



William "Randy" Bartlett

May 19, 2014

William ♦Randy♦ Bartlett of Cape Girardeau passed away on Monday, May 19, 2014 after a short battle with pancreatic cancer. He was born on August 8, 1952 in Hayti, Missouri to William ♦Howard♦ and Bonnie Bartlett. He married his high school sweetheart, Susan R. Mayer, on August 19, 1973 in Dexter, Missouri. He adored his children and grandchildren, fishing, beachcombing in Oregon, watching/feeding birds, cheeseburgers, grocery shopping, and TV ♦ with a particular fondness of courtroom dramas (think Judge Judy and Perry Mason). Randy spent his career at Sears, which spanned 40 years. He was an avid volunteer in his community, with both service and leadership in the Cape Girardeau Evening Lions Club, Big Brothers Big Sisters and LaCroix Methodist Church. He also sponsored a child through World Vision. Survivors include his wife, Susan Bartlett of Cape Girardeau, Missouri; his mother, Bonnie Bartlett of Cape Girardeau; a daughter, Leigh and Dave Havelick of Portland, Oregon; a son, Robb and Amanda Bartlett of Cape Girardeau; and four grandchildren, Abe, Gus, Ben and Addison. He was preceded in death by his father. Visitation will be from 5 to 7p.m. Wednesday, May 21, 2014 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home. The funeral will be Thursday at 10:00 a.m. at the funeral home with Rev. Ron Watts officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials to Cape Girardeau Evening Lions Club, Melaina♦s Magical Playland or The Reign Forest of LaCroix Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall

BL

“ *bonnie my heaqrt and thoughts r with u aqnd family, u shorty band randy , were some of my fav ppl god bless u, bobby lentz*

bob lentz - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Susan, please know you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers at this most difficult time.*

Judy Statler - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ *Bonnie, Susan, Leigh, and Rob - I wish I could hug you all, although I know that wouldn't ease the pain any more than words of sympathy. I'm so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. My most vivid memories of Randy are all connected to him spending time with his family - helping Leigh and me name the "restaurant" that we tried to start in my parents' basement; taking Leigh and me fishing (although I think I remember that one mostly because Randy snagged my finger with the fish hook); teaching me the word "isopropyl", when I asked for alcohol to clean my newly pierced ears; and best of all, Randy singing "Tiptoe Through the Tulips", while skipping through a living room full of girls in sleeping bags during one of Leigh's slumber parties. Randy loved his family. He will be missed. My family is grieving with you. Love, Natalie*

Natalie Harris - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RD

“ Dear Susan & Family; We extend our sincere sympathy in the death of Randy. We pray for God's comfort for each of you. Randy was a great, gregarious guy, and he will be missed. Richard & Sheri Draper

Richard & Sheri Draper - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Susan, You and your family are, and will continue to be, in my prayers. So sorry for your loss. Julie

Julie Forbey Rowden - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RU

“ Susan, sorry to hear of your loss. Hold onto the memories as they will get you through the days and weeks ahead. May God comfort you and your family.

Ricky Uht - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ Susan ... Linda and I are so very sorry for your loss. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. God Bless you all. Doug and Linda (Ayers) Bailiff

Doug Bailiff - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Just wanted to let the Bartlett family know how very sorry I was to learn of Randy's passing, he was a fine upstanding man. Susan you and Randy were sweethearts even back in High School, he will be greatly missed here in this Temporary Home were all in...

Shelly (Sturgeon) McDaniel - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GJ

“ *Very sorry to hear of Randy's passing. Please know I will keep The Bartlett Family in my prayers. God's Blessing of Comfort during this difficult time.*

Genetha Johnson - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TL

“ *Leigh and family, I'm so sorry for the loss of your Dad. I will be thinking and praying for you and your family during this difficult time.*

Tracy McCormick Livingston - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ *We can't begin to express our heart felt sadness for everyone in the loss of Randy. He was the light of your lives and we know the loss is deeply felt. We have very fond memories of Randy and I know how much fun we had as children. Please know you are in our prayers and thoughts. We love you all and we are sorry we can't be there to let you know in person. Sincerely, Sharon and Steve*

Sharon and Steve Graybill - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ *Aunt Bonnie, Susan and family, there are no words to express our sorrow for your loss. We are currently out of town and regret that we will not be able to be with you. Our hearts are heavy, and thoughts and prayers are with you. We know Randy will truly be missed. Love and God Bless, Donna and Mark Record Laurie White and Donna Pedley*

Donna Record - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Susan, Bonnie, children & grandchildren I would like to express my deepest sympathy for your loss. As a classmate and friend of Randy I have many fond memories from our formative years growing up in Dexter. Randy will be missed in this world, but I know we will someday have a grand reunion. My prayer is that God will give each of you the strength and comfort to navigate this difficult time.

Mike Watkins - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WO

“ We are in a deep state of shock. May God be with during this time of grief. Susan, our thoughts and prayers are with you. We will always cherish our fond Lions memories.

W. R. & Carole O'Riley - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM