



Robert E. Cherry

July 16, 1929 - February 27, 2018

Robert E. Cherry of Kevil, Kentucky passed away on February 27, 2018 at the age of 88. Bob was born July 16, 1929 in Hartford, Illinois to the late Delbert Cherry and Opal (Tune) Sites.

Bob served in the Army as a medical technician and drill sergeant. Shortly after he was discharged he met and married Donna Hazel Cherry and from this union they had three children. Bob enjoyed most water sport activities such as boating, owning his own cabin cruiser, skiing, and fishing. He enjoyed being outdoors to the point of even mowing grass on his John Deere tractor. He loved gardening, beautiful flowers and music. He owned and operated his own business, Central Music, selling sound systems to funeral homes across the country, a business built on a handshake and The Golden Rule. One of his later in life enjoyments was traveling in his RV.

Bob is survived by his children, Keith R. Cherry and wife Donna of Fenton, Missouri, Carmen Cherry and fiancé Terry Kuhn of Columbia, Missouri, Kela Canterbury of Houston, Missouri; sisters, Karoline C. Lee of Sorento, Illinois, Sandra Ervin and husband John of Bethalto, Illinois; grandchildren, Kristen, Brad, Michael, Kayla, Kelsey, Matthew, Eric, Justin, Alicia, Jonathon and Emily; twenty great-grandchildren; his wife Svetlana of Kevil, Kentucky and cousin Ron Parker of Belleville, Illinois. In addition to his parents, Delbert and Opal, Bob was preceded in death by his grandparents, John and Mary

Catherine Tune.

Funeral services for Robert E. Cherry will be held 2:00PM Friday, March 2, 2018 at the Salem Chapel of the James & Gahr Chapel. A visitation for family and friends will be held prior to services from 1:00PM until services at 2:00PM. Interment will be held in the Morrison Cemetery in Salem, Missouri. For online condolences please visit www.jamesgahrmortuary.com

Cemetery Details

Morrison

Salem, MO

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

James & Gahr Mortuary - Salem
103 West Center
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Service

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Burial

MAR 2 (CT)

Morrison
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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert E. Cherry*

January 30, 2023 at 04:37 AM



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January 30, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Bob and Hazel Cherry were our next door neighbors back in the late 1950's & early 1960's. My sister and I played with Keith & Carmen everyday!!! My Mom & Dad tried to teach me how to ride a bike and gave up on me and asked Bob to teach me and he took about 10-15 minutes and I had it!!!! Bob was so energetic and just always happy!!! My condolences to Keith & Carmen!!!!*

Pam Mace Penning - April 24, 2018 at 09:30 PM



“ *Goodbye old friend, miss talking with you but look forward to seeing you in the future. Glad you are finally at peace.*

An old Friend - March 04, 2018 at 10:39 PM



“ *Sorry for the loss I know my great granddaughter Charolette will miss him a lot she always talking about Grandpa Bob he had to be a special loving person she was very fawned of him.*

Loretta Gann - March 01, 2018 at 08:57 PM

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“ I first met Bob when I started working for him in 2000. He had such a great Outlook and zest for life. He was so passionate about his business. We went to a lot of conventions together and had a lot of good times. I will miss him. He loved his family very much. He always told me that he thought of me as another daughter, making me feel honored.

Lorie Brooking - February 28, 2018 at 09:55 PM