



## Robert Dale

August 21, 1937 - August 21, 2005

"Robert Dale"

IRON MOUNTAIN - Robert G. Dale, 68, of 118 W. Grand Blvd., Iron Mountain, died after a long battle with heart disease on Sunday, Aug. 21, 2005, at the Dickinson County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain.

He was born July 16, 1937, in Iron Mountain, son of the late George and Peggy (LeFleur) Dale. Bob was a lifelong resident and a veteran of the U.S. Army.

He married Jayce Olson on July 18, 1964, in Iron Mountain. Bob was a firefighter for the city of Iron Mountain for more than 25 years, retiring in 1991. Prior to working for the fire department, he worked at Dale's Cabinet Shop and Maracini's Cabinets. He was a member of the Uren-Cooper-Johnson American Legion Post 50, the U.P. Bocce League, and Bomber's Golf Course. Bob was an avid golfer and enjoyed traveling with their RV. He and Jayce spent many winters in Casa Grande, Ariz.

He was a wonderful husband and a good friend to many.

He is survived by his wife, Jayce; two special daughters, Allison Walker Guide and Cindy (Randy) Brier, both of Milwaukee; one brother, James (Linda) Dale of Iron Mountain; three sisters, Betty Duggan and Jean Dale, both of Dixon, Ill. and Mary "Midge" (Howard) Plante of Kingsford; many nieces and nephews, Herb Duggan, Richard (Judy) Duggan, Bill Dale, Cynthia (Kevin) Milczewski, Susan (Mike) Thornburg, Howard (Lisa) Plante, Lynn (Corey) Barnes, Dan (Debbie) Plante, Jon-Paul Dale, Brian Dale, Nicole Dale, Jayna Erickson and

Lee Erickson; and many great-nieces and great-nephews.

He was preceded in death by one brother, William Dale.

Friends may call from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home.

Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Fr. Joseph Gouin will officiate.

Burial will be in Cemetery Park.

Condolences may be expressed online to the family of Robert Dale at [www.erickson-rochon-nash.com](http://www.erickson-rochon-nash.com).

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

# Tribute Wall

VC

“ Dear Jaycee,

*Just a note to let you know that you are in my thoughts and prayers. I'm so very sorry to learn of your loss. I'm sure you are comforted by your many dear friends and family. My sincerest sympathy to you, Jaycee.*

*Fondly,*

*Val ( Jossens) Chicora*

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**Val Chicora** - September 13, 2005 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ Jayce, I'm not sure if you remember me, but I want to say how sorry I am for your loss and I want you to know that you have many friends and family members by your side always. I haven't seen you since the 70's., but I'll never forget how kind and honest you were to me. Life has its strange way to make one see whats in store for us. I wanted to tell you that you were so kind and, friendly. I hope all goes well with you and your family and know that your husband is in a better place where there is no pain and there is only happiness and god... (formally Julian)Maureen@Chuck Pasten

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**maureen@Chuck Pasten** - September 10, 2005 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Jayce: You were truly blessed to have Bobby as your husband and best friend. Remember all the special times, the laughter, and the love that you shared together. Keep in touch. You are special.  
*Grace Peterson Sparapani*

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**Grace Peterson Sparapani** - August 25, 2005 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ JayCe, I was fortunate to meet Bob and have him introduce me to the magic of singing "The Last Thing On My Mind", and singing with you. Now he can sing with the Angels!!! Love Paul and Josee.

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**Paul & Josee Humphrey** - August 24, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Sharon and I would like to extend our sincere condolences on the passing of our friend, Bob. It won't be the same in Arizona without him, or for that matter here either. We're hoping for all the best for Jayce, Midge and Jim, and Bob will be sorely missed by all of us, and will not soon be forgotten.

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**Bill and Sharon Rocheleau** - August 24, 2005 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ Jayce,  
So happy I saw you both at the T & T recently, so my memory of Bob is clear. My heartfelt condolences on the loss of the love and strength of your life. You are in my prayers and my heart and I will be happy to see you anytime, either in Sheboygan or Norway. A friend for a long, long time,  
Mary Hallgren Larson

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**Mary Larson** - August 24, 2005 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ To Jayce, Jim and the entire family--I was very saddened to learn of your loss. My condolences to all. Bob was one of the kindest persons I've ever known. I will always remember his smile and warmth. May God's blessings and comfort be with you. Jason Julian

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**Jason Julian** - August 24, 2005 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ Jayce, So sorry to hear about Bob's passing. I can remember him so well at the class reunion last July. I'll always remember you and your wonderful smile and kind heart. My deepest sympathy to you.  
*Diane*

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**Diane DeJuliannie-Graham** - August 23, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ Jayce, So sorry to hear about Bob's death. He was a wonderful husband, I know you had a wonderful life with him. God Bless You  
*Rebecca Simkovski-Tortelli*

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**Rebecca Simkovski** - August 23, 2005 at 12:00 AM

BG

“ *Jim Dale and Family:*  
*Today (8/23/05) I noticed the obituary on Bobby,s passing. As I am here in Beaver Dam, I wanted to express my sympathy to you. I remember Bobby as a very friendly person. Whenever I saw him we had a few laughs.*

*Sincerely,  
Bruce Gall*

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**Bruce Gall** - August 23, 2005 at 12:00 AM