



William Robert "Bob" Parks

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William Robert "Bob" Parks, age 73, of Fayetteville, AR, went to the arms of Jesus on July 2, 2021. He was born April 23, 1948, in Harrison, Arkansas to William Monroe and Laura Mabel Parks. He was a graduate of Mountain Home High School, University of Missouri-Rolla where he earned a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering, and earned a Master of Business Administration from the University of Arkansas. He married the love of his life, Shirley Mae Bell, on December 21, 1973. Bob loved Jesus, his children and grandchildren, good food, watching the Razorbacks and vacationing. He loved to read and teach the Bible to others. He visited every S.E.C. football stadium and in addition, he traveled to all 50 states and 6 foreign countries. He was preceded in death by his father.

Survivors are his wife of 47 years; his mother; his daughter, Sarah Cottle (Joel); his son, James Parks (Silvia) and four grandchildren, Esther, Isaac and Miriam Cottle and Sophie Parks.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 6, at Crossroads Community Church, 32561 Highway 295, Hindsville, AR, with Minister Charles Bell and Pastor Rocky Bell officiating. Visitation is from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday, July 5, at Nelson Berna Funeral Home in Fayetteville. Burial will be in Buckeye Cemetery. Active pallbearers are Joel Cottle, Issac Cottle, Richie Bell, Don E. McNaughton, Jake Denton and Billy Sisemore. Honorary pallbearers will be Rick Cottle, Chuck Huskey and Mark Hitt. Memorials are preferred to Gideons International, of which he was a member, P.O. Box 3022, Fayetteville, AR, 72702.



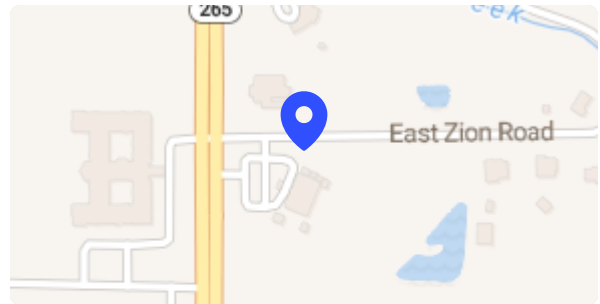
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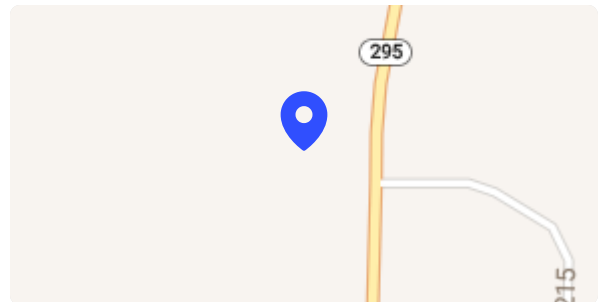
Visitation

- Monday**, July 5, 2021
- 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM CT
- Nelson-Berna of Fayetteville**
4520 N. Crossover Rd., Fayetteville AR 72703



Funeral Service

- Tuesday**, July 6, 2021
- 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM CT
- Crossroads Community Church**
32561 Highway 295, Hindsville AR 7272738





Tribute Wall

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Jack Bucher posted:

Bob has always been a great guy. I have known Bob for 58 years and he has always been the same wonderful guy. I remember our times cruising around Mountain Home on Saturday nights, the time he dressed up as Santa Claus for my niece and nephew, working as tour guides together at Bull Shoals Dam and Power House, and when he came to Pleasanton Ks to be best man in my wedding. I am truly saddened to have lost such a great life long friend. God Bless him, Shirley and his family.

July 5 at 10:50 AM



Anonymous sent a European Sympathy Dish Garden to the Parks family.



July 5 at 6:11 AM



Anonymous sent a Cherished Memories - All White to the Parks family.



July 5 at 5:15 AM



Anonymous sent a Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White to the Parks family.



July 4 at 8:00 AM



Anonymous sent a Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray to the Parks family.



July 3 at 6:07 PM



Mary J. Wells posted:

So sorry for your loss. Bob was a good friend and classmate. Sending prayers. Mary J (Smithson) and Ray Wells

July 3 at 12:38 PM



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Anonymous sent a Floor Plant for Sympathy to the Parks family.



July 3 at 11:27 AM



Don E. Mcnaughton posted:

Bob was such a good friend. Mentor at a young age for me. And always helping others. We often had talks and inside jokes that we probably are the only ones that understood. I will miss him dearly. He always called my office and ask for me just so someone would say May I ask who is calling? He said sure of course. Then silence.... they never knew what to say. They would say someone is on the phone that when I said may I ask who is calling he said sure? I said did you ask him? They said well no. Lol. I said well it's bob. Pick up the phone as say is this bob? :). I loved him and will miss him dearly. Praying for entire family.

July 3 at 10:49 AM



Anonymous sent a Healing Tears - All White to the Parks family.



July 3 at 10:27 AM



Anonymous sent a Healing Tears - All White to the Parks family.



July 3 at 10:08 AM



Kris Bell posted:

Bob like joke around. I and my husband were visiting Bob & Shirley in Arkansas. He called us and ask whrrr u guys want to go eat? I replied I don't care. Bob said we aren't going to Oklahoma. I ask what? He said there is a bar and grill in Oklahoma I Don't Care. ♡ Krissy & Dale

July 3 at 9:51 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring William by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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