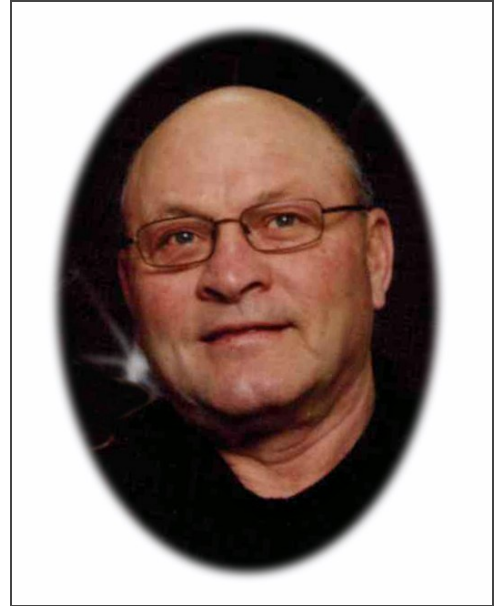


# Robert (Bob, Robbie, Cowboy, Yogi) Robertson

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Bob Robertson passed away on Tuesday, November 2, 2021 in Regina, Saskatchewan at the age of 79. Bob leaves to cherish his memory, his loving wife of 52 years Arlene (who he always said that he saved from the sticks), his sons Reid (Cheryl) and Kyle (Nicky), grandkids Caitlyn, Ryan, and Kayla, and his sisters Eileen, Gail (Gary), and Debbie (Darrell). Bob was predeceased by his parents Reid and Gladys, stepfather Cliff Hart, his sister Linda Aalbers, father and mother-in-law Carl and Angeline Mohninger, brother-in-law Barry Miller, and sister-in-law Darlene Strueby.

Bob was born on October 30, 1942 in Central Butte, SK and raised on a farm. Bob's dad passed away when he was 10 years old forcing him to be the "man of the house" at a very young age. At 18, Bob joined the Navy and served three years for our country. After completing his service, Bob got a job working on the Gardner Dam sparking his passion for construction. Shortly after, he started his 40+ year career in the house building industry starting out framing and finishing up with the New Home Warranty program. Bob made a lot of friends and contacts throughout his career developing a reputation of honesty, integrity, and respect. His word and handshake were golden. His handshake usually crushed the recipient as his hands matched his size. The only thing larger than Bob's frame was his heart. He was always willing to help out without asking for anything in return.

In retirement, Bob and Arlene loved to travel when they could. Places like Hawaii, Mexico, and cruises were always something to look forward to. Bob could not stand around and do nothing. The last 5 years he was driving school bus for elementary kids. It was a perfect part-time job which allowed him to shop for sales on steaks and prime rib. Any meal that he and Arlene cooked when they had company over was mouthwatering and more than enough. Bob and Arlene took every moment to spend time together whether it was shopping, travelling, dinners, Roughrider games, or their own happy hours.

Bob absolutely hated the wind in this province which all that knew him will attest to. With the passing of Bob, he will never have to put up with it again. The swear jar will be a lot emptier.

The family would like to thank the first responders and staff at the Regina General Hospital for their professionalism and compassion especially in this world we are in today.

As per his wishes, there will be no funeral service. In lieu of flowers, please donate to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or your local Legion. To celebrate his life, raise a glass and toast to one of the finest men you would ever meet.

## Messages of Condolence

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Arlene, the kids and their families. Bob was one of a kind. A true family man, a friend and someone everyone liked to be with and around!

RIP Bob !

— **Glen and Sheena Anholt**

Bob was one of a kind biggest gentle bear around. Bob always made me laugh when we bumped into each other at the work site at Cairns Homes. Rest easy Bob. Thank you for your Service.

— **Brian Summers**

Bob always saw the upside of people and situations. Time spent with Bob and Arlene was always relaxing and fun. I will miss the good house maintenance and repair advice.

Gone but will never be forgotten.

— **Ron and Chloe Stephens**

My condolence to uncle Bob  
From Jana and family

— **Tammy Richards ( Jana Aalbers)**

Our condolence to you and your family Alene  
Bob was one of the best friend you could have  
Rest in piece

— **richard e schmidt**

Sorry to of Bob's passing Arlene. Condolences to you and family .

— **Merv Summers**

Our deepest sympathy to Arlene and family. Bob was one of a kind and he will be missed.

— **Perry and Jean Langford**

Bob was and still is a wonderful guy nothing was to big Or to small we will miss him God bless love you Arlene take care.

— **Leo Rissling**

Condolences to Arlene and Family

— **Don and Darlene McLeod**

Bob was such a great friend we always kept in touch by phone. He would give good advice and help when you needed it. He will be deeply missed. My deepest condolences to Arlene and the whole family take care. RIP Bob.

— **Maurice and Connie Larose.**

Bob was a great brother to Debbie and brother in law to me. He always made me feel welcome and a part of the family. He was great with our two sons when they were young. They still talk about how big and strong he was as they tried to wrestle with him two on one. He loved his family and was really a gentle giant - although family lore does include some exceptions when he was a young buck. We will all miss him and we wish comfort for Arlene, Reid, Kyle and their families at this time.

— **Darrell Tracey**

Arlene our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family Bob the builder was awesome person and friend always ready to give you a hand or advice when you asked he will be missed by many and remember by all how knew him.

Brian and Dolly Rissling

— **Brian Rissling**

Arlene, so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. Sending you heartfelt hugs, comforting thoughts, and my deepest condolences.

— **Wanda Matravolgyi**

Our condolences Arlene. Not the news that we wanted to hear. We will go on with the memories and the laughter you and Bob provided us.

Bob was an absolute gem! We enjoyed Bob and Arlene's company and always looked forward to their trips to visit the Moose Jaw folks. Often, when we were in Regina we would run into Bob and Arlene and have a few "bonus" minutes at Costco. Those Costco encounters were priceless.

Bob's passing leaves a huge hole in our hearts. He will be missed by all who were fortunate to meet this wonderful, generous and kind man. Raise a glass in remembrance of this outstanding man.

— **Wayne & Kathy**

Sorry to hear about Bob, glad we we're able to speak briefly at the Rider game this fall. Say hi to the boys for us.

— **garry hagen**

Our love to you Arlene and Reid and Kyle and your families

So many great memories growing up with my Cousin Bob! I loved calling Bob to talk about our Roughriders---what a loyal fan he was! Bob was THE character of characters!

Love from The Maritimes from Cousin Don and Linda

— **Donald and Linda McDonald**

It has been years since we saw you. My condolences to you and your family.

My maiden name is Hagen. Olive Robertson was my mom.

— **Donna Bordian**

To Bob's family, our deepest condolences. I worked with Bob driving school bus, he was a good man and funny too. Rest easy Bob. Much love

— **Dori Watson**

My condolences in the passing of Bob. Arlene I think of the many fun times we had together. Cherish the many memories.

— **Shirley Anderson**

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