



## Robert "Bob" Parker

June 29, 1952 - August 8, 2014

Robert G. 'Bob' Parker, 62, of Grand Island, went home to Heaven Friday, August 08, 2014.

Celebration of Life will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Stolley Park Church of Christ. Minister Mike Reeves will officiate. Burial will be at a later date in Montana.

Visitation will be from 4-7 p.m. Tuesday at the Church. All Faiths Funeral Home is serving the family.

Bob was born June 29, 1952 to Robert and Norma (Diemer) Parker at Scottsbluff, NE.

Surviving family include his wife, Debra; siblings, Caroline (Bruce) Morgan of Algona, Washington, Deanna (Fred) Charles of Hillsdale, WY, Wayne Parker of Wyoming, Connie (Jerry) Hayes of Cheyenne, WY, Kevin Parker of Wyoming (and wife, Dianne) and Allen Wentz of Candor, New York; and numerous nieces and nephews.

There to greet him in heaven were his parents; two infant siblings and a sister, Vonda Farmer.

Bob grew up in the Scottsbluff area and later attended Southeast Community College in Lincoln. He was united in marriage to Debra Miller on February 14, 1987. The couple made their home in Grand Island. Bob was employed as a motor route driver by the Independent. He later worked for Sears and Mead Lumber. For several years, Bob was an over the road truck driver; before owning and managing his own small engine repair shop. He was a member of Stolley Park Church of Christ.

Bob enjoyed being around people, especially children. He had 'adopted' the neighborhood kids. However, there was a special place in his heart for Junior, Jared, McKenna, and Tyson. A simple man, Bob loved nature, the mountains, fishing and his animals, Max, Brandy, Lady and Max II. He took pride in working with his hands, whether it was with cars, woodworking or baking his famous banana bread, cinnamon rolls and omelets. Bob will be remembered for his generosity and his wonderful knack for making people laugh.

Memorials are suggested to the family.

Online condolences may be left at [www.giallfaiths.com](http://www.giallfaiths.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **12**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Stolley Park Church of Christ  
Grand Island, NE

## Service

AUG **13**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Stolley Park Church of Christ  
Grand Island, NE

# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert "Bob" Parker*

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“ *To My Dearest Brother Robert:  
I will miss you more than words can express.  
Here is a poem that my wife and myself love and is so very true.  
Rest In Peace We will always and forever love you!!! Allen and  
Kathy*

*If Tears Could Build A Stairway  
An thoughts a memory lane  
I'd walk right up to heaven  
And bring you home again.*

*No farewell words were spoken  
No time to say good-bye  
You were gone before I knew it  
And God only knows why.*

*My heart's still active in sadness  
And secret tears still flow  
What it meant to lose you  
No one will ever know.*

*But now I know you want us  
To mourn for you no more  
To remember all the happy times  
Life still has much in store.*

*Since you'll never be forgotten  
I pledge to you today  
A hallowed place within my heart  
Is where you'll always stay.*

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**Allen and Kathy Wentz** - August 11, 2014 at 04:15 PM