



Behnfeldt E. Robert

June 25, 2012

Robert E. Behnfeldt, 80, of McClure, Ohio passed away at his home on Monday, June 25, 2012. He was born on April 21, 1932 in Napoleon, Ohio to the late Ernest and Hildegard (Bostelman) Behnfeldt. On October 16, 1954 in East Point, Georgia, he married Nancy (Walden) Behnfeldt who survives in McClure, Ohio. Bob, the always-busy man he was, worked as a farmer and was a manager at Neuhauser Hatchery for several years. He worked carpentry for Woody Light in McClure for a time, then for the next 20 years, he greeted people at the McClure Post Office as Post Master, retiring in 1992. After he retired and still feeling the need to help others, he drove bus for the Henry County Senior Center. Bob will always be remembered for his smiles, and hand of friendship to everyone he encountered. He loved his family, his country and his freedom. He was always a voice of encouragement to all. Bob served his country in the US Army and was a member of the Roberts-McMillen American Legion Post # 332 of McClure, a former member of the Henry County Fairboard, the Henry County Airport Board, a former Clerk for McClure, and a bus driver for the former McClure School. He was a devoted member of St. Paul Lutheran Church in McClure. Bob is survived by his loving wife, Nancy, a daughter, Robin(Tim) Small of Defiance, and a son; Barry (Jenny) Behnfeldt of Napoleon, grandchildren, Erin Heilmeier, Bobby and Drew Small, Megan and Jenna Behnfeldt, brothers; Virgil (Jean) Behnfeldt of Haskins, Larry Behnfeldt of McClure and a sister, Carlyn (David) Northup of St. Augustine, Florida. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, June 28 ,

11:00 am at St. Paul Lutheran Church in McClure, Ohio with Pastor Mark English officiating. Interment will follow at Hockman Cemetery in McClure with military honors by the Roberts- McMillen American Legion Post. Visitation will be on Wednesday from 4-8 p.m. at Rodenberger Funeral Home in Napoleon and on Thursday, from 10-11 a.m. at the church. The family suggests memorials be made to the Henry County Senior Center, McClure St. Paul Lutheran Church or the Henry County Humane Society.

Tribute Wall



“ *Sad day. My granddad was Woody. I remember Bob from trick or treating each year. Will be missed!!!* **Len Light**”

July 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Nancy, so sorry to hear about your loss. Bob was a very special guy. I enjoyed working the polls with him. He is in a better place now. Our prayers our with you and your family.* **Brenda Amos**”

June 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Robin and family, my condolences, he will live on in your memories.* **Penny Rowley**”

June 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our sincere condolences to all of the family. Bob was always friendly and outgoing. I didn't know him well but you can always tell a quality person easily and he certainly was one. He will be missed by the community. Fred and Theresa Watson* **Fred Watson**”

June 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ To the family: I am so sorry for your loss...Bob was a great man that I so enjoyed at the fair and working for Sky Bank. He is going to be greatly missed. You have my deepest sympathies...##imported-begin##Gena Walther-bzovi##imported-end##

June 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Our sympathies to the entire family. We knew Virgil and Carlyn better, but still know that Bob was a great guy. God Bless##imported-begin##Bud & Mary Merillat##imported-end##

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“ Nancy, Robin and Barry, my condolences go out to your family. He certainly will live on in the ones that are left behind. I will pray for you as you go through this journey.Bethany and Rick Gable##imported-begin##Bethany Blue##imported-end##

June 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy, we know Bob will be missed by all very much. Fondly Steve and Debbie##imported-begin##Debbie And Steve Kapinos##imported-end##

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“ To the family, My sincere condolences to you and the family. I will always remember Bob's smile and all he has done for his family and community. We shared many good times at Postal affiliations getting to know him as a very caring and dedicated man. May the memories you have made, carry you through this difficult time. I am on the east coast and will not be able to attend his services. Bless you all. Jo Lyn Nye retired Postmaster of Malinta.##imported-begin##Jo Lyn Nye##imported-end##

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“ Nancy, Robin & Barry... Thank you for sharing Bob with us for all these years! He has always been a role model to look up to, both as an American & McClure citizen, and as a family man. He certainly will be missed!! Doug & Elaine##imported-begin##Doug And Elaine Kaufman##imported-end##

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“ Nancy and family ~ We were so sorry to hear about Bob. We will always remember his smile and the fun times we shared! Prayers for peace and comfort in the coming days and weeks ahead.##imported-begin##Carol And Jeff Lanzer##imported-end##

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“ ##imported-begin##Tiffany Brubaker##imported-end##

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