ROBERT L. "BOB" SNELL(1933 - 2014)



Robert "Bob" L. Snell, beloved husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather ended his earthly journey October 27, 2014, at Laurie Rehab Center in Laurie, MO. Visitation will be from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM, Friday, October 31st at Porter's Funeral Home, 1835 Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, KS. Services will follow at 11:00 AM. Burial at Chapel Hill Cemetery. Bob was born April 22, 1933, in Kansas City, KS, to Fred and Mamie Snell. Preceding him in death were his parents, his son Robert "Bobby" Snell, Jr., and his sister, Darlene Majors. Survivors include his wife Peggy of 60 years. His children Steve, David, Michael and daughter-in-law, Tammy. His grandchildren John, Melanie, Janae, Kyle, Chris, Angela, Brianna, Nick and Cameron. His great grandchildren Mariah, Dominic, Juliana, Kaeden, Kira, Maya, Harrison, and Debbie. His brother and sister-in-law, Bill and Nancy Snell, his sister-in-law, Dorothy Nicely, his brothers and sisters-in-law, Bob and Mary Simpson and Dan and Char Simpson, nieces and nephews, many dear friends and neighbors, a very special life-long friend, Kenneth Duy, and our precious dog, Daisy. We moved

permanently to the Lake of the Ozarks in January of 2005 from the Kansas City area, a dream of both of ours. We joined Shaped by the Cross Lutheran Church in Laurie, MO. We were warmly welcomed by our pastor and his church family. One of Bob's passions was his baseball career. He signed and pitched professional ball for the New York Yankees and the St. Louis Cardinals. After those days, he continued playing semi-pro in Kansas and Missouri. Another passion, his music. He would play for hours on both a piano and keyboard, mostly from the Lutheran Hymnal. He especially loved Bach. Another passion, his gardens. He would start with seeds under grow-lights, growing very healthy plants, mostly vegetables. He nurtured them, harvested them, picked, ate, and shared them. He taught me such an appreciation for anything green. He will lovingly be remembered, his quiet spirit that touched us all. Bob has taken most of my heart with him on his "journey into rest".

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