



Robert G. Wickman

November 3, 1927 - April 16, 2016

Robert G. Wickman, 88, of Cape Girardeau, passed away Saturday, April 16, 2016 at Saint Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

He was born November 3, 1927 in Chicago, Illinois. He was the son of George and Pearl (Anderson) Wickman.

He and Ruth C. Osher were married June 2, 1951 at Oak Parks, Illinois.

He served in the U.S. Army, was a member of St. Andrew Lutheran Church and a member of the choir. He enjoyed volunteering in the Outpatient Surgery area at Saint Francis Medical Center.

Survivors include three daughters, Cheryl Southern of Chicago, Illinois, Debra (Thomas) Milasinovic of Lancaster, New York, Gail (L. Dean) Short of Jonesboro, Illinois; sister, Myrna (Arthur) Davenport of Niles, Illinois; seven grandchildren, Dr. Cozumel (Hunter) Pruette of Baltimore, Maryland, D. Jason (Jade) Short of Anna, Illinois, Zachary Todd (Tiffany) Short of Anna, Illinois, Michael (Katie) Short-Goss of Alto Pass, Illinois, Thomas R. (Candy) Milasinovic of Depew, New York, Gabe (Sarah) Short-Mead of Dongola, Illinois, Michelle A. (Fiancé`, Jonathan Bayerl) Milasinovic of Lancaster, New York; 13 great grandchildren, Chanel and Louis Short, Emerson, Haynes and Meritt Pruette, Emma Tweedy, Hank and Charlotte Goss, Madyson and Alivia

Mead, Violet and Eli Milasinovic, Penelope Short ; special friend, Dolores Pobst.

He was preceded in death by his wife Ruth of 61 ½ years and his parents.

Visitation will be from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. Monday, April 18, 2016 at Ford and Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home.

Funeral service will be at 4:00 p.m. at the funeral home with Pastor John Dehne officiating.

Burial will be at a later date.

Memorials may be given to St. Andrew Lutheran Church.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 18. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Chapel
1001 N. Mt. Auburn Rd.
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701

Service

APR 18. 4:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

HR

“ Thank you for providing this special place to share thoughts and prayers in honor of my dear cousin, Bob, who will be greatly missed at our cousins reunions, for his thoughtful phone calls to keep in touch and spreading his love of life and people wherever he went. I was blessed by being Bob's cousin and friend for 6 decades. My memories from childhood are of Bob being like a big brother who always had my wellbeing in mind. At age 7 when my sister, Karen, age 4, was Ruth and Bob's flower girl, Bob's caring and closeness to our family took on a lifelong new direction. Highlights during visits in Illinois, Florida, Wisconsin and California have been enjoying mutual joys of singing in church choirs and services and giving back time and talents in volunteer positions. Bob will be missed as I am ever grateful for his ongoing influence on my life past, and ahead. May our dear Lord bless Bob's soul and sweet spirit as he rests in peace in His strong arms. And God bless and keep his special spirit of love and kindness that lives on in our midst.

Holly Rogers - April 27, 2016 at 02:19 PM

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“ We have many fond memories, while working with Bob for 15 years at LPM and attending MHEDA conventions and LPM distributor council meetings with Bob and Ruth. Bob was the ultimate salesman and made everyone feel good; no matter, if in a business or social situation. His positive attitude and wonderful smile were definitely his trademarks.
Denis and Ellen Desmond

Denis and Ellen Desmond - April 19, 2016 at 10:47 AM

DH

“ Robert was a good friend and always a mentor to me over the last 30 years. I will greatly miss our conversations about the past memories and the fun we had in Florida when we got together in Fort Myers. My condolences and prayers to the family.

Don Haas - April 18, 2016 at 01:05 PM



“ Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Robert G. Wickman.



April 17, 2016 at 09:23 AM



“ Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert G. Wickman.



April 16, 2016 at 07:58 PM