



Robert August "Bob" Loehr

February 2, 1931 - June 23, 2017

Robert August "Bob" Loehr, 86 of Rockdale, passed away Friday June 23, 2017 at his home in Rockdale. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, July 1, 2017 at the Milam County Cowboy Church in Rockdale.

Bob was born February 2, 1931 in Rockdale to Gus and Hilda (Seidel) Loehr, Jr. He and Florence Marie "Flo" Sonnier were married on January 1, 1955 in New Orleans, LA. He served in the US Coast Guard from 1948 until 1952 and the Coast Guard Reserves until 1957. He moved to Rockdale in 1968 and worked in Mechanical Maintenance at ALCOA. He was a former member of the Rockdale Roping and Cutting Club, honorary life member of the Rockdale KofC, life member of the Texas Senior Pro Rodeo Association, member of the National Old Timers Rodeo Association, The American Quarter Horse Association, Rockdale V.F.W and the Rockdale American Legion, he also served on the Board of Directors of the Rockdale Federal Credit Union and the Southwest Milam Water Supply Corporation.

He is preceded in death by his parents, wife Flo Loehr and a great-granddaughter, Kyli Jeanette Sellers.

Bob is survived by his daughters, Susan Boner & husband Layne of Bellville and Mary Lou Loehr of Cameron, Grandchildren, Jennifer Martinez & husband John. Justin Luxton & wife Robin, David Johnson & Wife Dayna and Marc

Wagner, great grandchildren, Jordn Villalon, Jaxon Villalon, Alyssa Luxton, Jayci Martinez, Cooper David Johnson, Brittney Luxton and Rakeal Luxton, brothers, Donald J. Loehr & wife Meldan of Turkey and Joey Loehr of Pennsylvania, sisters, Doris Silence of New York and Grace Strauss of Mississippi.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

Milam County Cowboy Church
2100 North Highway 77
Rockdale, TX 76567

Tribute Wall



“ *Stately Croton was purchased for the family of Robert August "Bob" Loehr.*



June 30, 2017 at 02:35 PM



“ *I have known Bob & his family for as long as I can remember. We spent many a day at the Rockdale Roping Arena. He was a true gentleman & mentor to many. He & my Dad (Leland Garrison) were great friends. Bob & Flo were 1, and they like my parents are "Together Again". I will miss seeing you at the arena. To Mary Lou & Susan, know that there are many out there who loved your Dad & Mom. Lean on your family & friends to get you through the coming days. Rest in Peace Bob...Go rest High on that Mountain.*

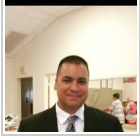
Lee Ann (Garrison) Eaves - June 30, 2017 at 08:12 AM



“ *Nancy & Tony Absnaider lit a candle in memory of Robert August "Bob" Loehr*



Nancy & Tony Absnaider - June 28, 2017 at 01:36 PM



“ I had the privilege of meeting this man and although only a few times did we get to sit down and talk, it was enough to give me great respect for him. I know he loved his family and he will be missed. My sincere condolences to the family, May he rest in peace. Joel & Sandra Lopez



Joel Lopez - June 26, 2017 at 09:23 PM

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“ This was a "Man" among men! A great friend, and teacher, loving husband and father. Heartbroken are those he left behind, but better people we are to have known him. I know I will miss the occasional cold beer on the porch on my occasional drop by's to see him and the stories this man could tell would make you smile all day. Rest In Peace Sir and hug that beautiful wife of yours for us!

Billy and Karen Hickman - June 25, 2017 at 06:29 PM

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“ "I was doing a little research on the Hirt side of my family at the local Library and was looking at "The Rockdale Messenger's" on microfiche when I notice the name "Loehr". Knowing Bob for so long, I read this letter to Santa Claus from Robert Loehr, so I made a copy of it and took it to Bob and Flo's house. Mrs. Loehr was outside and I gave it to her and headed on out to my place. It wasn't long I got a phone call from Bob, he said he was so tickled with that letter that he made a copy and sent it to his Sister, who was the actual letter writer, since he was too young to write it. Bob told me it made him cry. I replied, "Well I wasn't wanting that kind of reaction.", and he said, "No! they were happy tears, it meant a lot to him." As you can tell I still think about that day and will miss him very much."
- Seth Hirt

Seth Hirt - June 25, 2017 at 04:06 PM

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“ *Mr. Bob was a true cowboy, gentleman and and all around fine feller.*

*RIP Bob, may the Lord rest you soul .You will be missed by many
You and Ms. Flo are together now and dance once again.*

I bet there is a good pony up there that needs ridin too.

Well see you again my Cowboy friend.

Alan Spence - June 25, 2017 at 07:34 AM