



O. C. "Bob" Bolding

April 4, 1931 - April 2, 2012

O.C. "Bob" Bolding, 80, died Monday, April 2, 2012, two days away from his 81st birthday.

Bob was a veteran of World War II and the Korean War where he served in the Air Corps. He was a Baptist and owner of Bob's Auto Parts Stores in Bald Knob, Augusta and Searcy for over 44 years. He was the proud founder of the Bald Knob Country Club, served on the board of the United Methodist Church, Bald Knob City Council, and was a Bald Knob Volunteer Fireman for over 10 years. He was also a member of Bald Knob Chamber of Commerce and coached Little League baseball. He started the Buddy League program for Bald Knob. Bob was a member of the Arkansas Official Association for over 10 years and had served on the Bald Knob School Board.

Survivors include his loving companion, Betty; two daughters, Rebecca Starks of Plainfield, Indiana and Stephanie Hopkins of Maumelle; three sons, Bobby Bolding of Marion and Michael Bolding of Jonesboro and Eric Beaver of Marietta, GA.; brother, Wayne Bolding of Searcy and a sisters, Mrs. Ann Phillips of Clarksville, Ruth Palmer of New Castle Delaware and Darlene Medford of Portland Oregon, four Grandchildren - Hope Starks of Columbus, MS, Codie Bolding of Jonesboro, Matthew and Nicholas Hopkins of Maumelle. Bob enjoyed life on the golf course, hunting, spending time with family and friends and just laughter everyday.

In lieu of flowers a donation in honor of Bob can be made to Dracsco General Baptist Church or 1st United Methodist Church of Bald Knob.

Visitation will be Wednesday beginning at 1:00 p.m. prior to services. Services will be Wednesday, 3:00 p.m., Powell Funeral Chapel. Interment: Evergreen Cemetery by Powell Funeral Home Bald Knob-Judsonia. www.powellfunerahome.net

Tribute Wall

JA

“ Stephanie and family,

You are in our prayers and thoughts. God bless all of you and peace be with you.

Jim and Jo Ann Arnold - May 04, 2016 at 06:33 PM

MS

“ Stephanie and family. May God be with you during this time. Always know that you are in our prayers.

Mac & Vena Stubbs

Mac & Vena Stubbs - February 10, 2016 at 04:24 PM

TC

“ Bobby , so sorry to hear about your dad. My prayers will be with you & your family in your time of sorrow.

Teresa Cloyes - February 10, 2016 at 04:24 PM

RB

“ May the light of love be with you as you travel through this dark time.

Randy Bufford - February 10, 2016 at 04:24 PM

JA

“ O. C. "Bob" Bolding

Jim and Jo Ann Arnold - February 10, 2016 at 04:24 PM

DB

“ *Bob was a good friend ,our loss Heavens gain.*

Doyle & Linda Byrd - February 10, 2016 at 04:24 PM

GL

“ *Bobby, Kathy and I are sorry to hear of your father's passing. I immediately began to think of the first time I saw your father. It was the day he brought you to your first day of 3rd grade in Mrs. Pyle's class. It was your father and Henry Collison who was my first baseball coach. May your memories of your good times bring you comfort.*

Gary and Kathy Lawson - February 10, 2016 at 04:24 PM

SS

“ *There's little we can do or say right now...please know that our hearts and love are with you in your time of sorrow.*
Don and Sue

Sue Stanley - February 10, 2016 at 04:24 PM

PW

“ *So very sorry for your loss. I'll be thinking of you Stephanie, and your family.*

PEGGY L. WILCOX - February 10, 2016 at 04:24 PM



“ *Becky*
Our thoughts and prayers are with you in the loss of your dad.

April 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *With deepest sorrow*

March 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM