



## Robert W. Lee

October 11, 1948 - June 4, 2015

Robert W. Lee, 66, of Centralia, passed away on Thursday, June 4, 2015 at Hospice Home of Edwardsville. He was born October 11, 1948 in Columbia, Missouri, son of Dorothy (Woods) Lee and Wayne Lee. Robert married Sandy Phillips on October 23, 1989 and she survives him in Centralia. He is also survived by two sons: Dan Lee and wife Carla of Odin, IL and Robert Rowartt of Marion, IL; one daughter Laura Jones of Fischers, IN.; two grandchildren: Megan Meyer and Kassie Morgan of Fischers, IN; two brothers: Larry Lee and wife Roberta of Sparta, IL., Rick Lee and wife Andrea of Pinckneyville, IL; Many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents and father-in-law Claude Phillips. Robert's favorite quote was "when God is for us, who can be against us?" His greatest accomplishment was asking the Lord to be his savior. Robert worked at Universal Printing in St. Louis, MO and formerly a manager in offset at World Color Press. He was an avid Nascar Fan following Dale Earnhardt and worked on Tom Sneva's Indy car, he also like to follow Matt Nevert in dirt car racing. He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Centralia, IL. A Celebration of Life Service for Robert W. Lee will be held Sunday June 7, 2015 at 4:00p.m. with Pastor Mark Girardin officiating at the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home in Centralia. Visitation will be held from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to the SSM Hospice and will be accepted by Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home in Centralia, which is assisting the family with arrangements. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting

[www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

BB

“ Aunt Sandy, I hate that you are having to go thru this. But I know Uncle Bob is at peace. I am so sorry I'm not able to be there but you already have so many around you. I'm remembering him with a cigar and a race on the TV. Love to you all.

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**Brad Buttrum** - June 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ER

“ Our deepest condolence to the Lee family for their loss. You are in our prayers

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**Eileen and Jim Ross** - June 07, 2015 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Hi Sandy Very sorry to hear about Bob Wish we lived closer to you guys Love and God Bless

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**Marvin and Fern Lee** - June 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KD

“ I'm so very sorry for your loss Sandy! May God be with you and give you peace and strength always! God Bless you and your family! You are in my thoughts and prayers!

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**Kris and Madison Dawson** - June 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Condolences to the family. Bobby was a good man, treated everyone with respect. Always had a smile. My husband Vern worked with him in Salem and with his dad in Sparta. Mary Stork

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**Mary Stork** - June 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Sandy condolences to you and the family.*

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**Jim and Carol Brittan** - June 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ *Our sincere sympathies to you and your family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

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**Dianne Kariotis** - June 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CR

“ *No words can be said to help ease your pain and loss. Bob was a very nice soft spoken man, God is getting another good man. Take care and God bless.*

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**cheryl rabenort** - June 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ *Sandy, I am fighting cancer, again, too. I thought about stopping by so many times to see you guys. We all shared so many good times. I am so sorry for your loss. You had a wonderful husband and he loved you dearly. Miss you, Rena*

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**Rena Carroll** - June 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ *my condolences to the Lee Family, Jody Smiley*

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June 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DH

“ *My condolences to All Bobby's Family. He was one of the sweetest men I have ever meet. I had not seen Bobby as of late but he was thought of often. I have so many good memories of our World Color Days. Donna (Phillips) Hutchison*

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**Donna Hutchison** - June 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM