



Robert Joseph Stone

April 29, 1943 - January 3, 2026

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Robert "Bob" Joseph Stone, of Brooklyn Park, Minnesota, passed away on January 3, 2026, surrounded by the love and comfort of his family. Born on April 29, 1943, Bob lived a life grounded in faith, devotion, and an unwavering commitment to those he cherished.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Bonnie Stone, and their seven children - Pam, Patti, Bob, John, Timothy, Tammy, and Jim - each of whom carries forward his strength, humor, and compassion. Bob is also survived by his brother, Bill, and sister, Maureen, with whom he shared a lifetime of love and friendship.

A man of deep faith and quiet strength, Bob was respected as a trusted friend and confidant. Those who sought his counsel were met with wisdom, honesty, and genuine care. Intelligent, well-spoken, and kind-hearted, he brought thoughtfulness and integrity to all of his relationships.

Bob dedicated his life to providing a joyful and secure home for his family of nine. He worked long hours - often to the point of exhaustion - yet did so without complaint and always with purpose. His hard work built a home filled with laughter, warmth, and togetherness: backyard swims, games in the gazebo, and countless family gatherings where joy came easily. The house

was always stocked with good food, Christmas mornings overflowed with presents, and birthdays were celebrated with enthusiasm - each of his children were made to feel special, even in a family where four of the children shared their birthday with a sibling.

A lifelong Chicago sports fan, Bob proudly cheered for the Bulls, Bears, Cubs, Blackhawks, and White Sox. After settling in Minnesota, he watched, sometimes with good-natured disbelief, as his children rooted for the Vikings, Wild, Twins, and Timberwolves. That friendly rivalry became a beloved part of family life, reflecting Bob's humor and the warmth that defined him.

Bob's legacy endures in the countless lives he touched with his compassion, guidance, and steadfast love.

A visitation will be held on Monday, January 12th, at Washburn-McReavy Funeral Chapel, 5125 West Broadway, Crystal, MN 55429. Viewing begins at 10:00 a.m., followed by services at 11:00 a.m. A reception will follow. Burial will take place afterward at the same location.

Cemetery Details

Glen Haven Memorial Gardens

5125 West Broadway
Crystal, MN 55429
(763) 533-8643
info@washburn-mcreavy.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Glen Haven Chapel
5125 West Broadway
Crystal, MN 55429

Funeral Service

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

Glen Haven Chapel
5125 West Broadway
Crystal, MN 55429

Reception

JAN 12. 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

Glen Haven Chapel
5125 West Broadway
Crystal, MN 55429

Graveside Service

JAN 12. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Glen Haven Memorial Gardens
5125 West Broadway
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Tribute Wall

TR

“ *Bob impressed me as one of the few lay persons I have known who was an avid reader of serious theological literature. He loved God's truth!* ”

Terry Rogstad - January 12 at 07:39 AM

CW

“ *Cliff Wilson purchased the Enduring Grace for the family of Robert Joseph Stone.* ”



Cliff Wilson - January 12 at 05:59 AM

CW

“ *Cliff Wilson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert Joseph Stone.* ”

Cliff Wilson - January 12 at 05:59 AM

CW

“ Dear Bonnie & family,
May the Lord envelop you in and with His love and care, just as you & Bob have consistently done throughout the years for myself, and for all of His people that have been a part of your lives. Bob's faith, has now become sight as he is face to face with Jesus, and his greatest hope, desire and prayers were and are that you his family, and the rest of us whose lives you've enriched, would also in God's time be there with him to behold Him face to face and enjoy Him forever. I'm so thankful I was able to spend time with you both this summer Bonnie! God bless you all as we grieve and miss our brother Bob.
In the love of Christ,
Cliff Wilson

Cliff Wilson - January 12 at 05:37 AM

VJ

“ Bonnie and family
We extend our sympathy to your family and at the same time rejoice that Bob is with Jesus, whom he loved as his Savior. We always enjoyed his sense of humor as well as discussing matters of faith. We will treasure his memory.
In Christ's love, Vi and Gary Jansick

Vi and Gary Jansick - January 11 at 01:13 PM

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“ Patti Dwyer (Davies) purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Robert Joseph Stone.



Patti Dwyer (Davies) - January 11 at 10:46 AM