



Robert Leroy Stephens Sr.

July 14, 1948 - July 20, 2022

Robert “Rob” Leroy Stephens Sr., of Muskogee, Oklahoma, died July 20, 2022, in his home. He was born July 14, 1948, in Watts, Oklahoma, to Charles William Stephens and Pansy (Younger) Stephens.

Rob was the former Vice Mayor of West Siloam Springs, Oklahoma. He was also a hairdresser for many years of his life, owning his own salons. One of his accomplishments in life, was being the film hair stylist for the cast of ‘Hee-Haw’. Rob loved doing hands-on projects. He enjoyed handyman work, landscaping, admiring old cars, and restored antique tractors as a hobby. He is preceded in death by both parents; his brother, Melvin Stephens; brother, Sam Stephens; and a sister, Ruby Pack.

Rob is survived by his wife, Nita, of the home; son, Robert Jr. and wife Catherine Stephens, of Springfield, Missouri; daughter, Melinda and husband Scott Taylor, of Broken Arrow; stepson, Brian and wife Brandi Hayward, of Collinsville, Ok.; stepdaughter, Jennifer and husband Jody Pease, of Broken Arrow; his brother, Benny Stephens, of Tulsa, Ok.; and numerous grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be Sunday, July 24, 2022, from 4:00 – 6:00 p.m., at Wasson Funeral Home Chapel, in Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Funeral service will be Monday, July 25, 2022, at 10:00 a.m., in the Wasson Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Old Baptist Mission Cemetery, in Westville, Oklahoma. To sign the online guestbook, please visit: www.wassonfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Old Baptist Cemetery

Westville, OK 74965

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **24.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JUL **25.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Burial

JUL **25**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dad,
I miss you so much, but am happy that you are all healed in with the rest of the family in heaven. You will always be in my heart and memories! Love you dad, your one and only daughter
Melinda*

Melinda Stephens Taylor - August 04, 2022 at 02:31 PM

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“ *Dear Nita and family--we were so sorry to hear about Robert's passing. Robert was a great and long-time friend to his neighbor Charles Pickell (Tami's Dad and my father-in-law). Charlie always enjoyed the visits and appreciated the help Robert provided in Charlie's later years. Tami and I also appreciated Robert so much--we lived out of state and Robert always kept an eye on Charlie. We also enjoyed the stories Robert came up with--what an entertaining man. Tami and I wish you and your family the very best and hope you find peace in knowing the positive impact Robert had on so many lives.*

*Tami and Kevin Riley
Hollister, Missouri*

Kevin Riley - July 25, 2022 at 06:57 PM



“ *White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Leroy Stephens Sr..*



July 23, 2022 at 03:06 AM

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“ *Praying for Robert family. He was loved and will be missed.*

Ben & Sandi Sorrells - July 22, 2022 at 05:56 PM

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“ *Ben & Sandi Sorrells lit a candle in memory of Robert Leroy Stephens Sr.*



Ben & Sandi Sorrells - July 22, 2022 at 05:52 PM



“ *Plants-A-Plenty was purchased for the family of Robert Leroy Stephens Sr..*



July 22, 2022 at 05:48 PM