



Robert C. Bice

October 2, 1932 - January 25, 2015

Robert C. Bice

Age 82, of Essex, IL, passed away peacefully Sunday, January 25, 2015 at his home surrounded by his family. Born October 2, 1932 in Rockton, IL to the late Wilbur and Josephine (nee Vogel) Bice. Robert retired as supervisor from Mobil Chemical in Joliet, IL following 22 years of employment. Veteran of the United States Army, serving during the Korean Conflict as a paratrooper for the 11th Airborne. He formerly served as Township Supervisor for Essex Township and was a former member of the Essex Town Board and the Essex Lions Club. He enjoyed painting, fishing (especially Horse Creek), sports of all kinds (as a participant, teacher, and spectator), and loved spending time with his family. All of these activities were spiced with humor and compassion.

Surviving are his wife, Jacquelyn (nee Yeates), whom he married August 11, 1951 in Kentucky; three daughters, Deborah (William) Ogg of Dwight, IL, Sherry (Barry) Berta of Coal City, IL, and Pamela (Rick) Cuddy of Essex, IL; ten grandchildren, Shan Fieldman, Tonya (Tom) Best, Scott (Jenny) Fieldman, Stacy (Jeff) Richie, Christopher (Valerie) Cuddy, Bret (Danielle) Berta, Bobby (Emily) Cuddy, Michael Cuddy, Beth Berta, and Jessica (Joel) Steichen; five sisters-in-law, Frances Hupp of Wheaton, IL, Sandra (Art) Balthazor of Martinton, IL, Dianne (Rich) Tallon of Essex, Betty Yeates of Bradley, IL, and Carol Bice of Dwight, IL; one brother-in-law, John Hendron of MA; and several nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were two brothers, Art Bice and Pete Bice; and two sisters, JoAnn Patterson and Alice in infancy.

Funeral services will be at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. & Crematory, Braidwood Chapel, Wednesday, January 28, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.

Interment with military honors will follow at North Cemetery in Essex.

The visitation will be Tuesday, January 27, from 4-7 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts in his name may be directed to a fund or charity of the donor's choice.

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R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. & Crematory
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Cemetery Details

North Cemetery

Co Hwy 41 at Co Rd N 475 W
Essex, IL 60935

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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Service

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Tribute Wall

MK

“ Mrs. Jackie and family you had 3 wonderful nice children and tons of grandchildren and more. You will be missed dearly by all those plus many many great friends I remember u all the time when I went passed your home the yard was always so beautiful u and Jackie had it always so nice. I loved babysitting Pam's boys and your nephews children Brandon, Sarah, and Lindsey they were all great kids and (loved) love and miss u dearly as we all do even though I haven't seen u in a while you r still that handsome funny man who always stopped me to talk if going by on my little dirt bike, car ,horse etc and always made me smile and laugh. I wish I could of made your services but not in Essex right now you will be greatly missed, but Never Forgotten and sending my love and hugs to your beautiful wife. I'm so glad you where surrounded by your family and went home in peace. Till we meet again someday R.I.P you will be greatly missed xoxoxo!



MELODY KURTEBACH - February 04, 2015 at 10:47 PM

LT

“ To the Bice's family. My heart prays go out to each one. Robert was and still a great man. I am so sorry for your lose. Love Lori S. Mulletts Thompson

lori mullett thompson - January 31, 2015 at 04:33 PM

SE

“ Pam, Rick & boys, we are very sorry to hear of Bob's passing. Please know that your family has our sympathy.

Chris & Sheree Earley

Sheree Earley - January 29, 2015 at 08:16 PM

MC

“ Dear Mrs. Bice & Family,

I am so sorry to hear about your loss of Bob. It's been several years since I've seen Bob but I remember him as a great guy when I played baseball with him and Art on the Essex town baseball team many years ago and also against him when I played baseball for the Braidwood town baseball team.

I'm so sorry that I missed his visitation but I just saw the obituary notice in the Joliet paper late last night.

Matt Chinski

Matt Chinski - January 28, 2015 at 07:18 PM

SR

“ Jackie so sorry for your loss.
Wayne and Sharon Reed



Sharon Reed - January 28, 2015 at 12:20 PM

SR

“ Sorry for your loss Wayne and Sharon Reed



Sharon Reed - January 28, 2015 at 11:08 AM

KW

“ Mrs. Bice and family- I so enjoyed being Bobs home care nurse. So very sorry to hear of his passing. I am keeping you in my thoughts and prayers.

Kim Walton RN

kim walton - January 27, 2015 at 07:55 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert C. Bice.



January 27, 2015 at 02:08 PM



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January 27, 2015 at 01:35 PM



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January 26, 2015 at 09:20 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Robert C. Bice.



January 26, 2015 at 07:40 PM



“ *Tropical Tribute Spray* was purchased for the family of Robert C. Bice.



January 26, 2015 at 05:12 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket* was purchased for the family of Robert C. Bice.



January 26, 2015 at 05:04 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Robert C. Bice.



January 26, 2015 at 04:39 PM