



Mr. Robert "Bob" Parker

September 25, 1943 - July 15, 2016

Funeral services for Mr. Robert "Bob" E. Parker, 72, of Carthage, Texas will be 2:00 p.m. Sunday, July 17, 2016 in the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Mr. Hollis Pitts officiating. Burial will take place 2:00 p.m. Monday, July 18, 2016 in Evergreen Cemetery in Paris, Texas. Visitation will be 6-8:00 p.m. Saturday night at Hawthorn Funeral Home. Mr. Parker died July 15, 2016 peacefully at his home in Carthage, Texas.

Mr. Robert Edward Parker was born September 25, 1943 in Goodland, Oklahoma. He was the youngest of nine children born to the marriage of William Ernest and Bessie Bernice Cooper Parker. He was schooled and graduated in Hugo, Oklahoma and then attended the University of Texas at Arlington. Bob was nominated for the Outstanding Young Men of America Award and served in the U.S. Army as a paratrooper. He married Nancy Kay Stallings October 9, 1965 and they shared 50 years of marriage together. Mr. Parker retired from the Insurance industry after many years as manager for Farm Bureau, later as an independent insurance agent owning and operating the Parker Insurance Agency. Bob served as Past President of the Carthage Kiwanis Club. He loved fishing, golfing and spending time with the grandkids. Mr. Parker ran three marathons, the last one at the age of fifty. He is preceded in death by his Parents and five siblings.

Mr. Parker is survived by his loving wife Nancy Parker, daughters, Kimberly Parker Jones and husband Jeff of Carthage, Tiffany Parker Brown and husband Mark of Carthage, brother, Sanford Parker of Hugo, OK, sisters,

Dorothy Robinson of Hugo, OK, Nell Wheeler and husband Frankie of Hugo, OK, grandchildren, Jeffrey Payton Jones and wife Camille of Lufkin, Christopher Bradley Jones of Lufkin, Sarah Kaytlin Make and husband Steven of Eules, Madison Elise Brown and Ayden Joseph Brown both of Carthage, numerous nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Cemetery

506 Evergreen St.
Paris, TX 75640

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home
307 West Wellington Street, P.O. Box 188
Carthage, TX

Service

JUL 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel
307 W Wellington St.
Carthage, Tx

Tribute Wall

JF

“ Nancy and family:
Marian and I are sorry to learn about Bob's passing. We were in Missouri last weekend for the funeral services for my sister and didn't get the news about Bob until we returned.
John Foster

John Foster - July 21, 2016 at 11:05 AM

DB

“ Our deepest sympathies. Don and Margaret Bates

D Bates - July 19, 2016 at 08:35 AM

CN

“ You are in our prayers during this time of your great loss. May God shed His Grace over you at this time.

Love in Christ,
Charles and Alice Newton

Charles & Alice Newton - July 18, 2016 at 08:20 AM

AM

“ Allen & Ramonda McGraw lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert "Bob" Parker



Allen & Ramonda McGraw - July 17, 2016 at 01:38 PM

PD

“ We are so sorry to hear about your loss. Please know we have you in our thoughts and prayers today and in the days to come. Sorry that we can not be with you during this time. Cherish your sweet memories!
With our love,
Jerry and Pat (Edens) Dorman
Proverbs 17:17



Pat E Dorman - July 16, 2016 at 05:43 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert "Bob" Parker.



July 16, 2016 at 01:32 PM

ST

“ Tiffany, I am so sorry for your loss. Your dad was a sweet man. He was one of my favorite customers when I worked at Cassity Jones. You and your family will certainly be in our prayers.

Shayne Thames - July 15, 2016 at 08:17 PM

OA

So sorry for your loss. Praying for peace

Oleita Akins - July 16, 2016 at 10:01 PM

SR

“ *Mr. Parker was one of our first people to meet when we moved to Carthage so long ago. He welcomed us and helped a young couple get the insurance for our little house. He was a great first impression of our town.*

Steve and Jean Reed - July 15, 2016 at 07:04 PM

SR

Tiffany and family, I am so sorry to hear about your Dad, just know that you and your family are in my prayers. God bless you and your family.

Susan Ross - July 15, 2016 at 07:28 PM