



Robert Porter

January 1, 1941 - November 1, 2012

Robert Lee "Bob" Porter, 71, Topeka, passed away Sunday, Oct. 28, 2012, at his home surrounded by his family. Bob was born Mar. 20, 1941, in Kansas City MO, the son of Buel F. and Roberta Dawe Porter. His family relocated to Estes Park CO in 1951, where he remained until 2008. On April 5, 1983, Bob and Karla Tillman were united in marriage in Allenspark CO. She survives. Bob served the Estes Park community as a banker from 1969 until his retirement in January of 2000. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and served in the Civil Air Patrol. Bob was an avid outdoorsman enjoying hiking, skiing, mountain climbing and spelunking. He was dearly loved and will be greatly missed. Other survivors include his children, Kenneth Porter of Estes Park CO and Karla Mazurek and husband, Martin, of Brooksville FL; grandson, Cody Porter, Tampa FL; and nephew, Scott Souther, Firestone CO. He was preceded in death by his parents, his sister, Barbara Porter, his half-brother, Frank Porter and his best friend, Bernie. Mr. Porter's body was cremated. His memorial service will be Thursday at 10:30 a.m. at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka KS 66614, where family will greet friends immediately following the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Greenwood Wildlife Rehabilitation Center, sent in care of the funeral home

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Porter*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Karla, I am greatly saddened to hear of Bob's passing. I can still hear his chuckle and see his smile as I did throughout my lifetime of knowing him. I am thankful for his friendship through so many years. You have my deepest sympathy. Take care of yourself.*

Dianne Seybold Sanford - November 23, 2012 at 02:12 PM



“ *Karla, Ken,
We have many warm memories of Bob. His craftsmanship in the work he did in building his homes and the Park Nat. Bank was outstanding. His passing ends a life of service and friendship . You have our condolences and continued friendship.*

Dick & Audrey Putney - November 07, 2012 at 12:35 PM



“ *Bob was a teenager when we lived across the street from the Porter household. I watched him grow up. He was always friendly and a gentleman. Estes Park was fortunate to have him live his life here. We were all privileged to know him. Deepest sympathy from me and my family...*

Pat Mangelsen Petrocine - November 02, 2012 at 11:40 PM

DR

“ Aw Bobby! Having you as a next door neighbor growing up here in Estes was so special! I loved it when you would come down the hill, sit around our kitchen table, and just visit. I had such a crush on you too! So easy going, unpretentious - just a kind heart and soul. Rest in peace Dear Friend.

Karla, Ken and families - my sincere sympathy is with you in the loss of your beloved Father.

Diane (Myers) Rayburn

Diane (Myers) Rayburn - November 02, 2012 at 04:18 PM

CT

“ *Karla and Ken, I just want to say how very sorry I am for your recent loss of your father. I know that this is a sad and difficult time for you.*

Carolyn Backstrum Thompson - November 02, 2012 at 12:43 PM

DT

“ *May you find comfort knowing that others care. Bob was loved so very much at Estes Park High School and it appears that his love of life and his love of other people continued to grow throughout his life time. We were blessed to be touched by Bob. May God be with you in your sorrow and keep his fond memories forever in your heart.*

Darlene Trevarton Thompson - November 02, 2012 at 08:21 AM

CO

“ *Karla, I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Cem Oguzhan - November 01, 2012 at 08:01 AM

JL

“*Karla, know that you are in our hearts and our thoughts are with you. We are so sorry for your heartache.*

Jacki and Jeremy Lawson - October 30, 2012 at 06:44 PM

LK

“*Karla,
Was so sorry to hear about Bob. I have missed him driving by and waving, or pulling into the driveway to say "HI" if he saw me outside. May he rest in peace. You have my sincere condolences.*

LuAnne Koester - October 30, 2012 at 04:31 PM

KR

“*Karla and Ken,
I was saddened to hear of your loss. My heart grieves for you at this time. I will keep your family in my prayers.*

Kerry Ronquillo - October 30, 2012 at 12:52 PM

NI

“*He will wipe out every tear from their eyes,
And death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away. (Rev 21:4)
What a wonderful hope we have to look forward too.
These promises are true, and soon to be fulfill by our loving creator Jehovah.
My sincere condolences.*

NiKi - October 30, 2012 at 09:17 AM

VK

“*Bob was a great man, I am sorry for your loss.*

Von Kopfman - October 30, 2012 at 09:02 AM