



# Robert Duane Carlson

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**M**t. Zion-Robert Duane Carlson Sr., 80, of Mt. Zion, passed away Friday, February 5, 2016 at Heritage Health in Mt. Zion.

Bob was born January 18, 1936 in Joliet, Illinois, the son of Gus and Irene (Schlosser) Carlson. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Army. He was employed as a setup man with Firestone retiring after twenty-nine years of service. Bob was a member of Central Baptist Church. He was a people person and enjoyed traveling. He married Jeanne Denney July 3, 1958. She preceded him in death on December 13, 2007.

Bob leaves behind his children Cindy Cripe of Rochester, MN, Tammy Carlson of Bloomington, Becky (Rob) Guynn of Dalton City, and Bobby Jr. (Lori) of Bethany, grandchildren Michael Cripe, Sarah (Mike) Sneed, Casey (Andrew) Cook, Justin Guynn, Courtney (Travis) Brown, Tyler Guynn, Caitlin Carlson, and Cody Carlson, and special cousins Rich and Kathy Carlson.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, wife, and sister June Crank.

The family would like to give a special thanks to the nurses and staff at Heritage Health especially Kayce and Erica for all of their loving care.

Services to celebrate Bob's life will be 12 noon Tuesday, February 9, 2016 at Lampstand Presbyterian Church, 655 S Airport Rd, Decatur, IL. Memorials in Bob's honor are suggested to the Alzheimer's Association.

The family of Robert Duane Carlson Sr. is being served by the Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home, 2091 N. Oakland Ave. Decatur, IL. Please view the online obituary, send condolences, and share memories at [www.gracelandfairlawn.com](http://www.gracelandfairlawn.com).



## Tribute Wall

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TI

**Timi** posted:

I'm so sorry for your great loss. We loved your Dad and so enjoyed traveling with him. He will be greatly missed. Timi's Tours, Moweaqua

February 19 at 5:51 AM

MO

**Morgan** posted:

As a dishwasher at Heritage, I will always remember Bob Carlson's kindness and politeness. He was such an amazing person who loved orange cool-aid, his go-to drink every day. I sure will miss him, and I am so sorry for your loss.

February 12 at 3:22 PM

DE

**Denise** posted:

So very sorry to hear of Bob's death. He was such a wonderful neighbor to me. I am sorry too that I missed the funeral. My condolences to his family. Denise

February 10 at 11:38 AM

BH

**Bonnie & Jerry Huddleston** posted:

So sorry for your loss Becky and family. You're in our thoughts and prayers.

February 8 at 7:58 AM

SK

**Shirley Killion** posted:

Bob, Becky, Justin & Tyler: We are so sorry for your loss. You are all in our thoughts and prayers during this most difficult time. With Deepest Sympathy, Bob, Shirley, Michelle & Melissa Killion

February 7 at 3:16 PM



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Robert by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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