



Robert "Bob" Dudek

May 11, 1939 - June 30, 2021

Robert "Bob" Dudek, 82, of Elm Creek passed away after a long battle with Parkinson's on Wednesday, June 30, 2021 at his home surrounded by family. Memorial services will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday, July 8, 2021 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Elm Creek with Father Jose Chavez celebrating. A private family inurnment will be held at a later date.

Bob was born May 11, 1939 in Donna, Texas to Tony and Rose (Vrchota)Dudek. He graduated from Fullerton High School in 1957. Following an honorable discharge from the U.S. Airforce in 1961, Bob worked in the Minuteman Missile Program and later worked in sales at Eakes Office Plus in Grand Island. On May 11, 1962, Bob was united in marriage to Mary Voichoske in Fullerton, NE. To this union two children were born: Michelle and Melissa.

He was an avid fisherman and hunter. He enjoyed gardening and especially growing roses. After retiring and moving to Johnson Lake, he spent many hours painting wildlife and dog portraits. Bob was a member of Ducks Unlimited and donated many paintings. He was also a member of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Elm Creek.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Mary Dudek of Elm Creek; daughters, Michelle Barger and husband, Bob of Columbus, WI, and Melissa Dudek of

Kearney; grandchildren, Anna, Adam and Alexis Lilienthal of Kearney; brothers, Pat Dudek and wife, Patty of Apple Valley, MN and Don Dudek of Fullerton; sister-in-law, Jo Thomazin of Genoa, NE; as well as many nieces, nephews and extended family and friends.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents; and grandparents.

Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

JUL 8. 10:30 AM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
Elm Creek, NE 68836

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert "Bob" Dudek*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Mary, I have just heard about your loss. It is a fond memory to think of you and Bob as neighbors. We had many a nice time. Take good care of yourself. Sheryl Rauch I live in Lincoln now.*

Shery Rauch - July 18, 2021 at 04:43 PM



“ *So sorry to hear of Bob's passing. I can remember Bob out in his boat at Johnson Lake with his dog drifting for HOURS of the day. It didn't matter if the water was rough or not, he was out there and catching his limit of walleye or white bass. I had the pleasure of getting to hunt pheasants with Bob and his dog Brandy if I recall his dog's name. I feel blessed to own some of his prints and paintings. He will be missed, Stan & Stephanie Vodehnal*

Stan Vodehnal - July 13, 2021 at 12:21 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Dudek.*



July 06, 2021 at 06:55 PM

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“ *Mary, Melissa, Michelle and families. We are so, so sorry to hear of Bob's passing.*

We have such great memories of the fun times we had together.

The bar-b-ques and fun outings we had were such fun and enjoyed every minute of them.

Please know we are thinking of you all and pray for comfort, peace, love and strength at this most difficult time.

Al and Sherone Fielder

Al and Sherone Fielder - July 05, 2021 at 07:14 PM

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Mary and girls so sorry to hear about Bob he is no longer suffering. My deepest Sympathy..

Patricia Koza - July 08, 2021 at 02:30 PM