



Mitchell, F. "Bob"

March 15, 2013

Mitchell, Robert F. "Bob", age 79, of North Canton, OH (formerly of New Martinsville, WV) died Friday, March 15, 2013 at the St. Luke's Lutheran Nursing Home, North Canton, OH.

He was born January 14, 1934 in Petersburg, WV a son of the late Bryan Franklin and Esther Whisler Forman Mitchell.

Bob was a retired Chemist from PPG Chemicals; a U.S. Army veteran; a member of the New Martinsville United Methodist Church; Moose Lodge #931, New Martinsville; Wetzel Lodge #39 A.F.&A.M.; Osiris Shrine; VFW Post#6327, Sistersville, WV; and the American Legion.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two children, William Franklin and Mary Louise Mitchell and his step-mother, Jane Brattain Mitchell.

Surviving are his wife of 57 years, Karen Morey Mitchell; three daughters: Betty Ann (William "Bill") Thomas of Sardis, OH, Emily Alford of Morgantown, WV and Carol Fier of Canton, OH; one son: Charles (Martha) Mitchell of Broadlands, VA; one brother: Bryan (Gaye) Mitchell of Martinsburg, WV; two sisters: Mary Jane (Donnie) Bensenhaver of Alabama and Betty Lu (Allen) Heimbald of Florida; five grandchildren: Melissa Natale, Matt Ringler, Robbie Mitchell, Mary Beth Mitchell and Dominic Fier and three great grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the Grisell Funeral Home, 751 Third St., New Martinsville from 4-8 p.m. Friday, March 22 with Moose Lodge services at 6:00 p.m.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m. Saturday, March 23 at the New

Martinsville United Methodist Church with Rev. Melissa Shortridge officiating. Interment will be in the Greenlawn Memorial Park, New Martinsville with full military graveside services and Masonic services.

After the graveside services, a meal will be provided at the church.

Memorial contributions may be made to the WVU Foundation, One Waterfront Place, 7th floor, P.O. Box 1650, Morgantown, WV 26507-1650, Designation: Mitchell-Morey Family Endowment (online giving: <https://www.mountaineerconnection.com/sslpage.aspx?pid=501>); the Alzheimer's Foundation or a charity of your choice.

Tribute Wall

BM

“ *My email is btmitchell26155yahoo.com.*

Betty Ann Mitchell-Thomas - March 31, 2013 at 08:20 AM

BM

“ *Thanks for sharing. I agree others would be great to share about dad.*

Betty Ann Mitchell-Thomas - March 26, 2013 at 05:27 PM

DC

“ *PHS Class of '51. The PRESS arrives late in VA; please forgive the delay. Our class at Petersburg High School were very sorry when Bobby went to military school. One of the most memorable situations happened in Clem Clowers Civics class. Bobby had the habit of leaning backwards in his chair at the back of the room; also in the back of the room was the "spiral tube" fire escape. We were on the third floor of the building and Bobby leaned back, the escape door opened and talk about "noise." Both Bobby and the chair went rattling down the escape. I thought his grandchildren would enjoy this memory. We have lost many of our classmates and I am so sorry to hear about Bob. dsa7*

Dolly Kimble Cox - March 25, 2013 at 05:10 PM

CF

“ *Much appreciated. Would enjoy other memories as well! Carol Mitchell Fier*

Carol Mitchell Fier - March 25, 2013 at 08:01 AM

JL

“ Mrs Mitchell and Charlie Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Jack and Nancy Lever

Jack and Nancy Lever - March 22, 2013 at 01:18 PM

DH

“ Sorry to hear Mr. Mitchell passed, but he's at peace now. Our prayers are with all of you

David Harshberger - March 22, 2013 at 08:12 AM

RD

“ Karen and family, So sorry to hear of Bob's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Robin

Robin and George DeRitter - March 20, 2013 at 07:36 PM

MK

“ Karen and family, My thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this most difficult time.

Mary Kovalcik - March 20, 2013 at 05:16 PM

CY

“ We are so sorry to hear of Bobs' passing but know that he is in a better place and been reunited with loved ones. God bless each and everyone of you during this most difficult time but know He is watching over all of you. Love to all!!

Charles & Mary Young - March 20, 2013 at 03:20 PM

TG

“ Karen and family so sorry to hear of Bob's passing He was a great friend of the family and was so good when dad passed . Our thought and prayers are with you in this most difficult time. TAmmy

Tammy Mellott- Glvens - March 20, 2013 at 01:18 PM

BT

“ I sure do miss you my friend, and father in-law! I miss taking you around here and there, see you in God's kingdom! Bill Thomas

Bill Thomas - March 18, 2013 at 01:52 PM