



Robert "Bob" Bache

July 12, 1940 - July 22, 2019

Robert H (Bob) Bache, 79, of High Springs died July 22, 2019 at Haven Hospice after a long battle with cancer with his family at his side. He was born July 12, 1940 in Pennsylvania.

He is survived by his wife Edie, son Rob (Holly) Bache, daughter Susan (C.J.) Alexander and grandchildren Hannah, Beth, Ben, Trey, Olivia, Sam, Mary, and David, Brothers Bill (Barbara) Bache of N.C., Emery (Linda) Swearingen and Sister Margaret (David) Kidd both of Gainesville. Also sisters-in-law Sue Isaac and Barbara Roberts of Cabot, AR and brother-in-law Gary (Tanya) Clayton of Little Rock, AR. Bob is also survived by many nieces, nephews, and cousins living many places around the USA. He is predeceased by Parents William Hyatt Bache and John E. And Marilou Swearingen.

Bob was adopted by Hyatt and Marilou Bache. Daddy Bache was killed when his plane crashed in WW2. Marilou and children moved to Sarasota, FL. Marilou married John Emery Swearingen and moved to Gainesville when Bob was around seven years old.

Bob graduated from Gainesville High School in 1958. He was honorably discharged from the U.S. Army in 1963 after serving as a Meteorological Observer Specialist in Alaska. He returned to the University of Florida and earned degrees in Advertising and Public Relations in the school of journalism

and received a Masters in Business Administration in 1972. He worked in various positions for the city of Gainesville and Alachua County. He was employed at Union Correctional Institute in Raiford from 1983 until 2007 when he retired as a Classification Specialist. Bob loved hunting and fishing, but mostly loved being out in nature. He loved teaching young people to enjoy these outdoor sports. He was a master woodcarver and created many pieces we all enjoy. Another love he had was teaching third and fourth grade Sunday School. He loved his family, and many friends. Bob and Edie accepted Jesus in 1980 and he was ordained a deacon at First Baptist Church in 1981.

Edie would like anyone interested to write down their memories and special experiences with Bob and drop them in the memory basket in the foyer at the service for a memory book.

A funeral service will be held Sunday, July 28, 2019 at 3:00 PM at First Baptist Church in High Springs with Pastor Gary Crawford officiating. Interment to follow at High Springs cemetery. Visitation will be from 1:30 to 3:00 PM at the church. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in his name to First Baptist Church of High Springs for pay off of children's ministry building mortgage.

Arrangements have been placed under the care of Rick Gooding Funeral Home Cross City, Florida 352-498-5400 and Chiefland, Florida 352-493-0050. Please sign the online guest book at rickgoodingfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

High Springs Cemetery

High Springs, FL 32643

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 28. 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of High Springs
20112 North US Hwy 441
High Springs , FL 32643

Service

JUL 28. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert "Bob" Bache*

October 08, 2023 at 10:03 PM



“ *Robert "Bob" Bache*

January 30, 2023 at 01:26 AM



“ *Rob, I didn't know your dad, but knowing you, I can only imagine what a wonderful and caring person he must have been.*

My prayers for you and your family as you make this new journey without your dad. May your memories, your faith and the love and respect of friends and family lift you up and carry you gently in the days to come.

*With deepest sympathy,
Beckie Preston*

Beckie Preston - July 31, 2019 at 04:00 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Pat Watson - July 25, 2019 at 03:05 PM

JC

“ Bob was one of the guys that wore a "white hat" ..
Really enjoyed his visits. I shall miss him. My prayers go out to
Edie, Rob and Susan..
Uncle Jack

Jack Clark - July 25, 2019 at 09:05 AM



“ Edie, Susan and Robbie,
We are so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. I know he fought long and
hard, but is rejoicing now with his Savior, Jesus Christ. I use to love
seeing and talking to Bob as he mentored at High Springs
Community School. We love you all and your family is in our
prayers.
Love,
Al and Janie Paulson

Janie Paulson - July 25, 2019 at 08:17 AM

RJ

“ Once I met Bob, there was never a Sunday that he didn't walk up to
me to say hello and have a conversation. Bob use to tell me stories
of his experiences serving our Lord. The last one had us laughing
so much. I never met a man who loved children and loved teaching
them about Christ more than Bob. He definitely left a legacy and
showed us how to be a follower of Christ. He will be sorely missed,
however, the Lord has gained a wonderful man by His side.

Rick Jefferson - July 25, 2019 at 06:59 AM

MB

“ *A wonderful man. Always a positive outlook. An example of Christian values and beliefs. Sorry to hear of his passing but knowing that he is with the Lord is pleasing. Prayers for his family for comfort for their loss*

Marisa Bussey - July 25, 2019 at 06:29 AM



“ *Cheryl's Classic Treats Box was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Bache .*



July 24, 2019 at 11:57 PM



“ *Kosher Tower of Treats was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Bache .*



July 24, 2019 at 09:40 PM

EB

“ *Bob was a gentle giant. A man with such a sweet spirit and hugh smile. We will see you again at "The Day of the Lord".*

Edith Beck - July 24, 2019 at 09:13 PM