



## Robert Henry Hobbick

May 7, 1940 - January 6, 2024

Robert "Bob" Hobbick, age 83, of Coon Rapids, passed away peacefully on January 6, 2024 with his loving wife Ann by his side. Bob faced the challenges of dementia in recent years with his trademark smile and good humor.

Bob was born on May 7, 1940 in Menomonie, Wisconsin where he grew up on a farm along the Red Cedar River. He loved football and in high school was named to the All-Northwest Wisconsin team. He was also a lifelong fan of the Green Bay Packers.

Bob was a hardworking skilled machinist, but he also had an entrepreneurial spirit and opened a few different pizza restaurants over the years in Elk River and Milaca. He will be deeply missed and remembered for his kindness, his sense of humor, and his love for his family.

He is survived by his wife of 32 years, Ann; his children MaryBeth (Jim) Schmitt, Karen Christensen, and Ken (Theresa) Hobbick; his grandchildren Andy (Lonna) Christensen, Stephanie Christensen, Ken (Susan) Schmitt, Kelly Hobbick, and Sarah Hobbick; his great-grandchildren Emma, Madison, Mason, McKenna, Korah, and Waverly; and his siblings Joan (Tom) Harris and Dan (Linda) Hobbick. Bob is also survived by his stepchildren with Ann, Greg Emond, Tony Emond, Susan Emond, and Joseph Emond, and 12 step-grandchildren and six step-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents Edward and Gertrude Hobbick; his brother Kenneth Hobbick; son-in-law Kenneth Christensen; and stepson Jerome Emond.

A Memorial Mass will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, January 27, 2024, with visitation beginning at 10:00 am, at St. Stephen's Catholic Church, 525 Jackson St., Anoka, MN 55303.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 27. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Stephen's Catholic Church (Anoka)  
525 Jackson Street  
Anoka, MN 55303

## Church Service

JAN 27. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Your family is in my thoughts. I too will miss Bob at the family reunions. I always enjoyed visiting with Bob and Ann. I love that you mentioned his smile, kindness and sense of humor in the obituary. That is certainly what I will always remember and hold dear. Sending love, Ann (Hobbick) Kerkman

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**Ann Kerkman** - January 20, 2024 at 09:45 PM

 Mary Fares

“ My sympathy to Ann and family. Bob was one of my favorite cousins(don't tell the rest) I could count on his smile and laughter at the Hobbick reunions since I started attending in 1988 in Menomonie. I will miss him. Mary Enid

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**Mary Fares** - January 20, 2024 at 04:20 PM