



Robert Leroy Allen

June 21, 1947 - April 23, 2021

Robert "Bob" Leroy Allen, age 73, of Rapid River passed away on Friday, April 23, 2021. Bob was born to the late, Harold and Gloria (Dean) Allen in Wayne, Michigan on June 21, 1947.

He was in the United States Army and honorably discharged in 1968.

Bob married Eleanor Powers on June 27, 1969, in Garden City, Michigan. They moved to Mancelona in 1994. Robert and Eleanor were members of Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church of Gaylord. She preceded him in passing on Thursday, July 26, 2012. Bob enjoyed on working and fixing cars; he was a big sports fan. He especially loved to spend time with his family.

Robert is survived by his children, Patricia (Michael) Grant of Mancelona, Robert (Claire) Allen of Mancelona, and Mary (Matthew) Moore of Mt. Prospect, Illinois; six grandchildren Rose Sarah Mary Allen, Victoria Patricia Sheila Allen, Lucy Veronica Allen, Robert Leroy Michael Allen, Sarah Mary Allen, Raphael Patrick Moore; a brother, Jim (Carolyn) Allen of Paris, Tennessee.

A visitation will be held on Wednesday, April 28, 2021 at Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church of Gaylord, beginning at 5:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. with a rosary at 6:00 p.m. at the church.

A funeral mass will be held on Thursday, April 29, 2021, at Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church of Gaylord at 10:00 a.m. Father Daniel Ahern will be officiating. Interment to follow in Maple Grove Cemetery in Kalkaska.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Gregorian Masses, 7095 Kochville Rd Freeland, MI 48623.

Arrangements provided by Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.

Cemetery

Maple Grove Cemetery

Kalkaska, MI, 49646

Events

APR **Visitation** 05:00PM - 06:00PM

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Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church
2944 Murner Road, Gaylord, MI, US, 49735

APR **Service** 10:00AM

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Comments



“ Mama Grant purchased the Strength and Wisdom Casket Spray for the family of Robert Leroy Allen.



Mama Grant - April 28 at 07:52 AM



“ Dear Trish, Rob, Mary and families. I am just heart broken to hear of your dad's passing. I've known him since I was 16yrs old. He was the kindest, most gentle person I've ever known. We have so many fond memories of spending our summers with all of you. At least he is with your mom now. May the Dear Lord wrap his arms around all of you and give you peace during this sad time. Love and hugs to all!
Carol Haines



carol Haines - April 26 at 01:45 AM



“ Bob was my older cousin by just a few years. I always remember fondly that when we were kids, those few years made a big difference...he was one of the "older" guys. But he always treated us little ones so nice...and he always had a big smile on his face. Just a nice person. He will be missed. He is once again with his Elly. My love to Jim and all of Bob's children and their families.

Shirley (Kile) - April 25 at 10:16 PM



“ Bob, I will be missing you! I mostly knew you as a kid growing up and was looking forward to seeing you after all of these years, now that I've moved back to Michigan. I'm heartbroken that you didn't have more years on this earth. May you be feeling good with the Lord now. All my love, Michele Gale (Carol's daughter)



Michele Gale - April 25 at 08:22 PM



“ Jim so sorry to hear of your brothers passing. May your reflection of all the wonderful memories you hold in your heart help guide through this difficult time. Wanda V.



Wanda Vickerman - April 25 at 11:53 AM



“ While working for TCAPS in Traverse City, I meant Bob and became instant friends. We not only worked together there, but soon worked together for Merril Harivitt repairing and refurbishing mobile homes. Also along the same time frame, I had a major house project and Bob did all the electrical. We laughed together and worked together and enjoyed doing so. I had tried several times over our retirement years to contact Bob but was unsuccessful. He never said anything bad or told stories. He was a very honest man. I think of him often and wished that we could've remained connected but life does change for all of us.

I am sorry for your loss as a family, no doubt he will be missed!

Ken Moore



Ken Moore - April 25 at 11:39 AM