



Robert Clayton Sobleskey

January 21, 1936 - October 28, 2018

Robert Clayton Sobleskey, of Charlotte, age 82, died October 28, 2018. Robert was born in Petoskey, MI to Walter and Nancy Sobleskey on January 21, 1936. Robert was one of 16 children. On December 27, 1975 Robert married Charlotte Marie Sudman and together they created their legacy. Together they raised their blended family, 8 children from his first marriage to Priscilla Madeline Bennett, and the 8 children from Charlotte. Robert worked as a press operator at General Motors, retiring in 1997. He was a very humble, generous, honest, hard worker who was always there to take care of his family. Robert was a provider thru and thru. With the large family, Robert loved family gatherings; he was known as being a crafty euchre player, being able to throw a good shoe in horseshoes, and for always offering you a Miller Light. Robert had a strong love for the outdoors, he loved hunting, fishing and in his early years playing co-ed softball. Music was another key in Roberts life, he loved Yodeling and enjoying Polka Music. Above all Robert loved his family, even the numerous stray cats he took in over the years, giving him the nickname of Cat Man Do.

Robert is survived by wife, Charlotte Marie (Sudman) Sobleskey; children, Robert (June) Sobleskey, William (Carol) Sobleskey, David Sobleskey, Carla (Mark) Sundberg, Steven (Jane) Sobleskey, Mike (Huguette) Sobleskey, Barb (Brian) Thorne, Scott (Rachel) Sobleskey, Kari (Matt) Wagster, Joretta (Brent) Johnson, Michelle (Chuck) Franklin, Carol (Jim) Quantrell, Cheryl (Dan)

Schell, and Tunya (Mark) Copple; several grandchildren, numerous great-grandchildren and great-great grandchildren; siblings, Laurie Pearsall, Norma Pott, Ronnie Sobleskey, Martin "Sonny" Sobleskey, Kenneth "Buck" Sobleskey, and Gerald Sobleskey; and numerous nieces and nephews. Robert was preceded in death by his parents; siblings, Walter Sobleskey Jr, Lawrence Sobleskey, Millie Waffle, Dick Sobleskey, Betty Daniels, Eddie Sobleskey, Arthur Sobleskey, Alice Ballinsky, and Mary Duff; first wife, Priscilla Madeline Bennett.

Friends are encouraged to support Robert's family by wearing Detroit Tiger, Lions or flannel shirts to his services. Also by attending visitation and funeral services at St. Mary Catholic Church. The visitation will be Thursday, November 1, 2018 from 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. With the Funeral Mass on Thursday, November 1, 2018 at 1:30 p.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church with Fr. Dwight Ezop officiating. If desired, the family suggests donations to The Eaton County Humane Society. Please share memories of Robert Sobleskey on his Tribute Page at www.PrayFuneral.com. The family is in the care of Pray Funeral Home, Charlotte.

Cemetery Details

Bosworth Cemetery

6933 South Stine Road
Olivet, MI 49076

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 1. 12:30 PM (ET)

St. Mary Catholic Church
807 St. Mary Boulevard
Charlotte, MI 48813

Funeral Ceremony

NOV 1. 1:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Robert Clayton Sobleskey.*



November 02, 2018 at 10:34 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert Clayton Sobleskey.*



October 30, 2018 at 10:23 PM



“ *Bill, Dave, Carla, and Steve, sorry to hear of the passing of your Dad. We'll remember you in our prayers.*

Michael Fuller - October 30, 2018 at 12:31 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert Clayton Sobleskey.*



October 29, 2018 at 09:03 PM

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“ Grandpa was the most generous and loving grandpa anyone could of asked for. I loved going to his gatherings and watch him play horse shoes and playing cards with him. He will be missed so much.



jenny sobleskey - October 29, 2018 at 08:18 PM

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“ We all grew up as teenagers Bobby and the Bennett family so many memories

Elaine Bennett Sobleskey - October 29, 2018 at 07:46 PM



“ Father - Large Memorial Stone was purchased for the family of Robert Clayton Sobleskey.



October 29, 2018 at 07:45 PM