



Robert McDowell

May 7, 1933 - July 11, 2018

Robert Ray "Bob" McDowell, Sr., 85, Topeka, Kansas, passed away peacefully at home on Wednesday, July 11, 2018. Bob served in the U.S. Navy before beginning his sales career with Fuller Brush Company, then real estate, starting Greenbrier Realtors in Topeka. Bob had many loves in his life: family, friends, fishing, golf, playing cards and church. He leaves a testimony of a life that gives praise to his Savior, Jesus Christ, for strength, wisdom and love.

Bob's family thanks the caregivers and hospital staff for their efforts to make his final days as comfortable as possible.

Bob is survived by his wife of 43 years Barbara; sons, Robb (Kay) of Topeka, Rick (Diana) of Tulsa OK, Ron (Joann) of Wichita KS; daughter, Becky of Minnesota; step-sons, Mike Botkin (Donna) and Jeff Botkin, of Topeka; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents, one brother, and three sisters.

Please join the family for a celebration of life, 10 a.m. Friday, July 27th at Fellowship Bible Church, 6800 SW 10th Avenue, Topeka KS 66614. Visitation will be one hour prior.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be given to the Fellowship Bible Church

Building Fund in memory of Bob McDowell, Sr.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **27**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Fellowship Bible Church
6800 SW 10th Street
Topeka, KS 66615

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert McDowell*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *I was very saddened to read of Bob's passing on Rick's Facebook post. I became acquainted with Bob and Barbara after they offered to donate hay many years to my equine rescue, Shooting Star Equine Rescue near Auburn. Their generous donations have continued each year, literally making it possible to continue our rescue mission of responding to the needs of abused and neglected equines in our area. He was a true angel for for hundreds of horses we have helped over these years through his willingness to continue supporting our hay needs. Bob was always such a kind and thoughtful person as we spoke throughout the years about the horses. My heart hurts for Barbara and his family as you have have had to say goodbye to this very special man. My blessings~Careen Cain and the Shooting Star horses*

Careen Cain - August 08, 2018 at 03:21 PM

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“ I have such wonderful memories of Bob, even of the day he had Will, Shawn, and I bailing hay all day for something like \$15 each. He and Barbara were a great influence on my life. The youth ski trips were the highlight of each year in High School - Bob taught me to ski after I was totally frustrated after spending the morning in ski school. Bob and Barbara were available to talk to any of us, anytime. I wish my teenage girls could find such an amazing youth group and youth group leader.

Bob will be greatly missed!

Scott

Scott - July 25, 2018 at 11:34 AM

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“ I have a lot of great memories of Bob... coming back from a ski trip in a blizzard, Bob trying to go up the ski slope in ski boots after I fell, accidentally leaving Alan Usher at the store we stopped at. He was a man of little fear and a great heart for God. He will be missed. Until we meet again Bob.....

Shauna

S Hadden - July 23, 2018 at 09:01 PM