



Robert "Bob" Wheeler

April 26, 2010

WHEELER, Robert "Bob" Jr., 52, of Lakeland departed this life Apr. 26, 2010. He was preceded in death by his father, Robert Wheeler, Sr. He is survived by his mothers, Donna Wheeler and Nancy Johnson and husband Harold; children, Jason Wheeler, Kimberly Jackson (Jeff), step-daughter, Devona Haycraft; brother, Paul Wheeler; sister, Cheryl Wheeler- Schmitt (Ken Krywanek); extended family, Amanda and Cecil Gilley and their children; nephew, Derrick Schmitt and niece, Kirstin Schmitt, and many aunts, uncles, and close friends. Bob worked as a long haul truck driver for many years for Martin Transportation and the last twelve years lived in the Plant City area and worked for Albertsons and Cardinal Logistics as a truck driver. His passion in life was fishing. He had a very large extended family and friends, and will be greatly missed by all. Bob was a veteran serving in the United States Army. The family will receive friends for visitation Fri., Apr. 30 beginning at 3pm at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 County Rd. 39 S., Plant City, 33567. Services will follow at 4pm. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to American Heart Association. Expression of condolence may be made at www.hopewellfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall



“ Dan and I want to offer our condolences to all of you. I know that Bob will be missed.##imported-begin##Ava Green##imported-end##

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“ To Jason and Bobs family, I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of Bob. He was a special man and I have wonderful memories of him. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. Kathy (Gaumond)Brown##imported-begin##Kathy Brown##imported-end##

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“ Thoughts and prayers are with all the family during this difficult time. I know Bobby will be missed by all. Love, Steve & Priscilla##imported-begin##Priscilla & Steve##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathies are with you and we will miss Bob "Mud" very much. He always treated us like family which is not surprising why so many people will miss him dearly.##imported-begin##Amber Morales##imported-end##

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“ I am so sorry to hear about your loss. He was a nice person who would always speak to you. *Terry Koenecke*”

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. *Chris Mychalchyk*”

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“ We were totally taken by surprise at the news of Bob's passing and wish to send our best wishes to all friends and family, especially Jason, my nephew. Bob was always one of the nicest guys I've ever known. *Mr + Mrs Gilbert Gaumond + family*”

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“ Dear Bobby, You would be so proud of your children. They have come together in this time of need and will give each other the courage to get us through these difficult days. You left us too soon and we will miss you so much. I love you with all my heart, take care of your Dad for me and we will all be together one day. Love you Mom *Donna Wheeler*”

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“ Cheryl, Ken, and Family, I am so sorry for your loss of your beloved family member. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with all of you during your time of sorrow. I have asked that God have his arms wrapped around all of you as you get through this time. Remember all your fond memories of Bobbie and that those sweet memories help get you through this sad time. Friend of Cheryl, Sharon Jensen##imported-begin##Sharon Jensen##imported-end##

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“ I will pray for his family, So they can get through this hard time.##imported-begin##Loretta Polk##imported-end##

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“ So sorry for your family's loss. It's never easy to understand why someone dies at such a young age. May God provide the comfort that each of you need at this time.##imported-begin##Debbie Walker##imported-end##

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“ Bobby, it is so hard to find the right words mothers are not supposed to send their children to heaven so soon. you used to tell me when you had to go on a run that you were going the "wrong way" that was your C.B. name and now you are going the wrong way as you should still be with us but you will always be in my heart. and all the memories of my son gone to soon. love Mama and Harold##imported-begin##Nancy and Harold Johnson{Mother}##imported-end##

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“ Bob and I talked many times when he would come over and help us when we needed a driver. He was such a super person and dependable driver. He will be greatly missed. He often mentioned his love of fishing and how that pastime really helped him relax and enjoy his family. We will remember Bob fondly as part of our family here at Cardinal, and those that worked with him daily will miss him dearly.##imported-begin##Bryan Alford##imported-end##

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“ My thoughts & prayers are with Bob's family & everyone who knew him. He was a special person who left us all too soon. He will be missed but always in our hearts.##imported-begin##Annette Wheeler##imported-end##

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“ jason and bobs family. our deepest sympathy goes out to all of you .bob had a big heart and a wonderful smile and he will be sadly missed by all who's lifes he has passed thru over the years.rest in peace bob.##imported-begin##chet and eileen chapman##imported-end##

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“ We deeply regret the loss of your son, brother, and father. May God be with you and yours through this time of sorrow, and give you the strength you need to see it through..God Bless you all..With deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Robert & Shirley Nadeau##imported-end##

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“ Dear Nan & Harold, With sympathy to you and your family. You are in many heartfelt thoughts at this difficult time. Art & Betty Heldman###imported-begin##Art & Betty Heldman###imported-end##

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“ Bobby, I am going to miss you so much my little brother! I have so many good memories of us as kids good ones when we actually got along and others that now are funny when I think back over the stupid things kids fight about. Oh how I'm going to miss you and the talks we have had. You were too young and taken too soon. Please keep looking down and listening because I still have many things that I have left to say to you.....I love you dear brother and miss you so much.###imported-begin##Cheryl Wheeler-Schmitt###imported-end##

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“ Bob and I have known each other for 10 short years. He was the daddy that mine couldn't be. He was a great papa to his grandbabies, Garrett and Lauren. Those kids love him so much. We miss him and will carry him in are hearts forever.###imported-begin##Amanda Gilley###imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathies to all. Although we've not seen Bob in quite some time, he remains in our thoughts always. Dottie (Jason's Godnmother/cousin) & Steve Robinson###imported-begin##Dottie 7 Steve Robinson###imported-end##

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“ I have very fond memories of Uncle Bob and am so sorry for his unexpected departure. My thoughts and best wishes go to the rest of the family and friends.##imported-begin##Tammy Cooper##imported-end##

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“ Jason & Family, Our deepest sympathies to all. Having known Bob as a brother-in-law and friend he was a sweet and quiet man. He will be greatly missed by us. Jason, if you need to talk or just need company please don't forget we are here for you as always. Sincerely, Aunt Camille and Tom##imported-begin##Camille & Tom Colantoni##imported-end##

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“ I am writing this letter to express deep sorrow for your loss. Every person is unique in their own way and civilization is a place where men rise and fall like the winter wheat. The dawn brings new rays every day yet there are some people who rise every day and bring to life, cherished memories, teachings and faith that help us sail the journey of life. May God bless his soul and complete all his wishes. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, and we are sharing the burden of this great grief. May God bless you, Lissette Ocasio & Family##imported-begin##Lissette Ocasio##imported-end##

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“ Dad I love you and miss you. We have so many memories driving cross country when i was 8..fishing and going to the car shows in orlando..We did so much and wish that we could have had more time to spend together i love you###imported-begin##Jason Wheeler (son)###imported-end##

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“ dad i wish you were here i miss you thanks for coming into my life. i love you very much. thanks for all the good lesson you taught me.we are like in so many ways i,m glad for that. you give me life and love kimmie###imported-begin##kimberly wheeler-jackson###imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy to Cheryl and family. I have been friends with Cheryl since highschool and I also lost a brother . My heart goes out to all of you who suffer this loss. I know he will always be thought of from all of his family with good memories as I still think of mine so often. God bless you all.###imported-begin##Cheryl Dumaine###imported-end##

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