



Bob Medlin

May 27, 1941 - October 12, 2020

Bob Medlin, 79, of Oskaloosa passed away Monday evening, October 12, 2020, at the Mahaska Health Hospice Serenity House.

Robert Dale Medlin, son of George Lyle and Della Marie (Nowlan) Medlin, was born May 27, 1941, in McIntyre, Iowa. Bob attended school in Mason City. August 4, 1959, he enlisted in the Navy and served on the U.S.S. Parsons ED 949, off the Vietnam coast until July 24, 1963. After his discharge, a job in construction brought Bob to Oskaloosa. This was where he met the “love-of-his-life,” Doris Jean Slycord. They were married on September 26, 1964, in Unionville, MO, and made their home in Oskaloosa. Bob continued to work in heavy construction until 1980 when Pella Corp hired him. He worked on the assembly line and made custom windows and doors during his employment for 17 years. He retired in 1997 due to health reasons. Bob was a member of the American Legion, V.F.W., and the Elks Lodge and a past member of the Eagles Lodge. In his spare time, he enjoyed woodworking.

Bob’s family includes his wife of 56 years, Doris; his sons: Scott (Rhonda) Medlin and Lyle Medlin, both of Oskaloosa; eight grandchildren: Josh (Krysty) Huffman of Pella, Lindsay (Logan) Ward of Altoona, Jakob Medlin of Vietnam, Zoey (Travis) Marlin of Urbandale, Jenna (Evan) Medlin-Ressler of Omaha, NE, Spencer Medlin of Oskaloosa, and Taylor (Jon) Lindgren of Florida; eight great-grandchildren: Ethan, Ava, Iszac, and Andrew Huffman, Bradley,

Cooper, and Harper Ward, and Kayden Beason. He is also survived by his brothers and sisters-in-law: Edward and Marcele Allen of Humboldt, Jerry, and Janice Allen of Mason City, Jim (Barb) Medlin of Mason City, and Ann Medlin of Nora Springs, IA; and a brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Roger and Verla Slycord of Adel.

In addition to his parents, Bob was preceded in death by a daughter, Julie Handy; a granddaughter, Brittany Medlin; a sister and brother-in-law, Donna and Wayne Wentworth; a brother, George Medlin; his mother-in-law, Rita Slycord; and a nephew, Eric Slycord.

As was his wish, Bob's body has been cremated. A memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, November 7, 2020, at Langkamp Funeral Chapel with Pastor Alvern Boetsma of the Good News Chapel officiating. Burial of his ashes will be in Henness Cemetery. Memorials contributions can be made to the United Way of Mahaska County and designate it to the Take-a-Long Weekend Food Program or to Mahaska Health Serenity House.

Cemetery Details

Hennessey Cemetery

1863 285th ST
Oskaloosa, IA 52577

Previous Events

Memorial Service

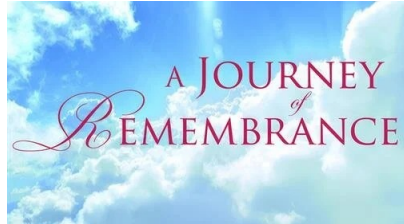
NOV 7. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Langkamp Funeral Chapel & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Bob Medlin*



Langkamp Funeral Chapel & Crematory - November 04, 2020 at 02:12 PM

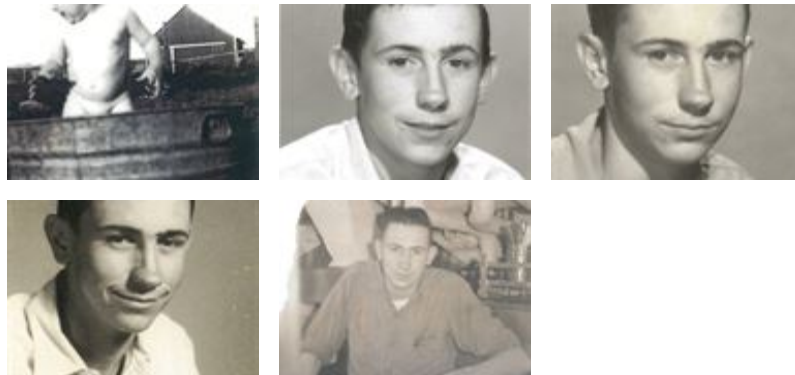


“ *Bob Medlin*

October 05, 2023 at 11:57 PM



“ *105 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Langkamp Funeral Chapel & Crematory - November 04, 2020 at 01:26 PM

MJ

“ I have so many wonderful memories of Uncle Robert! One of the worst memories for him, however, had to be when Uncle Jim and Uncle Robert took me to a fair in St. Ansgar when I was probably in jr. high. We went on so many rides, but little did I know that I shouldn't have eaten hot dogs, ice cream, and other junk food **BEFORE** going on those rides. I still feel awful when thinking about how they had to clean me up after getting sick. As I grew older and would see him on visits back to Iowa, we always had the best conversations together. He was just the kindest guy and so easy to talk with. Sending love and deepest sympathy to Aunt Doris and family.
Marcia (Allen) Johnson



Marcia Johnson - November 02, 2020 at 01:55 PM

JS

So sorry for your loss,. Take care of yourself Doris, your an amazing person and friend.

Joanne Smith - November 05, 2020 at 11:07 PM

LM

“ Love, Ed & Marcele & daughter Marcia purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Bob Medlin.



Love, Ed & Marcele & daughter Marcia - November 02, 2020 at 01:21 PM

DR

“ *Doris may you find comfort in your loss. Bob is at peace now but he will always remain in your heart.* ”



Dena Roorda - October 19, 2020 at 12:47 PM

JW

“ *Doris, so sorry for your loss, Bob was a great guy and will be missed by all his family and friends.* ”

Jean Welsh - October 17, 2020 at 05:24 PM

RH

“ *Ray&Charlotte Holdsworth lit a candle in memory of Bob Medlin* ”



Ray&Charlotte Holdsworth - October 17, 2020 at 10:47 AM

VB

“ *Sorry for your loss Doris. Sympathy to you and your family.* ”

Vicki Barnett - October 17, 2020 at 09:53 AM

SH

“ *Shirley Hunt lit a candle in memory of Bob Medlin* ”



Shirley Hunt - October 16, 2020 at 09:33 PM

SH

“ Doris,,so sorry for your loss!! 🙏🙏🙏😭😭😭May he RIP💕

Shirley Hunt - October 16, 2020 at 09:32 PM

DF

“ Sorry for your loss Bob was a good man Debbie mathis fowler
Clarence and dwight schumacher

Debra Fowler - October 16, 2020 at 01:27 PM

DF

“ Debra Fowler lit a candle in memory of Bob
Medlin



Debra Fowler - October 16, 2020 at 01:25 PM

JL

“ Prayers are with Doris and family in their loss 🙏

Judy & Larry Lewis - October 15, 2020 at 11:39 AM

JB

“ Bob was always one of my favorites. I will miss seeing him at the
lab. Prayers for his family.

Janet Braden - October 15, 2020 at 09:35 AM

CB

“ *Carri And Brian lit a candle in memory of Bob Medlin*



Carri and Brian - October 15, 2020 at 08:08 AM

RH

“ *I didn't know Bob but I do know Doris I work with her at Mahaska Hospital 1969 my prayers go out to the families and may God be with him in this time of need*

Robert Hubbell - October 14, 2020 at 11:56 PM

MH

“ *MAY GOD COMFORT YOU DORIS AND BOB REST IN PEACE MARILYN HOOVER*

marilyn hoover - October 14, 2020 at 10:13 PM

GR

“ *Gina Russell lit a candle in memory of Bob Medlin*



Gina Russell - October 14, 2020 at 06:06 PM

TB

“ I know Bob from working with Doris. Great guy! Very sorry life got so busy and we didn't get more time with him. Nick really enjoyed visiting with him too when we had that last day of tax season at Mi Ranchito.

Condolences to Doris, the boys and the rest of the family.

Tonya Bogaards



Tonya Bogaards - October 14, 2020 at 03:59 PM

CV

“ Cliff And Leilani VandeWall lit a candle in memory of Bob Medlin



Cliff and Leilani VandeWall - October 14, 2020 at 03:50 PM

MW

Didn't know Bob, went to school with Doris. Sorry to hear. Prayers to you and family

Marilyn Witter - October 15, 2020 at 10:54 AM

CB

“ So sorry to hear this Doris Scott and Lyle he was an amazing man.

Cindy bartlow - October 14, 2020 at 03:24 PM