



Robert Adam Black

May 9, 1940 - May 24, 2021

Robert Adam Black born May 6, 1940 went to meet his Savior after a brief illness Monday May 24, 2021 at The Tennova Newport Medical Center.

Robert being the first born was immediately dubbed as the favorite child, "Number 1" as he would often refer to himself.

He jumped into the afterlife feet first with few regrets. Robert loved life and had a lifelong affair with motorcycles, cars, RV's and Bike Rallies.

He was known for his lack of patience, love of animals and not holding back his opinion. Heck he didn't even want a funeral; it was a waste of money in his opinion, so he donated his body to Science.

Robert would often make comments such as, "You Can't Win." But on May 9, 2021 Robert became a winner giving his heart to God.

Now his feet have left the pavement of this earth and are walking on the streets of gold. He is doing his thing, telling stories of his life missed by family and friends gone on before him.

We believe Robert would leave us with this....Please don't cry because I'm gone; instead be happy that I was here. (Or maybe you can cry a little bit, after all, I have passed away) and I love you a little bit.

Robert Adam Black born May 6, 1940 passed away May 24, 2021, he was 81 years old. He was preceded in death by his parents Conley and Rosie Black; Sisters; Martha Holt; Helen Raines Fine and Willa Dean Worley; Nephews; Mickey Ray Ogle and David Raines.

He is survived by his wife and best friend; Mary Kate Black, sons; Bobby

Black; Benny (Glenda) Black all of Newport and daughter Debra “Poodle” Sane of Parrottsville. Sister’s; Pauline (Ronald) Raines; Maxine (Groman) Black of Newport and Connie (Joe) Hembree of Cosby, brother; Jimmy Black of Del Rio; Sister-in-Law; Betty Moore of Hartford, several nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Words cannot express our sincere appreciation for the extraordinary care provided by the Nursing Staff of the Tennova Newport Medical Center Critical Care Unit and the Doctors of Rural Medical Services. Thank you for all your hard work and kind words. Thank you to all the family and friends who said a special prayer or word of encouragement during his illness.

Due to Robert’s love for animals, the family requests, In lieu of flowers please make donations in Robert’s memory to the “Friends of the Animal Shelter”.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Friday, May 28, 2021 in Manes Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Jerry Raines and Rev. T. Berry Large officiating.

Family will receive friends from 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm prior to the service.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at:www.manesfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

MAY **28**. 12:00 AM (ET)

Manes Funeral Home Chapel
363 East Main Street
Newport, TN 37821

Receive Friends

MAY **28**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Adam Black*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *Bobbie Wayne so sorry for the loss of your dad*

Kristin Warren - June 08, 2021 at 11:21 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss Bobby Wayne. I was out of town, but have been praying for you.*

Peggy Stephenson - June 02, 2021 at 09:06 AM



“ *Sorry for the loss of Robert Clinton and Irene Shelton*

Irene and Clinton - May 28, 2021 at 05:57 PM



“ *We are sorry for your loss. You all are in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Ronald and Carolyn Laws
Larry and Rhonda Sane*



Rhomda Sane - May 28, 2021 at 12:45 PM

JS

“ Sorry for your loss may God heal your hearts.
Sincerely Jennifer Davis Shelton



Jennifer Shelton - May 27, 2021 at 10:56 PM

MC

“ Bobby, so sorry for the loss of your Dad. Our thoughts and prayers
for the family and friends during this time of loss.

Jay & Mary Ann Chrisman

Mary Chrisman - May 26, 2021 at 09:29 PM

KB

“ Sorry for your loss



Karen Black - May 26, 2021 at 05:34 PM

CR

“ So sorry for your loss love and prayers for
family and friends



Cookie Ramsey - May 26, 2021 at 02:28 PM

TA

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Robert Black he was a good person and he was good to people he will truly be missed Tina Allen and Kristina Allen

Tina allen - May 25, 2021 at 10:38 PM

TL

“ Love & Prayers

Tracie Layman - May 25, 2021 at 09:09 PM

LR

“ I am sorry Connie for the loss of your brother! Prayers for you and the family

Lorri Rollins - May 25, 2021 at 08:30 PM

MS

“ Prayers, Thoughts and Love is being sent, Sorry for your loss.

Lots of Love

Maxine Clark Staton - May 25, 2021 at 04:16 PM

MF

“ I did not know Mr. Black but I know Poodle. He had to be a wonderful man because Poodle is a very caring person, I saw that in the way she treated Stacy. My condolences go to your family.

marla frankford - May 25, 2021 at 03:19 PM

NS

“ Bobby, so sorry about your Dad. Prayers for all your family. Bobby & Nancy Swanger & Alford Hall

Nancy Swanger - May 25, 2021 at 09:45 AM