



Robert E. Lee

March 7, 1929 - July 12, 2020

Robert E. (Bob) Lee, Sr., 91, devoted husband, father, grandpa and great-grandpa, went to be with his Lord on Sunday, July 12, 2020. Born March 7, 1929, in San Antonio, TX, he is survived by his wife of 67 years, Frances Boehme Lee, and sons, Bob Lee, Jr. (Karen), Ron Lee (Shirley) and Greg Lee (Ginger). Bob was a loving Grandpa to surviving grandchildren, Jeanette Driffill (Steve) Erin Hobbs (Thomas), Chad Lee (Kristine), Morgen Lee, Shelly Zawadzki (Lance) and Grace Lee, and his great-grandchildren: Drew and Reese Driffill, Margaret (Maggie) Hobbs, Kenzie and Aubree Lee and Tate Zawadzki. Bob is survived by his brother-in-law, Donald Boehme and numerous nieces and nephews.

Bob was preceded in death by their son, William (Bill) Lee, their grandson, Robert Austin Lee, his parents James (Turk) and Ethel Lee, and sisters Virginia Harris and Norma Katz.

Bob graduated from Fox Tech High School, San Antonio, TX, class of 1948 where he was a member of the Buffalo Football team and the 1947 State Champion 440 yd Relay Team. During his high school years, he was a member of the Melody Kids dance band playing the saxophone and clarinet. Bob attended Texas A&I University, Kingsville, TX, where he served as Student Body President and played Javalena football prior to his service in the US Air Force. Frances and Bob were married two

days after Christmas, 1952, at St. Louis Catholic Church, Castroville, TX, prior to moving into their first home, Patrick AFB, Cocoa Beach, Florida, where Bob's service extended from 1951 through 1955. His USAF activities included working with guided defense weaponry. After he completed his military service he returned to school to become a 1957 graduate of Texas A&I. Bob worked over 40 years in the electrical and industrial lighting industry and enjoyed gathering with ERT co-workers in his retirement years.

Bob is a former parishioner of the St. Gregory the Great Catholic Church, San Antonio, where he and Frances belonged to the St. Blaise Family Guild. They were founding members of St. Matthew Catholic Church, San Antonio, where he was a devoted member of the VIP Club, active in Catholic Youth Organizations (CYO) and Scoutmaster for Boy Scout Troops #286/271 for which he was honored with the St. George Award. Additionally, he was a member of the St. Anthony Claret Catholic Church, San Antonio, Men's Club.

During his retirement, Bob and Frances enjoyed attending his Air Force 11th. Pilotless Bomber Squadron's reunions in various cities. They enthusiastically supported their grandchildren's scholastic, talent and athletic activities & competitions. Bob was a life-long hunter, enjoying sausage making and family gatherings at the family's Boehme-Lee Ranch at which he and the family hosted an annual Boy Scout campout event for the past 54 consecutive years.

The family would like to sincerely thank the many caregivers, nurses and doctors at the Etta Assisted Living-Shavano Park (formerly Brookdale-Shavano), WellMed Bridges Palliative Care and Compassus Hospice who cared for Bob during these past few years.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated Tuesday, July 21, 2020, 10:00am at St Matthews Catholic Church on Wurzbach Rd. through Mission North with

interment following at Mission North Cemetery on IH-10, near Leon Springs. Pallbearers are: Chad Lee, Steve Driffill, Thomas Hobbs, Gerard Boehme, Michael Boehme, Wayne Katz. If desired, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Bob's name to the Presentation Sisters, located at 8931 Callaghan Road, San Antonio, TX 78230.

In accordance with CDC safety precautions, we ask to wear a mask and practice social distancing. For everyone's safety please honor the family from a distance.

Cemetery Details

Mission Burial Park North

20900 IH 10 West
San Antonio, TX 78257

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

JUL 21. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Matthew Catholic Church
10703 Wurzbach Rd
San Antonio, TX 78230

Tribute Wall

GK

“ *Rest in Peace Mr. Lee. Thank you for your guidance as my Scoutmaster in troop 271 and persuading me to become an Eagle Scout. I will always be grateful.*

greg ksning - July 23, 2020 at 01:37 PM

RO

Thanks

Ron Lee

Ron - July 24, 2020 at 12:55 PM

GL

Greg, Thank you for the kind words. He loved Scouting.

Greg Lee

Greg Lee - July 24, 2020 at 04:15 PM

EM

“ *Please accept my condolences to the Lee family. I remember the good old days when Bob and I had a drink (or 2) at the Men's Club Monthly Meetings. Miss him a lot. Sorry for not making the funeral. This Covid-19 thing has put a damper on everyone's plans and actions.*

Earl W Moos

Earl W Moos - July 23, 2020 at 11:21 AM

RO

Thanks Earl for the kind words

Ron

Ron - July 24, 2020 at 12:54 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert E. Lee.*



July 19, 2020 at 10:04 PM



“ *Ron and family,
Please accept our condolences and prayers for all of you at this time of loss in your lives. Your father was a remarkable man and role model for all of you and we know you will miss him, but I am sure he is at peace in a wonderful place now.
A. J. & Pam Martinek*

A. J. Martinek - July 19, 2020 at 12:22 PM



*Thanks A.J. For the kind words
Ron*

Ron - July 19, 2020 at 03:44 PM



“ *Bob always shared his Scoutmaster experiences with me, something we had in common. He was always an joy to talk to and willing to carry good conversation and share experiences. Good bye my fellow Scouter, God Bless you and your family. You were always a good Catholic role model, which carried on to your family. I now regrettably share the experience of losing a son like you.
God Bless you, Raymond Torrez*

Raymond Torrez - July 18, 2020 at 12:23 AM

RL

*Thanks Ray for the kind words
Ron*

Ron Lee - July 18, 2020 at 09:15 AM

BW

*Ron and family,
Bob was a true gentleman and devoted Christian. I remember him
fondly from the St. Anthony Claret Mens Club. He will be missed.
God Bless you,
Bob Wienecke*

Bob Wienecke - July 19, 2020 at 01:45 PM

RO

Thanks Bob

Ron - July 20, 2020 at 03:16 PM

JK

“ We would like to give our sincerest condolences and sympathy to all of the Lee family. In reality, my sympathy goes to everyone that knew Mr. Lee. He was a great man, great husband, and great father; I am proud to have known him and consider myself to be a family member as I grew up with him and his kids. Such memories of our times out at the Ranch....so many good times. It is an honor to say in sadness that I love him and hope that he is smiling down upon all of us now as he sits with our Lord in eternal happiness. May God bless you all.

*The Katz family,
Jaime, Anna, and Grady*

Jaime Katz - July 17, 2020 at 08:31 AM

RL

Thanks for the kind words

Ron

Ron Lee - July 17, 2020 at 03:34 PM

BK

“ *My condolences to all the Lee family on the passing of Mr. Lee. He was such a huge part of the Keiffer family and so very important in the lives of my parents, (Bill and Joan) my sister (Karen) and myself. There are so many great memories and stories shared. With all the love to a man always considered as family. Billy Keiffer*

Billy Keiffer - July 16, 2020 at 07:11 PM

RL

Thanks Billy for the kind words. Ron

Ron Lee - July 16, 2020 at 11:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert E. Lee.*



July 16, 2020 at 05:03 PM

JK

“ *Jeff, Debbie, Cody and Courtney Kelso purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert E. Lee.*



Jeff, Debbie, Cody and Courtney Kelso - July 16, 2020 at 10:48 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert E. Lee.* ”



July 15, 2020 at 05:13 PM