



Robert "Bobby" Donald Butler

September 27, 1958 - March 18, 2026

Robert "Bobby" Donald Butler, age 67, a lifelong resident of Muskogee, Oklahoma, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, March 18, 2026, surrounded by the love and support of his cherished family. Born on September 27, 1958, in Muskogee to Jerry "Mickey" and Margaret "Peggy" (Fink) Butler, Bobby was raised in a close-knit community that shaped the man he would become.

Bobby attended Muskogee public schools and proudly graduated from Muskogee High School with the class of 1976.

On December 21, 1979, he married the love of his life, Barbara Renee Williams, at the First Church of the Nazarene in Muskogee. Together, they built a beautiful life and celebrated 46 years of marriage in December 2025.

He began his career as a carpenter, honing his skills and developing a passion for working with wood. Later, Bobby found his calling as a millwright at Interface Electric, dedicating many years to his craft before retiring in 2025. He was respected for his work ethic and expertise by colleagues and friends alike.

Bobby was a devoted fan of the Oklahoma Sooners and the Dallas Cowboys, often cheering them on with family and friends. He enjoyed playing golf and, in

his younger years, was an avid softball player. Bobby's talent for woodworking was evident in the projects he completed and the joy he found in the craft.

Above all, Bobby's greatest pride and joy were his children and grandchildren. His family meant everything to him, and he leaves behind a legacy of love, laughter, and unwavering dedication.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mickey and Peggy Butler; and his inlaws, John and Barbara Williams.

Bobby is survived by his loving wife, Barbara of the home; daughter, Erin Butler; son, Brian Butler and wife Azucena; his grandchildren, Jordan, Dymond, Jaide, Peyton, Jasmin, Lydia, Camila, and Jacob; siblings, Mark Butler and wife Cindy, Gaye Wheeler and husband Colby; sisters-in-law, Jaushlyn Williams Hoover, Vanessa Williams, Valarie Taylor and husband James; along with numerous nephews, nieces, extended family and friends.

He will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Private family services are planned at a later date.

Tribute Wall

IS

“ I am so sorry to hear about. Bobby. He was such a nice young man. Knowing him as he was growing up was a pleasure. My condolences to the family.

ina scroggins - March 30 at 04:09 PM

KS

“ Kevin and I are both so saddened to hear of Bobby's passing. He was such a great guy. Kevin has so many memories of Bobby while working together on the road. One of his fondest is of sharing Chicago White Sox games and Chicago dogs! After Kevin came off the road, Bobby spent many days and hours building cabinets and doing woodwork in our home. One day, he spotted a small piece of hollowed out wood that we had near one of Kevin's deer mounts. He asked me if he could have it. How could I say no?? A few months later, he brought me that piece of wood back. Only this time, peeking out from inside the wood was a raccoon face that he had made out of several different types of wood. I have always treasured it, and it keeps a special home in my curio case. I can only imagine how your hearts are broken, but we pray that God gives you comfort and peace. Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. RIP Bob, you will be missed.

Kevin and Sissy Swafford - March 24 at 11:18 PM

SM

“ Renee and your family. Mark, Gaye. I'm so sorry for your loss. Bobby was a great guy and friend. I thought about Bobby a lot. He will definitely be missed. I still cant believe this. It was hard to take. Praying for all of you.
Steve McBride



Steve McBride - March 24 at 05:52 PM

RS

“ Bob, Mark and I spent countless hours playing football, basketball etc. together when younger. Many cherished memories. May God bless and keep you and your family brother.

Rick Sells - March 24 at 01:19 PM

PT

“ Pennie Woodall Trahan lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bobby" Butler



Pennie Woodall Trahan - March 23 at 02:46 PM

VW

“ Vanessa J Williams lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bobby" Butler



Vanessa J Williams - March 22 at 06:17 AM

VW

“ Best Brother in Law anyone could hope to have. ❤️. Vanessa

Vanessa J Williams - March 22 at 06:15 AM

EB

“ Dad,

Words cannot express how sad I am that you are no longer with us. I am comforted knowing you are no longer in pain. It was an honor to be by your side and to help navigate this final journey. You were by far the most loyal, smart, and kind man I have ever known. Every question I had, you answered. Every problem I had, you fixed. No one could ever fill those shoes dad. I was blessed to have you in my life. There was no doubt how much you loved your family. Someone called and you went. You always lent a helping hand no matter what. You were a man of integrity. Thank you for all the life teachings you gave me. Thank you for your love and support all these years. The world has lost a beautiful soul, but heaven just got SWEETER!

You are forever in our heart daddy.

*Love,
your daughter*

Erin Butler - March 21 at 01:00 PM