



Robert O. Hiam

December 5, 1929 - September 12, 2015

Robert O. Hiam of St. James, Missouri passed away Saturday, September 12, 2015, peacefully at his home, at the age of 85. Robert was born on December 5, 1929 in Lisbon, North Dakota to the late Olaf and Katherine (Morgan) Hiam. Robert worked on a farm when he was younger, he really enjoyed farming and working on farm equipment; he liked to "tinker" with engines, and usually had an old car around to tinker with; he really loved trains, so at the young age of 16 he left home to work on the railroad, at one time or another Robert has worked every aspect of the trains, by the time he retired he was a Road Master. Robert proudly served his Country in the United States Army during the Korean war. Christmas was always a fun time with Robert, he loved to decorate the entire house, he was also proud of the manger scene he would display in the middle of his masterpiece. Family was a very important aspect in his life and he adored his family. He was loving and devoted to his family and will be greatly missed by all that knew and loved him.

Robert is survived by his special friend and companion of 25 years Sally Hoyer; step-daughters, Cheryl Tull and husband Bill, of Billings, MT, and Tamera Hendrix and husband Paul, of Bourbon, MO; favorite niece Kathleen Donovan and husband Richard, of Englevale, ND; a host of extended family and friends. In addition to his parents Robert was preceded in death by his wife Delores (Larson) Hiam; brother Donald Haim; sisters Jean Hiam, and Joyce Mailloux.

Funeral services for Robert O. Hiam will be at 11AM Wednesday, September

16, 2015 at the St. James Chapel of the James & Gahr Mortuary with Reverend Jerry Baumann officiating. Interment will be at Sunset Memorial Park in St. Louis, Missouri at 3PM. Visitation for family and friends will be at the Chapel on Tuesday, September 14, 2015 from 6-8PM.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Park

Affton, MO 63123

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **15**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert O. Hiam*

January 30, 2023 at 04:37 AM



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January 30, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *My family and I would like to offer our deepest sympathies to you and your family. We are so sorry for your loss. Please know that you are never alone. Turn to the Holy Scriptures for guidance and to help soothe your heart. Psalms 34:18 assures us that God is near to those broken at heart and crushed in spirit. Please accept our deepest sympathies.*

michelle - September 22, 2015 at 08:24 AM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert O. Hiam.*



September 16, 2015 at 01:11 AM

GH

“ I enjoyed stopping in and visiting Uncle Bob when I was on a road trip through the area. It was amazing to see how much he and my dad Don looked alike! They even had many of the same mannerisms. Uncle Bob would sit at the table and smoke a cigarette and think about what and how he should do something just like I can remember my dad doing so many times! 85 years and still keeping busy that is a good life! Sally and Cheryl and families you are in our thoughts and I wish I could have seen Uncle Bob one more time!

Gary Hiam - September 15, 2015 at 09:20 PM

PR

“ Very sorry to hear of his passing Cheryl from the Tull family we all will be thinking of you and your family.

Paula L Roberts - September 15, 2015 at 06:40 AM

JB

“ I have many memories of Uncle Bob. the one that sticks out to me is the fun he had at his home town Centennial. We even talked him into riding in the parade. He enjoyed seeing old friend and relatives. He will be missed! Another memory of Bob was that I never remember him being sick. All the visits to Englevale with his wife and daughter were very enjoyable.

Jan Ballinger - September 14, 2015 at 06:50 PM