



Robert D. "Bob" Nix

August 1, 1937 - February 9, 2021

Robert D. "Bob" Nix, 83, of Jackson, passed away Tuesday, February 9, 2021 at Southeast Hospital.

He was born August 1, 1937 in Delta, Missouri to Walter and Opal Gibbons Nix.

Bob proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy from 1955 until 1959 and was stationed on the U.S.S. Benner. After his service he married Margaret Long on March 11, 1960 in Advance, Missouri.

Throughout his working years Bob worked for Cape Ready Mix, Drury and Georgia Pacific. He also served his community as part of the Cape Girardeau Police Department Auxiliary in the 1960's. He was a member of Emerald Street Church of God.

Bob cherished his family and will be deeply missed by all who knew him. Loving survivors include his wife of 60 years, Margaret Nix of Jackson; children, Robin (Robert) Wilson of Jackson, Robert D. (Sarah) Nix, Jr. of Ratliff City, Oklahoma and John (Angie) Nix of Oak Ridge; brother, Jerry Nix of Sedgewickville; sister, Sue Owens of Scott City; 11 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, many nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sister, Patricia Brady; sister-in-law, Jane Nix; brother-in-law's, Ronnie Owens and Don Brady.

Visitation will be Friday, February 12, 2021 from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel. Funeral service will follow at 1:00 with Brother Jeff Lohrstorfer officiating.

Burial will follow at Russell Heights Cemetery in Jackson.

Memorial donations may be given to Emerald Street Church of God, 500 Emerald St., Cape Girardeau, Missouri 63701.

Cemetery Details

Russell Heights Cemetery

Jackson, MO 63755

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 12. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
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Funeral Service

FEB 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

KH

“ *Margaret and family,
I am so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. I will
keep your family in my prayers for peace and
comfort.*



Kim Hodo - February 23, 2021 at 05:06 PM

JS

“ *Bob was such a kind man. He always tried to make everyone feel
welcome. He loved the hymn The Old Rugged Cross. Would help
you if he was able or would find a way to. Will be missed.*

Julie Shirrell - February 12, 2021 at 07:12 PM

GA

“ *My Mom, Lucille “Daisy” Gibbons Abbott and Bob were first cousins.
I was able to meet Bob at many mournful occasions such as these
including Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles and my parents. Bob
also offered a kind word and a warm laugh over an old story. He will
be missed but never forgotten.*

*With Sympathy,
Gary Abbott
St Louis*

Gary Abbott - February 11, 2021 at 09:30 PM

FH

“ Frank and LeeAnne Haley purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Robert D. "Bob" Nix.



Frank and LeeAnne Haley - February 11, 2021 at 04:41 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Robert D. "Bob" Nix.



February 11, 2021 at 04:34 PM

TN

“ Sorry to hear of Bobs' passing. He always greeted me with a smile and immediately would start talking about my dad: Jr. Hency. Years later my son, Chad, became friends with your grandson, BC. Good memories from the church gatherings with Bob.

Terri HENCY Noland

Terri Noland - February 11, 2021 at 09:14 AM

NH

“ Sending prayers to Robin, Katie and family for loss of your dad, grandpa. Your family is our thoughts and prayers. 🙏

nancy hahs - February 10, 2021 at 08:01 PM