



Robert W. Reed

October 11, 2011 - October 11, 2011

Robert W. Reed passed away peacefully October 5, 2011. Bob was born in Cheyenne, Wyoming September 25, 1932 to Joseph and Florence Reed. He is preceded in death by 2 brothers: William and Joseph, and his son, Kenneth. He is survived by his wife, Mildred; daughter, Carol Hixson; sister, Ellen; grandchildren: Randy Hixson, Laura Pilato, and Kelly Comer; great grandsons, Kenneth and Isaiah Comer and great-granddaughter, Whitney Pilato. In 1950, Bob went to college at the University of Northern Colorado on a basketball scholarship. After 2 years, he joined the Navy and was honorably discharged after 4 years of service. He married Mildred Royce in 1956 and then moved to Laramie, Wyoming to attend University of Wyoming studying engineering and pharmaceutical, graduating in 1962. Shortly after, they moved to Fort Collins, Colorado and became a pharmacist and owner of Poudre Drug Company. Bob was a very active member of the Fort Collins community. He was an active member and 1st president of the Sertoma Club, and the founder and president of the Sertoma Christmas program. Bob was also one of 3 candidates for Community Builder of the Year. Bob was a very caring person admired by many friends and family. He was much loved and will be truly missed by many. A graveside service will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 19, 2011 at Grandview Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Bob Reed Christmas Memorial Fund in care of Bohlender Funeral Chapel, 121 W. Olive, Fort Collins, Colorado 80524.

Tribute Wall

MS

“ *Gracious memories, how they linger.*

Mark StJohn - October 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ *I was so sorry to learn of Mr. Bob's passing. He was so patient with me and all of my perscriptions over the years. What a kind man. My deepest sympathy to Carol & your family. He will stay in our hearts forever. Elizabeth Crowell 10/18/11 Greeley*

Elizabeth Crowell - October 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ *We were shocked to read in the paper that Robert had passed away. Robert was a friend and good neighbor. We extend our sympathy to you and your family during this time.*

Mr. & Mrs. Richard Dorn - October 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

ER

“ *Bob has been our pharmacist for many years. He was wonderful and we certainly will miss him.*

Everett and Billie Richardson - October 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AP

“ *Dear Millie and family, I will see you Wednesday, but I want you to know that I deeply feel the gaping hole in your family and in this community from Bob not being here. You have such sweet connections here-I hope they all and I can be there for you physically, mentally, spiritually ... I have such fond memories from many years with him and you. Much love to you, Ann Pendley*

Ann Pendley - October 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ *Millie and Carol, We were so sorry to hear that you lost Bob so quickly, he was a strong man and a wonderful person. His generosity to others will be a wonderful legacy for him, we will miss him in so many ways.*

Donna and Luke - October 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *DearFamily You have our deepest sympathy and want you to know how wonderful and considerate Bob was to us and our family. Always there to help. We will miss him. Love Lyle and Connie*

Lyle & Connie Van Horn - October 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MI

“ *I will always remember Bob with love. He was the most wonderful employer- and sponsor of our softball teams! Love and sympathy to Millie and Carol- I cherish the time I worked with you- many good memories. With much love.*

Mila - October 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ *We send our sympathy to your family as we fondly remember the many years we were friends and neighbors. John, Cheris, Mark and Kent St.John*

St. John - October 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *I worked for Bob and Millie for a short time while I attended CSU. I remember Bob as the most generous and caring employer I've ever had. His passing is a loss to the community and to us all.*

Kate Bzik Ackelson - October 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM