



Robert Eugene Bennett Sr.

March 30, 1925 - September 29, 2015

Our beloved Robert Eugene Bennett Sr., of Bloomington, died peacefully on September 29, 2015 at the age of 90 at The Waters of Martinsville.

Robert was born on March 30, 1925 in Bloomington to the late John Harley and Amanda Lawson. He was a recipient of the Korean Service Medal, United Nations Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal and a Bronze Star. He worked as a security officer for ASI and Rogers Group Inc. He was a member of the American Legion Post 18 and served in both WW2 and the Korean War.

Robert is survived by his sister, Betty Shertzer; three daughters, Myrtle McDonald, Dorothy Bennett, Tammara Bryant; one son, Robert Bennett Jr.; eight grandchildren, Elizabeth & Butch Bridgewater, Brad & Lane Bennett, William Dugan, Shambree Treadway, Tanya & Nick Stroud, Kelli & Rob Lefler, Kalia & Rob Siegrist, Casper & Amber McDonald; twenty-four great-grandchildren; one great-great grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

Robert is preceded in death by his wife, Bobby Lucille Bennett; two granddaughters, Stepheny Jean Starbuck and Casey Dalene Axsom; son-in-

law W. Dale McDonald; and four brothers and three sisters.

A graveside funeral will be held on Monday, October 5, 2015 at Clover Hill Cemetery in Harrodsburg at 1 pm. Pastor Robert Thomas will officiate. Chandler Funeral Home in Ellettsville is assisting with arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Clover Hill Cemetery

9181 South Gore Road
Harrodsburg, IN 47434

Previous Events

Graveside Service

OCT 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BS


“ *So sorry that we are unable to attend the service today. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. ~Betty Shertzer* ”

betty shertzer - October 05, 2015 at 11:03 AM

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Thank u for ur prayers..

Kalia Siegrist - October 05, 2015 at 05:16 PM

 Misty
Nicole

“ *So so so many memories but you were always sweet nice and great guy but you always wanted kelli friends to call you papaw but we're not just her friends we family blood or not so many of us going to miss you and will never forget you until we see each other again we love ya* ”



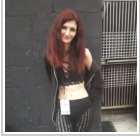
Misty Nicole - October 04, 2015 at 08:04 PM



“ *Mary Lane lit a candle in memory of Robert Eugene Bennett Sr.* ”

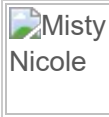


Mary Lane - October 04, 2015 at 10:34 AM



“ *There's so many memories I have of papaw I remember when he lived across the street from Kelli and em in Lawrence Hollow and going over there to drink coffee and chat. Also whenever I tried to call him Robert he'd be like no I'm papaw. I love and miss you*

Mary Lane - October 04, 2015 at 10:33 AM



“ *So so true he never wanted us to call him his name had to be papaw*

Misty Nicole - October 04, 2015 at 08:05 PM

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“ *Kalia Siegrist sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Eugene Bennett Sr.*



Kalia Siegrist - October 04, 2015 at 10:07 AM

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“ *Papaw You Will Always Be My HERO..*



Kalia Siegrist - October 04, 2015 at 10:07 AM

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“ *Kalia Siegrist lit a candle in memory of Robert Eugene Bennett Sr.*



Kalia Siegrist - October 04, 2015 at 10:06 AM

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“ *I remember u always asking me.. Koo do u know how u got ur nickname.. my answer is yes papaw u gave it to me. Well Koo do u know why i gave it to u? It because when u were a baby everytime i would hold u and bounce u up and down on my knee u would just KOO. As he just smile and laugh when telling me that story.. I have so many memories about this man i could keep going and going.. But this by far is my favorite one bc i have this name that i will carry with me until i see him again. And he will tell me the same story word of word. Papaw u are and always will be my ROCK. U are the reason i keep going when i was younger. U are not only my papaw u are my dad. My HERO that i know i will always have one my side.. I LOVE U SO MUCH PAPAW... FLY HIGH MY ANGEL.. R.I.H*

Kalia Siegrist - October 04, 2015 at 09:47 AM

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“ *R.I.H PAPAW. I Will always remember the stories he told and all the memories we have together. Your my hero papaw I love you*



Tanya Stroud - October 03, 2015 at 08:01 AM