:56 PM

FW

“ Friends with Bob and Anna and neighbors when are children were growing up. Anna and I belonged to the Overseas Wives Club when our husbands were in Vietnam. Bob always had a smile and I don't think ever met a stranger. God Bless.



Fran White - June 05, 2024 at 01:29 PM

AL

Bob was a great person I loved talking to him and working with him at BT I also loved having adult beverages with him he will be greatly missed

Allen langley - June 06, 2024 at 12:19 PM

JH

Anna so sorry for your loss but how fortunate you were to have a marriage that endured for so long. My deepest sympathies to you and your family. Joanne Blackwell Hatchett 317 979 2035

Joanne Hatchett - June 21, 2024 at 05:06 PM

BS

Anna so sorry for your loss. Bob was a great guy who was always laughing & had a big smile on his face ! We all had some good times together . Our family sends our deepest sympathy to you, Lori & Brian.
♥ Brenda & Jack

Brenda Scholl - June 23, 2024 at 10:13 PM

YC

“ Your cousins, Judy, Carol and Cathy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bob" E. Ferguson.

Your cousins, Judy, Carol and Cathy - June 05, 2024 at 09:37 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" E. Ferguson.*



June 05, 2024 at 09:37 AM