



Robert Lee Walker

October 3, 1944 - February 10, 2023

Robert “Bobby” Lee Walker, 78, of Salisbury passed away on Friday, February 10, 2023, at TidalHealth Peninsula Regional in Salisbury, surrounded by his loving family.

He was born on October 3, 1944 in Hopeton, Virginia, the second youngest of six children to the late Harry James Walker, Sr. and Dorothy Brooks Walker. Bobby graduated from Parksley High School with the class of '63 where he played football. On July 25, 1964 he married his high school sweetheart Sandy, and for the past 58 years they raised their family and loved, laughed and smiled together. In his younger days he worked as a warehouse manager for Outten Brothers Furniture in Salisbury. For the past 30 years Bobby has been a fixture at the N. Salisbury Walmart where he quickly became a department manager until his recent health issues forced him to scale back. He attended Emmanuel Church in Salisbury and enjoyed playing on the church softball league. Bobby was a sports fan who rooted for the Washington Redskins, New York Yankees and the UNC Tar Heels Basketball Team, but more importantly, he rooted hard for his kids and grandkids as they played on many baseball, softball and soccer teams. When able, he rarely missed a game or school function if his grandkids were involved. They lovingly referred to him as “Bob-Bob.” He also had a love for music and was a wonderful guitar and banjo player. Bobby never met a stranger and always greeted everyone with his signature warm smile and hug. He enjoyed working outdoors in his yard and especially loved his soap operas, rarely missing an episode of The

Young and the Restless. He will be remembered as a true family man and an amazing husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather.

He is survived by his loving wife of 58 years, Sandra L. Walker; sons, Dave Walker (Dawn), Bryan Walker (Kimberly) and Troy D. Walker; grandchildren, Ethan Walker and his fiancée Lu, Sara Jarwan, Seth Walker, Hanna Jarwan, and Isabella Argo-Walker; and a great grandson E.J. Walker.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his siblings, Harry James Walker, Jr., Ann Rowley, Barbara Marshall, Rosalee "Bea" Barnes (twin sister), and Jackie Walker.

A visitation for family and friends will be held at Emmanuel Church, 217 Beaglin Park Drive, Salisbury, MD on Monday, February 20, 2023 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00, followed by a funeral service which begins at 1:00. Interment will follow the service in Springhill Memory Gardens in Hebron.

In memory of Mr. Walker, contributions may be sent to the American Cancer Society by visiting their website at www.cancer.org.

Arrangements are in the care of Short Funeral Home in Delmar. Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.shortfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Springhill Memory Gardens

27260 Ocean Gateway
Hebron, MD 21830

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **20**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Emmanuel Wesleyan Church
217 Beaglin Park Drive
Salisbury, MD

Funeral Service

FEB **20**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Emmanuel Wesleyan Church
217 Beaglin Park Drive
Salisbury, MD

Tribute Wall



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Short Funeral Home - February 18, 2023 at 04:44 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Life Tributes*



Short Funeral Home - February 18, 2023 at 03:18 PM

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“ So sorry to hear this I loved talking to him at Walmart always had a smile on his face and love picking on me. He's going to missed tremendously. Sending hugs and love to the family.

Dawn Nichols - February 16, 2023 at 12:21 PM

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“ Mr. Bobby was never without a smile. He brightened everyone's day by just being present. Dave & I would walk into Walmart, hug Bobby, and then I would start shopping. Before I knew it, I checked out, bagged the groceries looked around for Dave and he & Bobby would still be chatting at the front door. We love Bobby, love the family he created, and will miss him. However, we are excited for his journey home. Hugs to all
Dave & Kim Ortega

Kim Ortega - February 16, 2023 at 06:48 AM

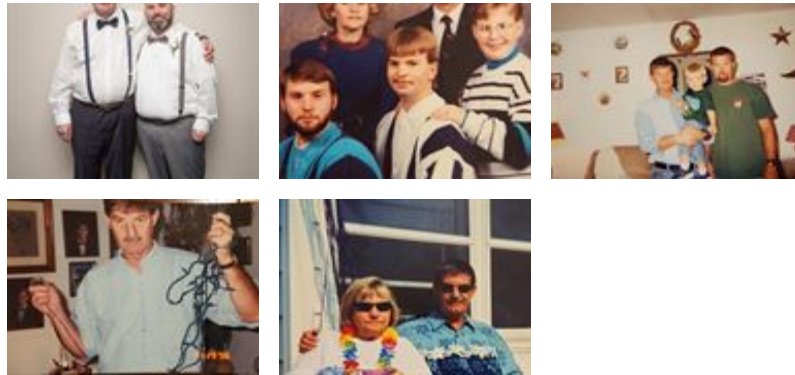
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“ My deepest condolences and continued prayers to the Walker family, may God continue to cover you all in this time of grief 🙏

Sheenah Hudgins (Walmart 1890) - February 15, 2023 at 03:17 PM



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Short Funeral Home - February 15, 2023 at 10:31 AM

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Beautiful family love you

Tabby rathel - February 15, 2023 at 11:49 AM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers go out to you all during this difficult time Mr Bobby aka pop pop as I called him was one of a kind a gentle soul who could light up the room with his smile my yankee buddy, you are going to be missed my friend I will cherish your memory forever in my heart I love you



Tabby rathel - February 15, 2023 at 07:00 AM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss my thoughts and prayers go out to you all during this difficult time, Mr Bobby aka pop pop as I called him was one of a kind, a gentle soul who could light up the room with his smile , my yankee buddy, I just don't know what I am going to do without being able to see him everyday you are going to be missed my friend , I will cherish your memory forever in my heart I love you



Tabby rathel - February 14, 2023 at 06:17 PM

SS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Mr. Bobby was such a good man and friend. I loved working with him at Walmart. He always had a smile and a hug. He would ask me if I was going to be trouble and I'd say yes. He will be greatly missed.

Sheryl Stein - February 14, 2023 at 10:16 AM