



Robert Stittle

February 13, 1950 - March 23, 2011

Robert Stittle, 61 of Kearney died Wednesday, March 23, 2011 at his residence. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 AM, Friday at St. James Catholic Church in Kearney. Interment will be in the Kearney Cemetery. Military honors will be conducted at graveside by the Nebraska National Guard Honors Team in conjunction with VFW Post 759 and American Legion Post 52 of Kearney. Visitation will be 5-7pm, Thursday at the church with a vigil to follow at 7 PM. O'Brien Straatmann Funeral Home in Kearney is in charge of arrangements. Robert Jerome Stittle was born February 13, 1950 in Kearney, Nebraska to Rupert and Irene (Schuller) Stittle. He was a 1968 graduate of Ravenna High School and a 1970 graduate of Central Community College in Hastings, Nebraska. He entered into the United States Army on July 22, 1970 and served during the Vietnam War. In February of 1972, Robert was honorably discharged. On October 14, 1972, Robert was united in marriage to Phyllis M. Butler in Cozad, Nebraska. He was employed by the City of Kearney as a Senior Maintenance worker for 18 years. Robert was a member of the Prince of Peace Catholic Church, the Kearney American Legion Post #52 and the VFW Post #759. He was an avid sports fan and always there to offer a helping hand. Left to cherish his memory is his wife, Phyllis Stittle of Kearney; son, Brett Stittle of Doniphan; mother, Irene Stittle of Ravenna; sisters, Shirley Lockhorn of Pleasanton, Patricia Loeffelholz and her husband, Jerome of Pleasanton, Sharon Marzolf and husband, Ed of Gibbon, Carol Kugler and husband, Victor of Red Cloud, Beverly Macek and husband,

Don of Ravenna, Marcia Olson and husband, Gary of Red Cloud, Annette Finke and husband, Mike of York, Cathy Hilker and husband, Barry of Westminster, CO; brothers, Donald Stittle and wife, Toni of Ravenna, Ken Stittle and wife, Cyndy of Ravenna; many nieces and nephews and a host of friends. He was preceded in death by his father and brother, Jerome Stittle.

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Stittle*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Phyllis, I was saddened to hear of Bob's passing at such a young age. I knew him as a quiet and dependable man. My father was very fond of him and always spoke of him with the highest regards. My thoughts and prayers are with you as you find your way through this difficult time.*

Terry Wayne McInroy - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ *I was saddened by the death of your husband. I knw*

Terry McInroy - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ *Oh, Phyllis, I am so sorry to learn of Bob's passing. If there is anything I can do for you, please let me know. bonnie*

Bonnie Hoefelman McMullen - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM



“ *Dear Phyllis and Brett; we are so sorry to see that Bob died so young. Our memories of all of you are so dear. Please let us know if we can do ANYTHING for you. Love, Don, Ann & Lori*

Don & Ann Maxfield - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

JS

“ JEFF AND JAMIE WE ARE SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS AND PRAYING FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.

JUDY AND LARRY SCHMOHR - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

EH

“ *Phyllis - Please know that our prayers are with you today and in the days to come. This has been a long journey for you and your family - your strength is to be admired. May God bless you and keep you strong. Sincerely, E & J*

Errol and Jan Hoyt - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

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“ *Phyllis, Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. You and Bob were so strong for us when Dad was sick last year and I am sure Dad was there to greet him in heaven.*

Randy & Theresa Urkoski - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

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“ *Phyllis & family, I was saddened to see that Bob had passed away. He was always such a kind man. He came in to H&R a few yrs back & asked for me. He wanted to talk more than anything & said he knew I'd listen, which I was happy to. My thoughts & prayers are with you all. I know he will be greatly missed.*

Coleen Towery - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

LW

“ Carol & Family: I saw of your brother's passing & wanted to let you know all of you are in my thoughts & prayers. I remember in business school how you talked about Bob & wrote so many letters to him in Vietnam. He knew you loved him Carol. As with Norbert's passing, CELEBRATE HIM! Don't mourn him, I think he ould want it that way. If you need anything call. I'll keep you in my heart & prayers & thoughts

Linda Albelo-Bar Nunn, WY - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

RU

“ Phyllis, I am sure that Dad was there to greet Bob when he made his way to heaven. You were both such a strength for us last year and we were blessed to have you on our journey. You and Brett are in our thoughts and prayers.

Randy & Theresa Urkoski - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM

MC

“ Love you Phyllis...thanks for being such a great wife, mother, and sister-in-law

Marcia, Annette, & Cathy - August 21, 2013 at 05:59 AM