



Robert Kenneth McCarty

March 10, 1932 - December 9, 2023

Robert Kenneth (Bob) McCarty, 91, passed away Saturday, December 9, 2023, in Houston, Texas, surrounded by friends and family. He was born March 10, 1932, to Ernest and Violet McCarty in Burke, Texas.

Bob grew up in Burke, near Diboll, and played football at Texas A&M. He later served in the Marine Corps during the Korean War, surviving 6 months as a Prisoner of War. He spent most of his professional life working at DOW Chemical as a plant manager, retiring after 30 years in March of 1990. Even in his retirement, Bob never really “retired” due to his many hobbies, pastimes, and passions. His enthusiasm for racing pigeons and desire to help others blessed him with friends from all over the globe.

Bob spent his free time outdoors; coaching youth sports, hunting, fishing, and growing okra. His entrepreneurial mindset led to him founding several successful businesses. His philanthropy was evidenced by his stewardship to the Methodist Church and its mission to assist those in need.

Survivors include his wife of over 65 years, Dorothy Jo McCarty, his grandson, Mark Stewart and fiancé, Sabrina Sturm, granddaughter Shannon Stewart, and grandson Justin Stewart; his son-in-law, Steven Stewart, and fiancé, Melinda White, and close family, Rosemary and John Berry, and extended family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his sister, Ernestine Shows, and his three children, Mark McCarty, Jodie Stewart, and Matt McCarty.

A service will be held at 10:00 a.m., Monday, December 18, 2023 at First Methodist Church in Rosenberg. A graveside service with military honors will be held at 3:00 p.m. that afternoon at Garden of Memories Cemetery in Lufkin, Texas.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to First Methodist Church in Rosenberg.

Tributes and words of condolence may be left for the family at www.davisgreenlawnfh.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home, 3900 B.F. Terry Blvd.(Hwy 59 South @ FM 2218), Rosenberg, Texas 77471, Phone: 281-341-8800.

Previous Events

Service

DEC 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

First Methodist Church
1127 3rd Street
Rosenberg, TX 77471

Tribute Wall

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“ *Mr.Bob was such a loving caring Christian man who loved the Lord and his families very much. For the short time I knew Mr Bob he treated me as if I was family he was so generous & kind to us and he will truly be missed . Larry thought of Mr Bob as a father always getting great advice from him whether it was business or pigeons. Mr Bob we will always be grateful for all your help & generosity and you will forever be in our memories our thoughts and prayers go out to Dorothy and the family. God bless and rest high on that mountain Mr.Bob ❤️love Sissy Love & Larry Stanley*

Sissy Love & Larry Stanley - December 17, 2023 at 06:46 PM



“ *Days of Sunshine Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert Kenneth McCarty.*



December 14, 2023 at 04:03 PM

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“ *Robert (Sonny) was such a loving, great husband, father and grandfather. He was very successful in life and he always enjoyed things being done the right way. He was a very kind and helpful person, always putting others before himself. Even when he was hurting, Sonny was doing for others. He will be greatly missed by so many. Sonny loved Jesus and was not bashful about it. He was a great testimony while he was here on Earth. Although we will miss him, we rejoice in the fact that he is now in heaven with Jesus. - Jim and Mitzi*

Jim Gault - December 13, 2023 at 05:46 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Kenneth McCarty.*



December 13, 2023 at 10:54 AM