



Rod Robson

September 3, 1951 - October 20, 2020

Rod Robson, age 69, of Glendive, Montana, passed away on Tuesday, October 20, 2020 at his home in Glendive. Visitation will be held from 1:00 P.M. until 5:00 P.M. and from 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Thursday, October 22, 2020 at the Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Vigil services will be at 7:00 P.M. on Thursday, October 22, 2020 at the Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Mass of Christian Burial will be at 11:00 A.M. on Friday, October 23, 2020 at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church with Father Francis Schreiber officiating and Deacon Bob Ackerman assisting. Rite of Committal will follow in Dawson Memorial Cemetery. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Rodney Jay Robson was born September 3, 1951 in Glendive, Montana, son of Doris and Orvin Robson. Rod was raised in a family of three brothers and three sisters and additional stepbrothers and stepsisters. Rod was raised in Glendive and spent summers on the farm with his dear Aunt Ruth and Uncle Max Netwig. Rod was a Dawson County graduate of 1969. In 1970, Rod married Mary Ann Miller, from this union Rocky and Michelle were born. Rod enlisted in the Montana National Guard on August 11, 1971. He served as an 11B infantry for his time of service. On April 5, 1977 he was honorably discharged of the rank of E5 Sargent.

Through Rod's many miles of AA travels with his friend Garlan, Rod was introduced to Garlan's sister Sandy and daughter Jennifer in Fargo, North Dakota. This was the beginning of a 400-mile relationship with a marriage on

August 17, 1985 at the Montana Inn.

Rod was employed with the BN railroad as a traveling mechanic until 1984 when an injury forced him to retire. Rod had many ventures to include: Mac Tools, Rod's Exon, and RR Enterprises.

Rod was active in Jaycee's and the Muscular Dystrophy telethon. He was also active in AA with 38 years of sobriety. Through various car clubs and organizations many treasured, lifetime friendships were made.

Rod enjoyed building and working with cars throughout his lifetime. He owned every tool necessary and then some. He looked forward to our many years of Thursday night family suppers.

Rod was preceded in death by his father, Orvin Robson; mother and step-father, Doris and Lester Moan; brother, Jeff; aunts; uncles; and classmates.

Rod is survived by his loving wife, Sandy and children: Rocky (Lori and her daughters Ali and Jessica), Michele, and Jennifer. He also is survived by his faithful companion Rusty who would always be by his side or in his lap. His siblings: Ron (Brenda) Robson, Wanda (Jim) Baker, Donna (Dan) Dobson, Sherry (Jerry) Gilbertson, Gary (Sandy) Moan, and many cousins. Noting his special cousin Connie!

We are broken hearted and our world will never be the same without you! Your smile, your infectious laugh, your stories you shared, and the love you offered will be remembered always.

RIP MY LOVE!

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: www.silhafuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Dawson Memorial Cemetery

2816 West Towne Street
Glendive, MT 59330

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **22**. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Home
221 North Meade Avenue
Glendive, MT 59330

Visitation

OCT **22**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Home
221 North Meade Avenue
Glendive, MT 59330

Vigil Service

OCT **22**. 7:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Home
221 North Meade Avenue
Glendive, MT 59330

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT **23**. 11:00 AM (MT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
316 West Benham Street
Glendive, MT 59330

Tribute Wall



“ Rod Robson

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ To the family of Rod, all his friends and the community of Glendive. I may no longer be in my "home" town but will always try and keep up with what goes on there. Reading about my friends passing leaves me with great sadness. I may not miss his somewhat dry sense of humor but will forever miss his unmistakable laugh. I thank him for his friendship and know we will once again meet at, what I consider the biggest car show one can attend. The man upstairs just got one damn fine mechanic. RIP my friend!

Ron Dye - October 28, 2020 at 08:40 PM



“ One never knows how a small act of kindness can be remembered for a lifetime. As a very shy quiet 7th grade girl, I went to my first dance at Washington School. I pretty much hid and watched the other kids dance. Then a boy I knew, Rod, came up and asked me to dance. I told him I didn't know how to dance. He said he would show me how. Now 68 years later I still remember that kind act. So sorry for your loss. Karen Baker Andreason

Karen Baker Andreason - October 24, 2020 at 07:11 PM

BK

“ I am sorry to learn of Rod’s passing and would like to send my love and prayers to his entire family! My memories of Rod are from our times together in the Glendive Jaycees. I have many fond memories of Rod during those years and even to this day I can hear his infectious laugh when I look at his picture. I remember him being very kind and having a great big heart. I pray that the Lord will give you comfort each day!



Bill Kickert - October 24, 2020 at 05:55 PM

JG

“ Janice Grigsby lit a candle in memory of Rod Robson



Janice Grigsby - October 24, 2020 at 05:47 PM

LK

“ LaVonne Kautzmann lit a candle in memory of Rod Robson



LaVonne Kautzmann - October 23, 2020 at 08:41 PM

MK

“ *Mary Kutzler lit a candle in memory of Rod Robson*



Mary Kutzler - October 23, 2020 at 12:32 PM

Gina Mann

“ *Gina Mann lit a candle in memory of Rod Robson*



Gina Mann - October 22, 2020 at 08:35 PM

DW

“ *Sandy, I am so sorry to hear of your husband's passing. Asking my gods and goddesses to be beside you and your family during your time of grieving.*

Denise Walsh - October 22, 2020 at 07:41 PM



“ 50 files added to the album Life Tributes

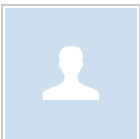


Silha Funeral Home - October 22, 2020 at 05:50 PM



“ Sandy, Rocky and Family, Rod is a man who we will never forget...that smile, laugh and personality made you know he truly cared about you as his friend. We are so proud to have called him friend! RIP Rod.....God Bless you all.

Jim & Donna Latka Stanfill - October 22, 2020 at 04:07 PM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Rod Robson.



October 22, 2020 at 03:25 PM

RA

“ Anyone who was fortunate enough to have known Rod, will miss him terribly. His laughter, his steadfastness, his incredible knowledge of anything mechanical also.
Barb and I send Condolences to Rods entire family. May all of your beautiful memories sooth the hurt his passing has caused.

RIP Rod, your passing leaves many behind that will miss you terribly.

Rolly and Barb Anvik

Rolly Anvik - October 22, 2020 at 02:27 PM

GC

God bless this man and all the others he helped while on his journey here❤️❤️❤️He has earned his wings many times over and will be missed by all that knew him.
And hugs to you my friend Sandy❤️❤️Love you!!!

Geri Cullinan - October 22, 2020 at 07:03 PM

MS

“ Sandy and family,
I was so sorry to hear about Rod's passing. Seeing Connie's post and calling him Putzer brings back many old memories of when we were all growing up as kids. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this very difficult time.

Kathy and Mel Sampson



Mel Sampson - October 22, 2020 at 01:14 PM

TD

“ *Condolences to Rod's Family. We feel lucky to have known Rod as a friend.*

Terry and Diane - October 22, 2020 at 11:48 AM

JH

“ *Jim & Wanda & Trevon Baker and Renee & Matt Hodges purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Rod Robson.*



Jim & Wanda & Trevon Baker and Renee & Matt Hodges -
October 22, 2020 at 11:27 AM

 Jo
Bain

“ *Rocky and Sis, and Sandy and all family. Gosh this is such a shock and my heart breaks for you all. Sending up prayers, and am so sorry for your loss. Rod was a special man with a very special personality!! Jo Bain*

Jo Bain - October 22, 2020 at 09:26 AM

MA

“ *Michelle & Dennis Thompson & Alexis purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Rod Robson.*



Michelle & Dennis Thompson & Alexis - October 22, 2020 at
09:16 AM

RF

“ *Ronnie, Brenda and family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Rod Robson.*



Ronnie, Brenda and family - October 22, 2020 at 09:11 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rod Robson.*



October 22, 2020 at 03:59 AM

 Jane Jarvis

“ *Jane Jarvis lit a candle in memory of Rod Robson*



Jane Jarvis - October 22, 2020 at 12:05 AM

LT

“ *Thoughts and prayers to you all. We know Rod will be with us all on all the Rod Runs! Rest In Peace Rod you will be missed by many. You've earned your wings.*



Les & Gina Tipton - October 21, 2020 at 10:56 PM



“ *Diane Crockett lit a candle in memory of Rod Robson*



Diane Crockett - October 21, 2020 at 05:26 PM

DB

“ *Rocky,
We would like to offer you and your family our deepest and most sincere condolences on the loss of Rod he was a wonderful man. May he rest in peace.*



Dale & Alisa Boehning - October 21, 2020 at 04:41 PM

MK

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Rod's family. May all your memories guide you through the the tough days.*

Mandy (Boese) Kutzler - October 21, 2020 at 04:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rod Robson.*



October 21, 2020 at 04:20 PM

MP

“ Dear Sandy, Rocky, Chele and Rod’s Family,

Rod

*Gone from our sight
But not from our memories
Gone from our touch
But not gone from our hearts ❤️*

Sending our thought and prayers to all of you during this most difficult time and may the Lord wrap his arms around each of you and give you the strength and comfort to get you through these next days. Heaven gained another Angel and the celebration of his joining family and the Lord deserves a hallelujah.

*Hugs and Love ❤️
Mary Ann & Mike*

mary ann pyatt - October 21, 2020 at 01:04 PM

CW

“ Sandy & Rocky, I am so sorry for your loss.
Rod was a kind man with a wonderful smile and
always full of encouraging words. You're in my
thoughts & prayers.



Carol Wolff - October 21, 2020 at 12:36 PM

KS

“ *Karen Schock lit a candle in memory of Rod Robson*



Karen Schock - October 21, 2020 at 11:16 AM

MS

“ *Sandy, Rocky and Families, We send heartfelt sympathy filled with prayer and hugs!! Remember the positive happy times and that infectious smile, he was one of the good ones..*

Mike & Jacky Boje Saur - October 21, 2020 at 01:01 AM

AG

“ *Sending hugs and love to you all. I will forever remember Rod as laughing or snickering about something. He will be truly missed. Love, Ann*

Ann Guzman - October 20, 2020 at 11:56 PM

DB

“ *Our condolences to Rod's family and friends at this difficult time. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*



Denise & Joe Bortrager - October 20, 2020 at 11:10 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rod Robson.*



October 20, 2020 at 11:09 PM



“ *Bob And Dixie Justice lit a candle in memory of Rod Robson*



Bob and Dixie Justice - October 20, 2020 at 08:44 PM



“ *Sandy, Julie and I are so sorry to hear of Rod's passing. I really am at a loss for words right now. He was a true friend of this old Butte Boy, and I will cherish the time I got to spend with him at the Serenity House or just having coffee or lunch in Glendive. If there is anything you need or anything we can do please let me know. I am sorry that we cannot make the trek for the service. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*
Dave, Julie Boyd and family.

Dave Boyd - October 20, 2020 at 08:06 PM

BT

“ *Sandy and Family Hugs to you all! I'm glad that all his friends now have the books they'll need in Heaven Let the Meeting Commence! MY Heart hurts for you but I'm Happy Rod is no longer in Pain and at Peace!*
Becky



Becky (Chouinard) Tipton - October 20, 2020 at 06:43 PM

JL

“ *I'm so sorry Sandy, Rocky & family. I will be keeping you in my thoughts & prayers.*



Janette Legato - October 20, 2020 at 06:16 PM

SB

“ *So sorry to hear of Rod passing. He will be missed by so many friends. Prayers to the family. God Bless you all!*



Sharon Bain - October 20, 2020 at 06:07 PM

NS

“ *Sandy and Rocky. So sorry to hear about Rod's passing. We will keep all of you in our thoughts and prayers. Noren and Karen*



Noren Shanley - October 20, 2020 at 04:39 PM

WC

My prayers and thoughts go out to you Sandy and Rocky.....I wish I could have got to know uncle Rod better, but Dad (Ron) told me great stories about their childhood. Much love, from Va family.....Wendy and Steve Conner

Wendy Conner - October 21, 2020 at 08:52 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Rod Robson.*



October 20, 2020 at 04:22 PM

BB

“ *Sandy and family,
I am so sorry. Rod was a truly special guy. I'm thinking of you all at this sad time.*



Bonnie Broeder - October 20, 2020 at 04:10 PM

SG

“ *Dear Rod,
Rest In Peace and give mom and Jeff a hug for me. Prayers and hugs to the rest of the family.
Love Sherry*

Sherry Gilbertson - October 20, 2020 at 04:07 PM

KG

Sherry and all the Robson families, sorry for your loss and you are in our thoughts. Ken and Mick Gilbertson

Ken Gilbertson - October 23, 2020 at 02:18 PM

D1

“ DCCHS Class Of 1969 sent a virtual gift in memory of Rod Robson



DCCHS Class of 1969 - October 20, 2020 at 02:15 PM

DD

“ *Brother Dear,*

Your life was a blessing, your memory a treasure. You are loved beyond words and will be missed beyond measure.

Love Donna


Donna Dobson - October 20, 2020 at 02:02 PM

BB

I'm so sorry Donna.

Bonnie Broeder - October 20, 2020 at 04:05 PM

CK

Ahhh, Putzer...I shall miss you so much. I'll forever remember our growing-up years, your little tractor, our almost matching birthdays, that laugh of yours, and that twinkle in your eye. I loved goofing around with you and laughing together. I look forward to seeing you again, cousin! Say hi to Mom for me! Love you! See you later! Connie 

Connie Klundt - October 20, 2020 at 04:49 PM

WB

So many memories of all kinds Rod, I will miss you with all my heart. Especially at holiday dinner time . Loved your mashed potatoes! We'll be together again and until then Rest In Peace brother dear. Big sis , Wanda Baker

wanda M Baker - October 20, 2020 at 09:05 PM

ME

I am so sorry to hear of Rod's passing, Sandy and Rocky. May you find Peace in the days ahead, just knowing that others care.

Marlys Eggum - October 20, 2020 at 10:49 PM