



Mr. Robert "Bob" Gortman

October 10, 1944 - January 10, 2017

Robert "Bob" "Bobby" Gortman, 72, of Lithia, Florida, born in Wewahitchka on October 10, 1944, entered into eternal rest on January 10, 2017. He loved his family, and he enjoyed fishing. He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Cheryl Gortman; children, Vonda Andrade of Lithia, Robert "Boogie" Gortman of Lithia, Michael Belcher of Lakeland, and Scotty Gortman of Plant City; grandchildren, Derrick Gortman, Travis Bowen, Caira Strickland, Ariel Gortman, Garrett Andrade, and Dustin Andrade; and siblings, Carol Bradley (Brad) of Mulberry, Shirley Brantley (Earl) of Pinecrest, Randy Gortman (Kathy) of Pine Island, Diane Wiggins (Charles) of Lithia, and Cathy King of Mississippi. He was preceded in death by his granddaughter, Taylor Bowen; and sister, Lucille Mercer. The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 19 from 6-8:00 P.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 CR 39 S, Plant City. Private interment at Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. Expressions of condolence at www.HopewellFuneral.com.

Cemetery Details

Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South
Plant City, FL 33567
(813) 737-3128
office@hopewellfuneral.com
<https://www.hopewellfuneral.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 19. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Robert "Bob" Gortman



Hopewell Funeral Home - January 12, 2017 at 12:49 PM



“ Bobby was the best roofer I ever knew that always did what he promised. A good man that will be missed. Seems like my good friend Brad was always "gone fishing with Bobby" My condolences to all the family.
Bill Collins

Bill Collins - January 17, 2017 at 03:10 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert "Bob" Gortman.



January 17, 2017 at 09:57 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert "Bob" Gortman.*



January 16, 2017 at 06:05 PM



“ *Your son, Mike and Gerald, Annette, and Jim purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Mr. Robert "Bob" Gortman.*



Your son, Mike and Gerald, Annette, and Jim - January 16, 2017 at 10:11 AM



“ *Continued prayers for each family member and friends especially during this most difficult time!*



Sam and Carol Conrad - January 14, 2017 at 07:49 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert "Bob" Gortman.*



January 13, 2017 at 09:48 PM



“ 44 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Hopewell Funeral Home - January 12, 2017 at 12:46 PM

CH

My condolences to the family.

Christeen Hansen - January 13, 2017 at 08:21 AM

SH

I send lots of love and sympathy to my aunt and to my cousins - it's a terrible loss of a goodhearted man. My fondest memory is Bobby sitting in a chair in front of my house "supervising" the roofing job. He was always smiling.

Sharon - January 17, 2017 at 11:34 AM

SF

“ **SANDY FRANKS** lit a candle in memory of *Mr. Robert "Bob" Gortman*



SANDY FRANKS - January 12, 2017 at 10:58 AM

SF

Cheryl and family, my sincere condolences to you. i never had a chance to meet Bob in person, but i did have the pleasure in talking to him on the phone when i would call Cheryl . He sounded like a real good guy. He would make me laugh when Cheryl didn't answer the phone, he would say she's around here some where. i'm not the Secretary she doesn't pay enough. we laughed then he would hand the phone to Cheryl. i know you will miss him, and i also know all of you knows he is at peace. God Bless him. Cheryl he is smiling down on you. God Bless you and your family.

SANDY FRANKS - January 12, 2017 at 11:12 AM

GD

“ You were one of the most loving caring father's that I have ever been around, I will always remember being treated as one of your kids in your house, the memories will never fade away. Glenda Davis



Glenda Davis - January 11, 2017 at 10:35 PM

MT

“ Bobby you were my brother in law when I was just a geeky kid. You helped me out when I needed your help and I'll always be grateful. You'll always be remembered as my brother in law.

Mike Taylor - January 11, 2017 at 08:40 PM