



Robert Crawford

January 19, 1951 - December 5, 2004

Robert Lyle Crawford, 53, of Topeka, Kansas, son of Bob and Ruth Crawford, died December 5, 2004, of a massive stroke while visiting his parents in Kansas, Oklahoma. He was born January 19, 1951 in Oberlin, Kansas. Lyle graduated from Decatur Community High School in 1969. While in Oberlin he worked for Haliburton Oil Company. While in Topeka he worked as an over the road truck driver. Lyle was preceded in death by his wife Mara in 2001. He is survived by his son Matthew Crawford of Kansas City, Kansas, three stepsons Marcus Machart and wife of Everett, Washington; Mandel Machart and wife Pram of Sterling Heights, Michigan, and Matthew Machart, McPherson, Kansas; his parents Bob and Ruth Crawford, Kansas, Oklahoma, two sisters, Mary Osburn and husband Steve of Scottsbluff, Nebraska, Helen Gill and husband Mike of Tulsa, Oklahoma; five grandchildren; five nieces and one nephew. Graveside services will be held at Cookson Hills Christian Ministries Cemetery, Kansas, Oklahoma, Saturday, December 11, at 11:00 a.m. with Woody Watson officiating. Visitation will be 6:00 to 8:00 p.m., Friday, December 10, 2004, at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Lyle's life will continue on through the generous donation of his organs. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Cookson Hills Christian Ministries, Rt. 3, Box 200, Kansas, Oklahoma 74347, in memory of our loved one who will be sadly missed. Arrangements are under the direction of Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Tribute Wall

KA

“ *Helen:*

I was so sorry to read about Lyle in the paper. Such a shock. I truly hope that you and all of your family are getting through it.

We don't live far from Tulsa. May have to come down and visit you!

Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers!

Love,

Karla

Karla (Unger) Atkinson - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM

NW

“ *I just learned of Lyle's passing. I have thought of your whole family over the years with great fondness, and thus was very saddened by this news. My thoughts are with you.*

Norbert Wenger - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM

JW

“ *You have my deepest sympathy.*

Judy Wenger - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM

LD

“ *Lyle always had a ready smile for everyone. I'm sure he will be greatly missed by his family and friends.*

Leanna McVay Davis - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM

SM

“ *Bob & Ruth,*
We were very sorry to hear about Lyle's stroke and that he had passed away. We felt fortunate to get to know him while he was living in Oberlin and getting to visit with Mara and he at different events we attended. You are in our thoughts and prayers, and the whole Oberlin Community extends its sincerest sympathy and friendship to you and your family. God bless you.

Steve & Marlene Meitl - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM

PM

“ *I am so sorry to here this sad news. I saw it on the Salina Journal on internet. I know it has had to be hard for him with Mara's death and bless his heart, he stood by her through her illness and now he can be with her. God Bless your family. I am not sure where you are in Okahoma. I don't know much about the state but I will have to get the atlas out and look and see where you are from Jenks.*

Phyllis McKay - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM

JD

“ *Mr. and Mrs. Crawford & Family:*

*Saw Lyle's notice in the McCook paper.
I am sorry for your loss. Hope You are all holding up. Blessings.*

James Dunn - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM

RB

“ We extend our sympathy during the time of your loss.

Even though we had not seen Lyle for a few years, we thought of him often. Memories of him and Bob in school and their friendship in the years that followed.

May you find strength in your family, friends and God to help you find comfort during this sorrowful time.

Ron Beneda - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM

JD

“ *Bob and Ruth ,
So sorry to hear about Lyle .
Just found out today as I was reading the McCook daily newspaper on line .
Our sympathy is graciously extended to you and yours .
Sincerely in Christ ,
Jim and Marion*

jim and marion dunn - September 19, 2012 at 11:34 AM