



Robert "Bob" Elliott

December 23, 1928 - December 23, 2012

Robert A. "Bob" Elliott, 84, of Florence, passed away on Sunday, December 23, 2012 at Dickinson County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain.

Bob was born July 7, 1928 in Kingsford, son of the late Arthur and Leona (Poisson) Elliott. He graduated from Kingsford High School in 1947. Following graduating, Bob enlisted in the U.S. Army and served his country for 4 years during the Korean War. Upon returning to the states, Bob moved to Milwaukee, WI, where he married Evelyn Cychosz on November 24, 1952. She preceded him in death in 1998. Bob was a superintendent at Harnischfeger in Milwaukee for 38 years, retiring in 1991. He was president of the Catholic Youth Organization and the Holy Name Society at St. John the Evangelist Church in Milwaukee. He moved back to this area in 1999 and has been a member of American Martyrs Catholic Church in Kingsford since that time. Bob loved sports, coaching little league and was an avid Packer fan. He enjoyed hunting, dancing and watching old westerns.

He is survived by three sons, Neal (Carol) Elliott of New Berlin, WI, Mike (Lisa) Elliott of Hartland, WI, and Robert "Rob" (Traci) Elliott of Wauwatosa, WI; a daughter, Vicki (Kevin) McGiverin of Sussex, WI; 11 grandchildren; 9 great grandchildren; a special friend, Kaye Bricker of Kingsford; and several nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and many friends.

In addition to his parents and wife, Bob was also preceded in death by a son, Jeffrey Elliott; a brother, Francis "Butch" Elliott; four sisters, Mae Baker, LaVerne Swanson, Audrey Heinkel and Joyce Baker; and his guardians, aunt Ceil and uncle Homer Elliott.

A memorial Mass will be held on Saturday at 11:00am at American Martyrs Catholic Church in Kingsford. Fr. Joseph Gouin will officiate. Burial will be in Cemetery Park. The Uren-Cooper-Johnson American Legion Post 50 will conduct military graveside honors.

In lieu of flowers a memorial will be established in his memory.

Bob's family would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all of his friends in the Iron Mountain area for their help and assistance which made his life here much easier.

Condolences to the family of Robert Elliott may be expressed online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the arrangements.

Previous Events

Memorial Mass

DEC **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

American Martyrs Catholic Church
908 W. Sagola Ave.
Kingsford, MI 49802

Tribute Wall

DS

“ To Bob's family, sorry to hear about Bob, we will miss him, a great guy. Dave and crew at Florence Motor Sales

David DeMuri - Florence Motor Sales - January 05, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Sorry to hear of the passing of Bob. He was a great boss for many years at Harnischfeger and a great friend. My son Jeff and Keith also express their condolences to the family.

Tom Zawicki

Tom Zawicki - Milwaukee, WI - friend - January 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BN

“ We cherish fond memories of our neighbor and his great family. Mr. Elliot always had a smile and a supportive nature. As kids we always felt welcome in his yard and home.

Our greatest sympathy to the Elliot family as we remember all the wonderful childhood memories of which Bob was a part.

Thank you Mr. Elliot for sharing your life with us and your beautiful family.

With deepest sympathy,

The Kiedrowski family
Richard, Margaret
Brian, Beth and Jill

Beth Kiedrowski - Greenfield, WI - neighbor - December 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ Along with my Mother, Vivian, please accept our sincere condolences on the passing of Bob. He will be remembered as a "larger than life" character always looking for the good in people. I recall he paved the way for my first job at New Berlin Recreation Dept and then later my first real job as a mail courier at P & H. Mom recalls his sense of humor and positive personality. We are both grateful we had the occasion to know him. The Elliot family is in our thoughts and prayers in this difficult time. Rest in peace Bob...

Scott nd Vivian Kugi

Scott Kugi - Waukesha, WI - friend - December 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DN

“ To Kaye and the family of Bob Elliott- Dan and I are so saddened to hear of the loss of our good friend and neighbor. We enjoyed our visits with Bob, and never got tired of talking about the bear visits, deer hunting, the Packers, and just reminiscing about old times. Bob was such a gentleman, and we'll miss him terribly.

We apologize for not being able to attend the services for Bob - we are currently in Florida. But know that our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time.

Dan & Wendy Zoeller

Dan & Wendy Zoeller - Florence, WI - Friend and Neighbor - December 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ *To my Cousins-
Sorry to hear of Uncle Bob's passing. Mom has been keeping me updated on how he has been and what he has been doing these past years. From what she told me, he sure enjoyed the time up north in Michigan. I have very fond memories of your family coming up north and spending time with our family. I remember Uncle Bob coming to a few of my Pony League games. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family at this time.*
Joe and Denise Cychosz

Joseph Cychosz - Abilene, TX - Nephew - December 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ *To The Entire Elliott Family;*

*You have my deepest sympathy and prayers.
Bob was a great father and person.
My thoughts and prayers will be with all of you. May good bless you all.*

Gregory Tans - Greendale, WI - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ *We are sincerely sorry to hear of the passing of Uncle Bob.. He was such a great help to us when my mother had her health issues. There are not enough words to say thank you for all his help. We will keep him and all of you (his family) in our prayers.*

Morgan and Shirley Robinson - Cudahy, WI - nephew - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

EF

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family and friends of this wonderful man. I only knew him briefly but got to see how wonderful Bob was! He has been a blessing to many. My thoughts and prayers go out to his family and friends from the Iron Mountain/ Kingsford area.

Erin Martin - Norway, MI - Friend - December 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ To the Elliott family - We are sorry to hear of your father's passing. We know he is now in a place where there is no physical pain or suffering, where there is peace and serenity. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers during this time and we will be with you in spirit on Saturday and in the days to come.
In Sympathy,
Brent, Sherry Pitsch and family

Brent and Sherry Pitsch - Avondale, AZ - family of Carol Elliott - December 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM