



## Robert "Bob" Rossow

May 15, 1944 - September 24, 2019

Robert "Bob" Henry Rossow, 75, of Spirit Lake passed away on Tuesday, September 24, 2019 at his home in Spirit Lake with his family by his side. Private family services will be held at the Schuchert-Lentz Funeral Home in Spirit Lake.

Robert was born the son of Delbert and Florence (Folkers) Rossow on May 15, 1944 in Heron Lake, Minnesota. Bob received his education and graduated from Okabena High School in Okabena, Minnesota. After graduation he worked for lumber yards in Heron Lake, Minneapolis and Spirit Lake. In 1974 he went into partnership and formed the construction company of Double R Builders.

On September 5, 1981 he was united in marriage to Patricia Schmitz. They made their home on the north shore of Big Spirit in Spirit Lake, Iowa. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, snowmobiling, watching sporting events and vacationing with family. He will be fondly remembered for his jokes that he loved telling family and friends.

Left to cherish Bob's memory are his wife Pat of Spirit Lake; three sons Jason of Jackson, MN; Brent of Jackson, MN; Eric of Denver, CO; daughter Lexi of Denver, CO; three grandchildren, Courtney, Dakota and Ean; sister in laws Gerri Rosow of Bloomington, MN; Judy Nelson of Fairmont, MN; Mary Jo

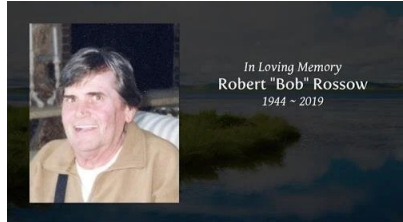
Cook of Sioux Falls, SD; Lori (Pat) Strouth of Sioux Falls, SD; brother in law Gary (Jan) Schmitz of Sioux Falls, SD; 4 nephews, and 4 nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, infant brother Delvin, one brother Douglas, brother in law Jack Schmitz and sister in law Jean Schmitz.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Robinson Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert "Bob" Rossow*



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**Robinson Funeral Home** - September 30, 2019 at 10:39 AM

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*My deepest sympathies to your family. The video is a beautiful remembrance of all the blessings you share. May you find peace and comfort. Andrea (Sievert) Mann*

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**Andrea Mann** - October 07, 2019 at 07:14 PM

MC

*BOB is just one of the best men I have ever known. He was kind to everyone. I DID NOT always catch all the punch lines to his many jokes but I DO KNOW his laugh was great. I will always remember his laugh. I LOVE you Bob.*

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**Maryjo Cook** - October 08, 2019 at 06:00 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Rossow.*



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October 11, 2019 at 09:31 AM

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“ *My deepest sympathies to the entire family. May you find peace and comfort.*

*Andrea (Sievert) Mann*

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**Andrea Mann** - October 07, 2019 at 07:16 PM

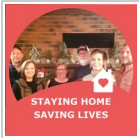
JW

“ *Janet Wicks lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Rossow*



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**Janet Wicks** - October 05, 2019 at 10:26 PM



“ *You have our deepest sympathies, Pat & Familys.....what a great tribute video! Bob grew up on a farm close to Gary's family, so after Bob got his license, he would pick up Gary to go to school/ Gary is two years younger than Bob, so it was a pretty big deal to go to school in a car!! I'm sure there would be some good stories there! Sympathy, Love, & Prayers~~~Gary & Kathy Kalfs*



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**Kathy Kalfs** - October 03, 2019 at 02:48 PM

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“ *Many fond memories of Robert. He was in our wedding party, and constructed some of our homes. Stan spent many hours with him in the duck blind. Our deepest sympathy to Robert's family.*

*Stan and Joanne Sievert*

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**Stan & Joanne Sievert** - October 03, 2019 at 01:40 PM



“ We fondly remember Bob and his family as we had a cabin next to their home on Spirit Lake during the years our kids (his and ours) were growing up. He and Pat were gracious hosts and wonderful neighbors and friends. Bob also built our cabin and remodeled our home in Worthington. Great contractor/builder! Rest In Peace Bob. May God comfort his family 🙏

**Barb Atchison** - September 29, 2019 at 04:20 PM



“ Steve and Rolene send our sympathies to Bob's family.



**Rolene** - September 29, 2019 at 09:46 AM



“ Rolene lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Rossow

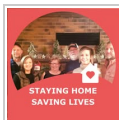


**Rolene** - September 29, 2019 at 09:42 AM



*Our sympathies to Bob's family*

**Rolene** - September 29, 2019 at 09:43 AM



*Rest In Peace, Bob.*

**Kathy Kalfs** - October 03, 2019 at 04:52 PM

JL

“ *Jill Larson sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert "Bob" Rossow*



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**Jill Larson** - September 27, 2019 at 04:12 PM

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“ *My sympathies to the family.*



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**Terry Moeller** - September 26, 2019 at 06:31 PM

JB

“ *Jim And Annie Bauer lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Rossow*



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**Jim and Annie Bauer** - September 26, 2019 at 09:05 AM

JB

“ *Jim Annie Bauer lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Rossow*



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**Jim Annie Bauer** - September 26, 2019 at 09:04 AM

DB

“ *My sympathy to your family.*

*Dayle Brooks*



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**Dayle Brooks** - September 26, 2019 at 08:45 AM

LJ

“ *Larry And Mary Ann Jansen lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Rossow*



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**Larry and Mary Ann Jansen** - September 25, 2019 at 07:16 PM