



Robert L. Stark, Jr.

March 29, 1929 - March 23, 2016

Stark, Robert L., Jr.,
Sebring, Florida
Formerly of Saginaw, Michigan

Passed away on Wednesday, March 23, 2016, at the Florida Hospital Heartland, Sebring, Florida. Age 86 years. Bob was born on March 29, 1929, in Freeland, Michigan to the late Robert, Sr. and Malinda (Krauss) Stark. Bob married Kathleen M. Schmidt on July 29, 1955, in Angola, Indiana and she predeceased him on April 4, 1990. Bob enlisted in the U.S. Army on March 9, 1951. Corporal Stark had served in the 5th Army during the Korean War and was honorably discharged on March 8, 1953. Prior to his retirement, Bob was employed as a truck driver for Blair Transit - Great Lakes Express / Branch Motor Express for 36 years. Bob was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Lake Placid, Florida, and a past member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Saginaw, Michigan. Bob's memberships included the Teamsters Union Local #0486, American Legion Post #0025, and Loyal Order of the Moose Lodge #2374.

Surviving are his son, Robert C. Stark, Thomas Twp., Michigan; his sister, Joyce Terhune, Somerset, New Jersey; and a dear special friend, Maxine Duffy, Sebring, Florida. Bob was also predeceased by his daughter, Carol Jean Stark, and his sister, Marion Callahan.

Military Funeral Honors Ceremony will take place 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 30, 2016, in Bethlehem Lutheran Cemetery, Saginaw Twp., under the auspices of the U.S. Army and American Legion Post #439. Memories and sympathies of Bob may be shared with the family on his memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Previous Events

Military Funeral Honors Ceremony

MAR 30. 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethlehem Lutheran Cemetery
3356 Hermansau Road
Saginaw, MI 48603

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert L. Stark, Jr.*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *Robert L. Stark, Jr.*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *Scott and I always enjoyed our visits with Uncle Bob. My best memory is of a visit to his house in Michigan, sitting on the patio and eating strawberry shortcake. I seem to remember a certain basketball game that visit which convinced some of the participants that they weren't as young as they used to be! Although I hadn't seen Bob in a while, he always sent a Christmas card with a cheery note. He will be missed!*

Linda Terhune

Linda Terhune - April 07, 2016 at 11:35 AM

CS

“ To Bob's family,

We are so sorry to hear of Bob's passing just yesterday. We would have loved to be at his service. He was a great guy & we always enjoyed our visits with him in Florida. Mark & Aileen stopped by to visit the end of February to find out he was discharged from the hospital & doing rehab. His neighbor was kind enough to let Maxine know yesterday when she went to check on him with Dennis & Linda visiting from Michigan. We just sent a card for his birthday. Maxine spent many years with Bob so we got to know Bob so well & always enjoyed our times together. The last time we spoke to Bob he told us how grateful he was we still kept in touch & always remembered him. I hope he is at peace now & not suffering.



Love, the family of Maxine Duffy

Cathy & Mike Flynn (Maxine's son) - April 04, 2016 at 03:23 PM

KT

“ Uncle Bob,

The memories of our families getting together for summer vacations in Michigan are as vivid as if they were yesterday. B-B-Q-ing in your and Aunt Kathy's back yard along with hanging out with Corey & Carol Jean listening to the Jackson 5 are in my heart forever. May this just be a so long until we meet again.

*Love & Peace,
Kurt & Daphne Terhune*

Kurt Terhune - March 30, 2016 at 02:12 PM

SB

“ *Maxine & Family:
We are sorry to hear about your loss. It has been a long time since
Sam & I bowled mixed doubles with you. Take Care and God Bless
Sam & Pat Bashans
Saint Charles, Michigan*

Sam & Pat Bashans - March 29, 2016 at 02:11 PM

JT

“ *Happy Birthday in heaven, Bob,
You will always be my "little brother" and I will miss you every day.
Though we were far
apart by the miles you and your family were always in our thoughts
and prayers. Now who am I going to get those e-mails from? I am
so happy you are in a safe place now.
Your sister,
Joyce*

Joyce Stark Terhune - March 29, 2016 at 10:31 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Robert L. Stark, Jr..*



March 29, 2016 at 08:46 AM

BT

“ Goodbye Uncle Bob, Thank you for all the wonderful memories we have with you and Aunt Kathy, up at the cabin, Michigan, and down in Florida. You were a good person and every who met you thought so to. Goodbye
Blair and Ruth Terhune

Blair terhune - March 29, 2016 at 07:39 AM