



Robert L. Christian

December 11, 1928 - May 9, 2010

WASHINGTON—Robert L. “Bob” Christian, 81, of Washington died at 5:25 PM on Sunday, May 9, 2010 at Proctor Hospital in Peoria.

He was born on December 11, 1928 in McDonough Co, IL to Russell and Ida Christian. He married Nola Beck on September 21, 1947 in Macomb, IL; she survives.

Also surviving is his mother, Ida B. Webster; one daughter, Linda Renfroe of East Peoria; grandson Rob (Angie) Renfroe of Hanna City; and 3 great granddaughters, Kaylee, Courtney and Kendra Renfroe, all of Hanna City.

Bob was preceded in death by his father, one son, Roger and one brother, Tom.

He had worked as a pipefitter in East Peoria.

Bob was a member of the Schiller Masonic Lodge in Peoria Heights, Shriners and member of the Scottish Rite. He was also a member of the Wilmore Sportsmen’s Club.

There will be graveside services at 11 AM on Thursday, May 13 at Hillcrest Memory Gardens in Morton. The Rev. Richard Fitzwater will officiate.

Visitation will be held from 5-7 PM on Wednesday, May 12 at Deiters Funeral Home & Crematory in Washington, concluding with Masonic Rites at 6:45 PM.

In lieu of flowers, the family wishes memorial contribution to be made to the American Lung Association.

Previous Events

Service

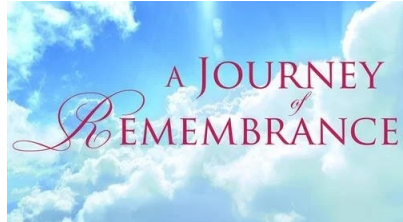
MAY **13.** 11:00 AM (CT)

Hillcrest Memory Gardens
Morton, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Deiters Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert L. Christian*



Deiters Funeral Home & Crematory - May 09, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *thinking of you and your family Nola, may God give you and yours comfort during this time of bereavement###imported-begin##david and sheila price##imported-end##*

May 12, 2010 at 10:07 PM



“ *keep your chin up, mom! Your dad was so proud of you & the life you have created for yourself and your boy. He's up there waiting for you, you'll see him again. See you on the van soon!###imported-begin##sean mulkey##imported-end##*

May 12, 2010 at 10:29 AM



“ To family and friends,
I grew up next to Nola and Bob while living back home. I learned so much from Bob such as hunting tips, planting fruits and veggies, taking care of his dogs, watching after the house while they were away in Alaska and so much more. Most important Bob taught me what a responsibility is. I will miss him so much and pray for him.##imported-begin##Dean Nolte##imported-end##

May 11, 2010 at 08:14 PM



“ Mike and I were very sorry to hear of Bob's passing, He will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Mike & Sherry Rogers##imported-end##

May 11, 2010 at 11:19 AM



“ Linda, So sorry for the loss of your Dad. He was such a kind man and always there for you when you needed him. Give you Mom my sympathy. We will not be attending services because we are leaving today (Tues) to go to Colorado. Sorry we can't be there.##imported-begin##Kent and Mary Lou Budke##imported-end##

May 11, 2010 at 10:31 AM



“ Bob was a very nice man. We knew him from coffee at McDonald's. You are in our prayers. He will be missed. God Bless. Terry and Betty##imported-begin##Betty Scurlock##imported-end##

May 11, 2010 at 09:16 AM



“ *Linda and family,
So sorry to hear of your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.
Stay strong.*

Kay##imported-begin##Kay##imported-end##

May 10, 2010 at 05:33 PM



“ *I wanted to let you all know how truly sorry i am for your loss. I loved
Bob very much and i know that he will be missed so much but never
forgotten and always loved. Please let me know if i can do anything
at all.##imported-begin##Stacy Nolte Turpen##imported-end##*

May 10, 2010 at 04:51 PM