



Robert Allen Yates

September 14, 1972 - March 18, 2026

Robert Allen Yates, age 53 of Cambridge, passed away on Wednesday, March 18, 2026 due to an accident in Zanesville, Ohio. He born September 14, 1973 to David R. Yates Jr. and Billie Jo Yates. Robert graduated from Cambridge High School and Mid East Vocational School in 1991, Ohio University 1997, and furthered his education at Kent State University. He was a faithful member of Trinity Baptist Church, AA, Past Master Byesville 654 Lodge and a plural member of Quaker City Lodge Guernsey Lodge 66. A Past Master of Quaker City 500 and member of Valley of Cambridge Scottish Rite. He enjoyed going to breakfast the first Saturday of every month at any of the lodges and talking with the guys.

Robert was the owner of Yates Services and was employed as a Case Manager/Counselor at Ohio GuideStone. Robert's favorite past time was the yearly trip to the beach with Aunt Jen's family.

Those left to mourn his loss are his Mother Billie Jo Yates, Brother Roger (Pam) Yates, Nieces Nichole and Maria Yates, Nephew Derek Gibson, and Great Nephews David Allen Yates and Slade Gibson.

Robert is proceeded in death by his father David R. Yates Jr., and grandparents Robert and Norma Yates and Cecil and Lura Lawrence. Visitation will be at Bundy-Law Funeral Home on Tuesday, March 24, 2026 from 11 am to 1 pm with the service to begin at 1 pm. Pastors Adam Hall and Evan Greathouse will officiate. Masonic services will be held at 10 am prior to the visitation. Robert's online guest book and tribute wall may be viewed and

signed at www.bundy-lawfuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Northwood Cemetery

10th Street
Cambridge, OH 43725

Previous Events

Masonic Service

MAR **24**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

PL

“ I wish to extend the deepest sympathies of myself, my family (Larry and Linda Lauer) and the Highland Ridge Community Church of Lowell, Ohio to Billie Jo and the family at your time of loss. May you all find hope and peace in the resurrection power of our Lord and Savior as you lean upon Him for comfort.

Pastor Kevin Lauer - April 04 at 01:23 AM

EC

“ We are shocked and saddened by this news. He was a good neighbor. I didn't know him long, but he helped me out when we had that bad snowstorm. He took me to work in his truck when I couldn't get my car out of my driveway (I am a nightshift nurse.) I am sad that now I will never be able to return his good deed. Good journey friend and neighbor. I will pay it forward for you.



Elisa M Cimonis - March 30 at 12:07 PM

L(

“ Prayers to the family during this most difficult time.



Lori Young (Harbin) - March 24 at 11:05 PM

DB

“ I knew Robert at Zane State. He was a delightful man. He cared deeply about others and giving his best to the world. We will be praying for his soul and for his entire family. God bless you and rest in peace.

Dorinda Byers - March 24 at 08:19 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Memories Album



Bundy-Law Funeral Home - March 24 at 07:02 PM

JB

My name is Joseph Bohl I'm at Big Rob to alcoholics anonymous we became really good friends I've helped him with the cleaning business we would sit around and go to many restaurants and eat he loved the root your clothes probably one of my best true friends in the world I could tell him anything and it would always work to situation out tonight I love you with all my heart and I'm going to miss him so much I'm so sorry that I'm not able to come to the funeral he would absolutely kill me he was a good guy in the Lord God he was very intelligent Rob Yates I'll never forget in their favorite big man keep the light off of it

Joseph Bohl - March 25 at 06:32 AM



“ A grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Robert Allen Yates.

March 23 at 08:48 PM

BM

“ I have gotten to know Robert as his Sunday School teacher, mentor, and friend. We enjoyed going out to eat at new restaurants (to me at least) such as Marlene's in Byesville. Robert will be missed. It has been my pleasure getting to know him... And we do pray for the family of Robert and other families that have been forever impacted by his passing.

Bob M - March 23 at 08:46 PM

JC

“ Jennifer clutter purchased the Simply Elegant Sp
athiphyllum for the family of Robert Allen Yates.



Jennifer clutter - March 22 at 09:29 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Robert Allen Yates.



March 21 at 01:53 AM

TF

“ The Randles Family purchased the Pink Potpour
i Bouquet for the family of Robert Allen Yates.



The Randles Family - March 20 at 02:45 PM

FF

“ *From Your Colgate-Palmolive Family purchased the "Always By Your Side" Cardinal Stained Glass Memorial Wind Chime for the family of Robert Allen Yates.*



From Your Colgate-Palmolive Family - March 20 at 01:31 PM

JT

“ *So sorry for your loss*



John Taylor - March 20 at 10:25 AM

SG

“ *Roger and Pam, I was saddened to hear about the passing of your brother Robert. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*



Stephanie GordonSnaveley - March 20 at 10:13 AM

PB

“ *So sorry for your loss.*
Paula Bakos

Paula Bakos - March 20 at 08:58 AM

RT

“ So terribly sorry for your loss. Robert was a favorite of all of us at Marlene's. Always easy going and so nice. He will be missed.



Robyn Tolliver - March 20 at 08:19 AM

BS

“ You will be missed. Such a great guy. I remember when we went to the roller rink skating & you fell & took your skates off in the middle of the floor with the guy tell you that you couldn't walk on the waxed floor. Or the time you rode in back of the jeep wrangler up brenton & was scared it would flip over on us. RIP Robert

Becky watson Smalley - March 19 at 10:20 PM

MP

“ Billie Jo and family, so sorry for the loss of your son and brother. Difficult to understand tragedies like this. Blessings and prayers. Marie

marie Paver - March 19 at 08:04 PM

RP

“ I am extending the deepest sympathy to the entire Yates's family. 🙏

Ron patterson - March 19 at 06:57 PM

JM

“ *Billie Jo, We are so sorry for your loss.
Thoughts and prayers for your family.*

Don and Joyce Moore



Joyce Moore - March 19 at 05:29 PM

CT

“ *Robbie, Roger and I grew up as neighbors! We had good times! I'm
so so sorry for your families loss!*

Christine Todd - March 19 at 04:48 PM

MA

“ *Thoughts and Prayers to the Family* 📏❤️🙏🙏

Mike Andrews - March 19 at 04:41 PM