



Robert L. "Bob" Hendershot

October 16, 1933 - November 29, 2021

Robert (Bob) L. Hendershot, age 88 of Cambridge, passed away on Monday, November 29, 2021 at The Cardinal Place. He was born on October 16, 1933 in Quaker City Ohio, a son of the late Cyril S. Hendershot and Reba E. (Hartley) Hendershot.

Bob was a 1951 graduate of Quaker City High School. After graduating high school, he worked for the railroad. He then became a dairy farmer, which he continued to do for approximately forty years until his retirement. Bob began his farming career using horses which, would lead to his primary hobby later in life. He also worked as a school bus driver for Madison and East Guernsey Schools.

Bob was an active member of his community and was involved in numerous community and farming organizations. He was active in the Guernsey County Farm Bureau and served 15 years on the board, 11 of those as president. He was on the State Landmark and State Farm Bureau Board for eight years and was elected as a Madison Township Trustee for 5 years. Bob was also very active in the Republican Party and was on the County Election Board. He also served as Guernsey County Commissioner for one term in the early 2000s. He was a member of the Antrim United Methodist Church, the County Dairyman's Association, the Ohio Cattleman's Association, the Golden Sixties and an Honorary Member of the Trustee and Clerks Association.

Bob's main hobby was caring for and raising draft horses. He had two separate teams of Belgian Draft Horses, Tom and Jerry, and Duke and Dan.

Bob would take the horses to numerous parades and events in the community and was always proud to show them off.

On June 12, 1954 Bob married Mary Ann (Perry) Hendershot. They were married for 51 years. Bob is survived by his daughter Reba Ann Norman, his son Richard Allen Hendershot and his wife Carol Hendershot and four grandchildren, Sharon Ann, Ethan & Cody Norman and Scott Hendershot. He is also survived by dear friend Elizabeth "Betty" Clark.

Due to unfortunate circumstances, funeral services will be postponed to a later date. Bob's online guest book may be viewed and signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Friends Cemetery

Quaker City, OH

Tribute Wall

BB

“ So sorry to hear of Uncle Roberts passing. Our sympathy goes to Reba Jo and Richard in their loss.

Beverly Bender - December 07, 2021 at 07:31 PM

DS

“ Saddened to hear of Robert's passing. We were playmates when I lived in Quaker City from about 1935 until our family moved to Cambridge around 1947. My sister Pat St.Clair / Jefferis would mention Robert's name, over the years, remembering our close childhood friend. It appears Robert had a beautiful life. God bless him and all his family..

David R.St.Clair. Highland, California

David R St.Clair - December 06, 2021 at 05:36 PM

SY

“ Reba,Richard and families. I'm so sorry for your loss. Your dad was such a kind man. Sending prayers. 🙏

Sue Kerns Yanosik

Sue Kerns Yanosik - December 04, 2021 at 06:15 PM

LA

“ To Bob's Friends in Ohio - We are Bob's friends in the West. We meet Bob one fall day when we were feeding our cows. Bob just could not stay away and he came to help us. We all became very close friends. He would try to come out in the spring when we turned the cows out on range and return in the fall when we were gathering them. He could not believe that you can turn 300 cows and 300 calves out on 20,000 acres of mountain range and they would all come home in the fall. He was a great friend and we all shared so many good times together. You never ended a conversation with him that he did not tell that he loved you. We will really miss our friendship. We Love You Bob. John and Lynn Ashbaugh

Lynn Ashbaugh - December 03, 2021 at 05:24 PM

CD

“ Very sorry for your loss. Mr. Hendershot was such a kind man.

Cynthia A. (Lattea) Dunlap

Cynthia A. Dunlap - December 03, 2021 at 07:46 AM

HD

We are close friends with Reba out here in Washington state. Whenever Bob came out west to visit Reba and Richard we spent time with Bob and usually got to celebrate his birthday. After many years he became a very special friend. We will miss him and are thankful that we know he is now enjoying eternity with our God.

Harlan & Barbara Dunn

Harlan & Barbara Dunn - December 05, 2021 at 06:00 PM

MA

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family 🙏🙏

Mike Andrews - December 02, 2021 at 02:30 PM

TM

“ *Bob has been a very important person to meet. He will be missed!*
Tom

Thomas McGrath - December 02, 2021 at 02:27 PM

SD

Miss you, Honey. You were my best friend and love. I'll see you again in Heaven. Love and Miss you.

Shanda Dennis - December 08, 2021 at 02:04 PM

SD

You were the sweetest man and I'll miss my little pecks on the cheek while you said, "hello dear". See you again someday.

Shanda Dennis - December 08, 2021 at 02:06 PM

JD

“ *So sorry for your loss. Bob and MaryAnn did many very kind things for people. I remember their charity for the residents at the county home.*

Jessica Dawson - December 02, 2021 at 07:33 AM

RJ

“ *Rest In Peace.*

Rod Johnson - December 01, 2021 at 08:44 PM

JR

“ *We always enjoyed talking with Bob. So glad he could enjoy some of our Beef trips. We extend our sincere sympathy to his family.*

Jim and Janet Roberts.

Jim and Janet Roberts - December 01, 2021 at 08:26 PM

SD

“ Always enjoyed Bob and Mary Ann at the Guernsey County Fair every year. Bob was a good guy, always friendly and helpful. Loved seeing him around. He will be missed.
Sending sympathy to all his family. Sharon Dawson

Sharon Dawson - December 01, 2021 at 06:36 PM

JE

“ It was always a blessing to see Bob at the Quaker City Ohio Hills folk festival and to visit with him, whenever i would see him anywhere. we talked about so many things. My Dad Allen Eschbaugh said he was in his class and was a very good friend all his life. God Bless you Robert, we will meet again my friend in Heaven.



Jeff Eschbaugh - December 01, 2021 at 02:05 PM

JC

“ I served with Bob on the state Farm Bureau board and he was such a fine man and gentleman. It was a privilege to know him. Deepest sympathy to the families.

Jim and Nancy Cessna

Jim and Nancy Cessna - December 01, 2021 at 12:49 PM

SW

“ Sending prayers for the family When I was growing up my Mom and Dad and I would go to their house to play cards Bob was a nice person, always happy He would come to help Dad on the farm I know he will be missed Used to be Sandra Woodburn now Sandra Wear

Sandra Wear - December 01, 2021 at 12:41 PM

ML

“ Bob would come to the salebarn on Saturday's just to sit and talk to me. Always gave me a hug when he walked in. Such a kind man, he will be missed.



Madyson Little - December 01, 2021 at 08:01 AM

JP

“ I've known Bob a long time. Grew up with his family. He will be missed. My sympathy to his family. Bob loved life, family, friends and his animals. Now your at rest, God Bless.
Judy and Rick Pyle.

Judy Pyle - December 01, 2021 at 07:30 AM

AC

“ Bob was a wonderful neighbor to my family. Many times we would find bags of corn left on our doorstep by him. He was always looking out for those around him. The Hendershot Farm was my favorite playground as a kid. My mom would visit with Mary Ann and I would drive Bob nuts wanting to go see Tom and Jerry and play with the kittens in the barn. He will be missed.

Annette Cornish - November 30, 2021 at 08:49 PM

BH

“ Bob always thought of us in the map department and other departments in the county. He would bring us pumpkins in the fall. He was such a nice guy.

Barb Hough - November 30, 2021 at 08:26 PM

KT

“ Karen Thomas lit a candle in memory of Robert L. "Bob" Hendershot



Karen Thomas - November 30, 2021 at 08:15 PM

KT

*So many wonderful memories we had. He was one of the guys that went to Barnesville Sale on Saturday with Dad & other fellow friends. He was a great friend always be missed cya later my friend until we meet again 🥰❤️😊🙏
Sincerely yours Karen Thomas*

Karen Thomas - November 30, 2021 at 08:18 PM

GB

Hearts are heavy as each remember Bob, met him years ago driving his team at the Freeland Steam and Antique Tractor Show. Such a special gentle man. Thinking of you, Gail Bell

Gail Bell - November 30, 2021 at 09:23 PM

MM

“ *God Speed Bob! Thanks for always sharing your wagon and team for campaigns...It has been an honor to know you!
So Sorry...prayers of comfort for your family.
Marilyn and Rob*

Marilyn Moorehead - November 30, 2021 at 08:05 PM

CM

“ *I'm so sorry for the families loss you have my sympathy. I always enjoyed seeing Bob come in to the restaurant to get a burger to go. I'd always let him sit in his car and bring it to him. He was such a kind gentle person.*

Cassidy (Dobbins) Mast - November 30, 2021 at 07:24 PM

MC

“ *Deepest sympathy for Bob's family and friend. He was awesome neighbor and friend. Went to church with him and Mary Ann at Antrim.*

Marsha Cutlip - November 30, 2021 at 06:29 PM

AM

“ *My sympathies to the family during this time of mourning. Bob was loved by all. He was a good friend and neighbor and the kindness that lit up his smile from within won't be forgotten.*



Anetta McNurlin - November 30, 2021 at 06:25 PM

BA

“ *Bob was a great friend & leader for agriculture in Guernsey county & Ohio for so many years. He & MaryAnn were always ready to help anyone that needed it & they welcomed us to this county with open arms. He was truly a Good Man & will be missed by many. Richard, Reba and your families have my sincere sympathy in your loss.*

Betsy Anderson - November 30, 2021 at 05:47 PM