

Robert Wayne Arnold, age 64, of Lamar, passed away Saturday evening, May 24, 2014 at Freeman West Hospital in Joplin.

Bob was born January 14, 1950, at Lamar, to Clarence, Jr. "Yippie" and Grace (Martin) Arnold. After graduating from Lamar High School in 1968, he earned a BS in business from SMS in Springfield. Bob was the Human Resource Specialist at Thorco Industries for 33 years.

On August 28, 1971, at Lamar, Bob married Donna Westbay and she survives. Also surviving are two daughters, Jennifer Joy "J.J." (Steven) Shaw, Lamar, and Julie Kay (Justin) Maskus, Joplin; a son, Jonathan Robert (Elizabeth) Arnold, Puyallup, Washington; three grandsons, Noah, Blaine, and Trey Shaw, Lamar; and a brother, Steve (Deanna) Arnold, Waco, Missouri. Bob was preceded in death by his parents, Yippie & Gracie, and a nephew, Gregory Scott Arnold.

A faithful member and tireless worker at Lamar United Methodist Church, Bob was active in Methodist Men and Genesis Sunday school class, served on trustee and worship committees, was a volunteer bus driver, and the sound technician for every service and special event. He took pride in his yard and was an avid gardener. Bob enjoyed photography, music and computer games, and was a dedicated Royals and Chiefs fan. His greatest pleasure came from time spent with family and the fellowship of many good friends. Bob will be remembered with a smile for his quick wit and sense of humor.

IN MEMORY OF
Bob Arnold

January 14, 1950 - May 24, 2014

FUNERAL SERVICE
10:00 am Thursday May 29, 2014
Lamar United Methodist Church

OFFICIATING
Dr. Mark Turnbough
Rev. Clif Crockett

MUSIC SELECTIONS
"In the Garden" - Congregational Hymn
"I Can Only Imagine" - Rick Johnson
"Blessed Be Your Name" - Mike Winkle
Claude Howard, Organist

PALLBEARERS
Darrell Kentner - Greg Moyer
Chris Elswick - Roger Mayfield
Darrel Crockett - Jim Gilmartin
Ron Westbay - Clif Crockett

AT REST
Memory Gardens Cemetery
Lamar, Missouri

APPRECIATION

On behalf of Bob's family,
we wish to express their gratitude
for your many kindnesses
evidenced in thought and deed,
and for your attendance
at the funeral service.



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"The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer"
Psalms 18:2