



Robert William Turpin

October 14, 1933 - April 13, 2022

Robert Turpin, 88, of Bowling Green, MO passed from this world Wednesday April 13, 2022 at Aspire Living. He was born October 14, 1933 on the Family Farm in Cyrene, MO, beloved son of Kinza B. and Mabel (Berry) Turpin.

He will be sadly missed and lovingly remembered by his son Keith Turpin and his wife Laura of Lake of the Ozarks. Robert was a very proud Grampa to Megan (Dan) Leno, Tanner (Shelby) VanTress, Lindsay (Ryan) Phillips, and Lauren VanTress. Robert is also survived by two sisters Genevieve Parker, Louise Gfellner and a brother Jimmy Turpin. When reaching Heaven's Gates he was met by his siblings that have gone before him, Doris Jean Turpin, Glen Turpin, Carl Turpin and R.B. Turpin. Robert's only daughter, Vicki Turpin, passed March 30, 2021.

He is also survived by several very special nieces and nephews.

He was a graduate of Bowling Green High School Class of 1951. Robert proudly served his country in the United States Army during the Korean War. He was a member of the American Legion. Robert also was a member of the Louisiana Elks Lodge.

Robert had been the Eastern County Commissioner and then elected to Presiding Commissioner of Pike County. All together he served the county a

total of 13 years. Living and working on the family farm was a huge part of Robert's life. Through those years on the farm, there were several fish fry's, which Robert hosted. Later in life Robert enjoyed putting puzzles together and playing Dominoes. Due to the competitiveness of the Dominoes games, there were arguments of who was to sit by Robert.

Robert had the patience of a Saint. He had to, he coached Keith's little league baseball team from 7 years old thru high school. Robert was an avid St. Louis Cardinal fan, he was fortunate enough to attend a Cardinals vs. Cubs game at Wrigley Field in 2016, with Keith, Megan and Vicki.

Robert was an avid golfer, he sometimes golfed daily with his brother, Jimmy. He was fortunate enough to get a hole in one!

Faith was a huge part of Robert's life. At Antioch Presbyterian Church, he served as Deacon and Elder, this church was very important throughout his life.

Robert, Dad, or Grampa was dearly loved and will be missed by all who knew him.

Memorials in Robert's name may be made to Antioch Cemetery.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **24**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Memorial Service

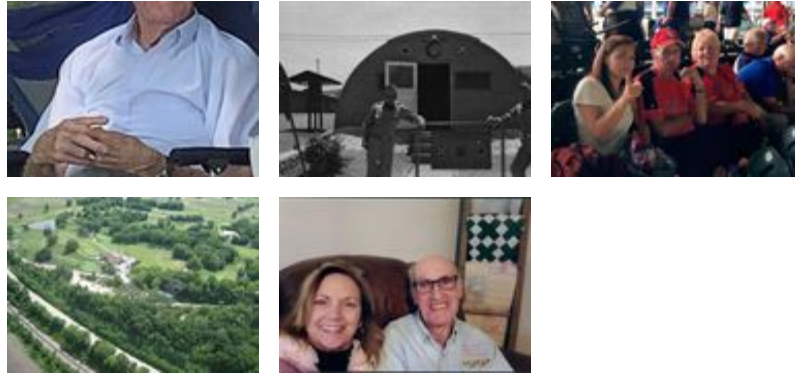
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Tribute Wall



“ 39 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Bibb-Veach Funeral Home's, LLC. - April 22, 2022 at 10:41 AM

CM

“ *Carla Mills lit a candle in memory of Robert William Turpin*



Carla Mills - April 16, 2022 at 10:02 AM

JM

“ *Robert was a great man and loved by many. We were there at his fish fries several times and it was always something to look forward to. He will be missed. May He Rest in Peace.*

Jane & Ed McGeorge - April 15, 2022 at 10:13 PM

CB

“ My Uncle Robert was the best. He always had a twinkle in his eyes and gave the best hugs, just like my Dad. I miss him so much, but I know he is in a much better place. He's talking to all his brothers and sister who passed before him. Also, his parents and his daughter, Vickie Turpin.
Cynthia Turpin Branstetter

Cynthia Turpin Branstetter - April 15, 2022 at 04:58 PM

CS

“ Robert put up with a lot from Vic's college friends. We were in BG a lot and he always made us feel welcome. Rest In Peace Robert and enjoy being reunited with Vic.

Cindy Springer - April 15, 2022 at 11:59 AM

DW

“ Donna Whitener lit a candle in memory of Robert William Turpin



Donna Whitener - April 15, 2022 at 08:19 AM

RS

“ Renee Sevier lit a candle in memory of Robert William Turpin



Renee Sevier - April 14, 2022 at 11:41 PM

RS

“ Many years ago I worked at Pike County Abstract/Title Company in Bowling Green, Mo, (when it was next door to McIlroy & Millan), Mr. Turpin would come in, as he worked for Century 21 Hays & Wells. He would always joke with me that he had a property on Renee Street/Rd, in Frankford, Mo, (I think), to sell.

Mr. Turpin will be missed.

*So very sorry for your family's loss,
Renee Sevier (pronounced like "severe")*

Renee Sevier - April 14, 2022 at 11:41 PM

JM

“ Robert Turpin was a member of the Pike County Economic Development Council and I worked as the director for 3 years. He was a fine man and always had the best interest of Pikecountians in his heart. He was to be admired and deserves his rewards in Heaven. Proud to have had the pleasure of knowing Robert.

Judy Moss-Niemeyer - April 14, 2022 at 09:10 PM

DC

“ I want to add my words of sympathy to Robert Turpin's family and friends. I had many conversations with him over the years. He will be missed by many people. D, Randall Cone, Louisiana, MO

Dean Randall Cone - April 14, 2022 at 06:05 PM

BL

“ *Bryce And Doris Love lit a candle in memory of Robert William Turpin*



Bryce and Doris Love - April 14, 2022 at 05:39 PM