



## Robert "Bob" Sam

January 4, 1937 - December 16, 2016

A celebration of the life of Robert Lewis "Bob" Sam will be 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 21, 2016 at Hayhurst Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow at Floral Haven Memorial Gardens. Friends may visit the funeral home on Tuesday from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Bob passed away on Friday, December 16 at the age of 79.

Bob was born in Claremore, Oklahoma on January 4, 1937 to Ceasar and Osa (Allen) Sam. He graduated from high school in Sapulpa, Oklahoma. Bob married the love of his life, Vivian Opale Cooley on September 22, 1956. Their union was blessed with two daughters. Bob was a wonderful husband and father. Bob worked as a mechanic and an inspector for American Airlines for 42 years.

In his free time, Bob enjoyed fishing and hunting. He raised some cows and enjoyed being outdoors. Bob was a minister in the Church of God of Prophecy for 50 years.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research, 262 Danny Thomas Pl., Memphis, TN 38105.

Bob is survived by,  
Wife, Vivian "Opale" Sam, Wagoner, OK

Children, Bobbie Wagnon and husband Richard, Claremore, OK

Lisa Potter and husband Ricky, Coweta

Grandchildren, Rachel, Ashley and Justin, Amber and William, Michael and Keerstin, Natasha and Casey

Great Grandchildren, Keera, Mason, Kendra, Kandyn, Autumn, Lily, Logan  
Sister, Wilma and Chuck Farr, Longview, Texas

Bob was preceded in death by his parents and brothers, Gene and Ceasar.

# Cemetery Details

## Floral Haven Memorial Gardens

6500 S. 129th E. Ave.  
Tulsa, OK 74012  
(918) 252-2518

# Previous Events

## Viewing

DEC **20**. 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM (CT)

Hayhurst Funeral Home  
1660 South Elm Place  
Broken Arrow, OK 74012  
(918) 258-9623  
hayhurstfuneralhome@gmail.com

## Visitation

DEC **20**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Service

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DEC **21**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert "Bob" Sam*

October 23, 2023 at 01:21 AM



“ *It is our honor and privilege to serve the Sam family and to provide this permanent tribute website in memory of Bob Sam.*



Hayhurst Funeral Home - December 23, 2016 at 01:59 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Sam.*



December 19, 2016 at 02:48 PM



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



December 19, 2016 at 12:48 PM

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“ *From Noralee and Jim Daniel purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Robert "Bob" Sam.*



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**From Noralee and Jim Daniel** - December 19, 2016 at 09:41 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Sam.*



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December 18, 2016 at 10:02 PM