



## Robert "Bob" Francis Lambert

February 14, 1943 - October 2, 2017

Robert "Bob" F. Lambert, age 74, of Cazenovia, formerly of Janesville passed away on Monday, October 2, 2017, surrounded by his family at the UW Hospital Trauma Center in Madison, as a result of a motorcycle accident. He was born in Madison on February 14, 1943, the son of Raymond and Hariette M. (Liddell) Lambert. He served in the Army. Bob worked for quite a number of years at Fairbanks Morse Co. in Beloit. Following the move to Cazenovia he worked for 20 years at Gerber Products in Reedsburg. Bob married Hildegard "Dee" Holzinger Stratton on July 6, 1974.

Bob was a friendly out-going guy, always there for an easy laugh. He had a generous heart. His favorite past time was fishing in the warm seasons, hunting in the fall and winter, visiting with friends over a cup of good coffee (or a beer), or walking his dogs (beagles of course), spending time with family. He loved his family deeply and was always protective of them. Bob made friends easily and kept them a life time. For all his rough edges he was loved by many and will be missed.

Survivors include his wife, Dee Lambert of Cazenovia, WI; 3 daughters, Tracy (Doug) Bailey of Gleason, WI, Tania Bolden of Janesville, WI, Jennifer (Andrew) Jerrett of Reedsburg; 5 grandchildren, Megan and Austin Bailey, Grace Bolden, Caelan Jerrett, Michael Thornton; a sister, Kathy Foss of Janesville, WI; mother-in-law, Anna Holzinger; brother-in-law, Herbert

Holzinger; sister-in-law, Doris Johnson; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends; 2 special friends, Alan Hanko, Jimmy Hedgecock; dogs, Tucker and Winnie.

He was preceded in death by his parents; daughter, Shauna Vance; grandson, Mitchell Vance; brother, Raymond Lambert Jr.; father-in-law, Heinrich Holzinger.

The family would like to thank the Cazenovia First Responders and all the staff, doctors, nurses in the Trauma Care Center at UW Hospital for their compassion and caring, not just for Bob but for all of us. Thank You!

A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Sunday, October 8, 2017, at 12:30 PM at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home in Richland Center, WI. Friends may call on Sunday at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home from 10:00 AM until the time of services. On line condolences can be made at [www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com](http://www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

OCT 8. 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Clary Memorial Funeral & Cremation Service, LLC  
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# Tribute Wall

DA

“ *Every time my beagle Max was outside when Bob went through Ironton, he was sure to stop and visit with him.*

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**Donette Allert** - October 08, 2017 at 09:20 AM

HZ

“ *Our condolences to the family. I worked with Bob at Fairbanks Morse and we had a lot of good times and good laughs. Also fond memories of going to Cazenovia for the chicken flying contest. He will truly be missed. Harley and Janet Zierfuss*

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**Harley & Janet Zierfuss** - October 07, 2017 at 12:02 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Francis Lambert.*



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October 06, 2017 at 04:45 PM

MS

“ Bob, you will be missed, it was always a good time meeting at the local restaurant for coffee and breakfast or at one of the local hangouts, fishing was a simple pleasure we both enjoyed once in awhile too.

*My hope is people reading this don't take what is written next the wrong way but you earned your "silver wings" to Heaven my friend...Be Well.*

*Michael Stahl*

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**Michael S.** - October 06, 2017 at 12:10 PM

JS

“ I worked with Bob as a young woman at Fairbanks Morse starting in 1974. He was a kind funny man who loved his family. He was a hard worker with an amazing sense of humor. RIP Bob, Joyce Splan Beloit Wisconsin

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**Joyce Splan** - October 06, 2017 at 12:27 AM

MR

“ Dear Dee, We are very sorry for your loss. Keep the memories of Bob close to your heart and try to stay strong. We love you, Harold and Marilyn Rotzoll

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**Marilyn Rotzoll** - October 05, 2017 at 01:26 PM

JR

“ Very sorry for your loss. I was in the service with Bob in 1961 and 1962 in southwestern France. Those were good times. When I moved to Janesville in 1965 I met up with Bob and got to know his family. I havent heard from him since he left Janesville. Now unfortunatelly I know. RIP Bob. John Runde

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**john runde** - October 05, 2017 at 11:00 AM

CR

“ Bob was such an amazing man. He will be missed by so many. So blessed to have known such a funny and caring man. Rest In Peace and give my mom a hug from all of us. I'm pretty sure you two are telling jokes while watching over all of us, our guardian angels who will be in our hearts always and forever!

~Carrie Routson

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**Carrie Routson** - October 04, 2017 at 08:58 PM

MM

“ My sincere sympathy to Bob's family. I visited with him several times when he came up the road with his precious beagles, to my Dad's place (Joe Duren) My Dad just loved it when he showed up. They shared many moments together. God gained another angel. He truly was a special man. I live in Elroy, but I was at my Dad's a lot. Prayers to you all, Monica (Duren) Marshall.

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**Monica (Duren) Marshall** - October 04, 2017 at 07:32 PM