



Forrest Hoobler

June 17, 1926 - February 11, 2023

Forrest Jacob Hoobler, 96, Topeka, Kansas, passed away on Saturday, February 11, 2023.

Forrest was born in Maple Hill, Kansas, on June 17, 1926, the son of Vern Perry and Mary Myrtle Rake Hoobler. He graduated from Rossville High School. Forrest proudly served in the United States Army from 1950 to 1952 and was stationed in Fort Carson, Colorado. He married Eleanor Walker on March 23, 1957, in Topeka. Forrest worked for Southwestern Bell as a telephone repairman and retiring after more than 30 years of service. He was a member of Town and Country Christian Church and had a strong faith. Forrest was also a member of 4H and the Masonic Lodge. He volunteered at Auburn and McEachron Elementary, French Jr. High, and Topeka West High School, where his grandchildren attended. He enjoyed spending time with his friends at the donut shop. Forrest had a passion for working with his hands, including farming, gardening, cooking and woodworking.

Forrest is survived by his children, Vernon Hoobler (Deanna), Diana Disney (Gary), and Sharon Birtell (Doug); grandchildren, Lauren Hoobler, Dylan and Ty Disney, and Sean and Austin Tabor; and brother, Les Hoobler (Evelyn). He was preceded in death by his wife, parents, and siblings, Harold Hoobler, Mildred Ronsse, Lloyd, Raymond, Dwight, William Albert and Everett Hoobler.

Visitation will be 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. Friday, February 17, 2023, at Town and Country Christian Church, 4925 SW 29th Street, Topeka KS 66614, where funeral service will begin at 12 p.m. Burial will follow in Mount Hope Cemetery. Forrest's family prefers masks be worn.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Church, or to Interim Hospice and sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Condolences may be sent online to www.kevinbrennanfamily.com.

Cemetery Details

Mount Hope Cemetery

4700 SW 17th Street
Topeka, KS 66604

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 17. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Town and Country Christian Church
4925 SW 29th Street
Topeka, KS 66614

Funeral Service

FEB 17. 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Frostie and I were PBX installers together in the 70's. In the short time I worked in that position, he was like a father to me and helped me by sharing his knowledge with me. My condolences to his family and friends. Tootie Miller

Tootie Miller - February 15, 2023 at 05:57 PM

MR

“ Mike & Maryann Ryals purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Forrest Hoobler.



Mike & Maryann Ryals - February 15, 2023 at 03:36 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Forrest Hoobler.



February 15, 2023 at 12:50 PM

NT

“ NANCY T. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Forrest Hoobler.



NANCY T. - February 15, 2023 at 11:32 AM

RD

“ *Roberta J Dalton purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Forrest Hoobler.*



Roberta J Dalton - February 15, 2023 at 11:18 AM

TS

“ *Sharon, I'm so very sorry for the passing of your father. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Hugs to you my friend.*

Tracye Scheidegger

Tracye Scheidegger - February 14, 2023 at 05:13 PM

DW

“ *This makes me so sad to see Forrest has passed. He was one of our favorite fellow coffee drinkers at Daylight Donuts. He was a man of much wisdom and we all enjoyed his gardening stories. The man could grow anything. Rest in Peace Forrest.*

Your friends, Dale and Debby Walburn

Debby Walburn - February 14, 2023 at 12:43 PM

NB

“ My deepest sympathy. Forrest will be greatly missed. He was known for his apple pie, deviled eggs and pickled beets at the Senior Saints church potluck every month. Pieces of his apple pie were grabbed up the minute they were put on the dessert table, for he was quite the pie maker.

He was a good Christian man and lived a good life here on earth and has now been rewarded with eternal life in Heaven. Love and prayers for his family.

Norma Butler

Norma Butler - February 14, 2023 at 11:51 AM

MB

“ Sharon -

My heart goes out to you and your family during this difficult time. You are in my thoughts and prayers.



Michael Browne - February 13, 2023 at 09:46 PM

DS

“ He was a very special person and a great father. Bless the family

Denise Schaffert - February 13, 2023 at 08:21 PM