



Robert "Bob" Rains

May 19, 1941 - June 13, 2018

Robert "Bob" Rains (1941-2018)

CEDAR FALLS – Robert "Bob" Rains, 77, of Cedar Falls died Wednesday, June 13, 2018, at his home.

He was born May 19, 1941 in Mankato, Minnesota, son of Chester and Marie (McGuire) Rains. He married Arla Oberle on May 29, 1965 in Gilman, Wisconsin.

He graduated from Waterloo West High School in 1960 and served in the U.S. Army during Vietnam. He worked in tool and die at John Deere for 36 years, retiring in 1996 and was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church for 53 years.

Survived by: his wife of Cedar Falls; two sons, Michael Rains of Ames and Steven (Heather) Rains of Cedar Falls; and a grandson, Cody Rains.

Preceded in death by: his parents; two sisters, Joan Klaseus and Darlene Thurston; and a brother, Wesley Rains.

Services: 10:30 a.m. Monday, June 18 at St. Patrick Catholic Church with burial in Cedar Valley Memorial Gardens, both in Cedar Falls. Military honors will be conducted by the Cedar Falls AMVETS Post #49 Honor Guard and the

Iowa Army National Guard. Visitation from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, June 17 at Richardson Funeral Service and also for one hour prior to the service at the church.

Memorials may be directed to the family.

Cemetery Details

Cedar Valley Memorial Gardens

Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 233-6136

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 17. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Richardson Funeral Service
615 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3525
richardsonfuneralservice@gmail.com
<http://richardson.funeralplan2.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

JUN 18. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church
705 Main Street
Cedar Falls, IA 50613
(319) 266-3523
<http://saintpatrickcf.org>

Tribute Wall

MB

“ I am sad to hear Bob passed away. We go back many years. I am sorry...I know how hard it is. MARY BURKE

Mary Burke - June 21, 2018 at 02:41 PM

DC

“ Bob was a wonderful neighbor and friend. I'll never forget his kindness and good cheer. My heartfelt condolences to the family during this very difficult time.
Dr. Jeffrey Copeland

Dr. Jeffrey Copeland - June 16, 2018 at 05:18 PM

JS

“ Bob Raines was my friend at West High School in Waterloo, Iowa. He stays in my mind as a rock solid character. RIP.

Jon P Schrag - June 15, 2018 at 11:48 PM

HK

“ Bob & I were friends in highschool, graduated together. Ran into Bob only a few times at Deere. I really like Bob and know he'll was a very good person, he'll be missed by many.
God's Peace to all. Harley

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