



Robert "Bob" Paul Vanderlinden

August 2, 1956 - September 21, 2022

Robert "Bob" Paul Vanderlinden, 66, of Bartlesville, passed away peacefully at his home on Wednesday, September 21, 2022.

Bob was born August 2, 1956, in Sioux City, Iowa, to Don and Lois (Boyce) Vanderlinden. Bob attended high school in Sioux City. In Bob's early adulthood, his family moved to Tulsa and Bob stayed behind for a few years. He decided to move to Tulsa in the early 1980s with his first wife Kathy and his son Aaron. This marriage ended soon after. In 1987, he met the love of his life, Neva Smith, at Neva's sister's wedding. Bob took one look at Neva and told his brother that he was going to "marry that girl." They started dating on February 8, 2001, and the couple eventually married 18 years later, on Feb. 9, 2019.

Bob liked to work on and fix up his cars and he always kept them in tip-top shape. He was a jokester and had a wonderful sense of humor. Bob loved to collect eagle figures, fly the American flag, and loved the 4th of July. He loved his country. Most of all, Bob loved the Lord.

Family meant everything to Bob. He loved visiting his parents and he adored his grandchildren. Bob enjoyed spoiling them. He always had goodie bags for them every time he saw them. On Halloween, he would fill gallon-sized bags with candy for each of the grandchildren. The love and traditions he had with his family will forever live on in their memories.

Bob is survived by his beloved wife, Neva; a son, Aaron Vanderlinden; a stepson, James Smith; two stepdaughters, Brandi Wadsworth and her husband Heath, and Jill Smith; two brothers, Don and Mike Vanderlinden; a sister, Deborah Faulkenberry and her husband Glenn; and five grandchildren, Serenity, Taylor, Lexis, Bailey and Aven. He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, David and Steve Vanderlinden.

Bob's family will receive friends at the Davis Family Funeral Home – Dewey Chapel, 918-534-3030, 113 S. Osage (Hwy. 75), Dewey, on Tuesday, September 27, 2022, from 6-8

p.m. Visitation will also be held from 10-8 Tuesday.

Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. on Wednesday, September 28, at the Davis Family Funeral Home - Dewey Chapel, with Reverend Waymond White officiating. Pallbearers will be Justin Fortna, Jeremiah Fortna, Kevin Fortna, Don Fortna, Michael Muse and David Vanderlinden. Interment will follow in the Dewey Cemetery. Services are under the direction of Carter Davis and the Davis Family Funeral Home – Dewey Chapel. Online condolences and remembrances may be shared at www.DavisFamilyFuneralHome.com.

Cemetery Details

Dewey Cemetery

HWY 75 North
Dewey, OK 74029

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 27. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Davis Family Funeral Home - Dewey Chapel
113 S Osage Ave
Dewey, OK 74029
(918) 534-3030
davisfamilyfuneralhome@gmail.com

Friends and Family Gathering

SEP 27. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

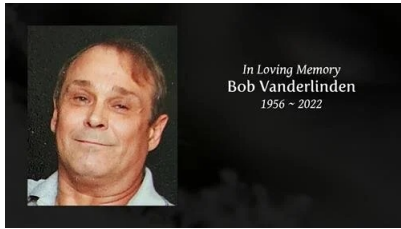
SEP 28. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Davis Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert "Bob" Paul Vanderlinden*



Davis Family Funeral Home - September 27, 2022 at 11:45 AM

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“ *Bob loved and spoiled his best buddy, Boo dog. 🐕 Wherever Bob went Boo was right beside him. Thier favorite thing to do was to go to Arby's about every 3 days. Boo is quite the fan of Arby's! They both became very well known and loved there. All they would have to do is pull in the parking lot and the Arby's crew was getting the order ready. 😊 Quite the friendships grew between all of them. Bob grew quite fond of the crew and Boo became quite famous! When Bob was no longer able to go to Arby's, I took over for him. Bob always had me deliver his hellos 🙌 and to make sure I let them know how much he loved and missed them ❤️ I was always happy to tell them and they always sent their love back to him. Bob really loved and adored his Arby's crew on Frank Phillips. I know it won't be quite the same but I will with Boo, take it from here. Boo really misses his best bud, Bob. Life won't be quite the same for the little guy. But I will take it from here and spoil him the best I can. 🐶🐾💙 Boo doggy and the Arby's crew miss you. 🙌*



Neva Vanderlinden - September 26, 2022 at 02:35 AM

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All the days of my life there has been you. I all of our growing up years you could tease me mercilessly but you were always my fiercest protector. We will be together again throughout all eternity for we have the hope of His Glory. I will miss you so very much brother mine. I love you more than words could ever convey

Deborah Faulkenberry - September 26, 2022 at 08:15 AM

RS

“ *I will miss you my sweet brother.
Your sis, Rhonda*

Rhonda Shrum - September 23, 2022 at 08:28 PM

AJ

“ *Bob was a wonderful brother and we loved Bob and we loved how he made our
Sister Neva very happy and loved. We will Miss u Bob
Love Angie and Bruce*

angie Joseph - September 23, 2022 at 07:18 PM