



## Robert V. "Bob" Stiles

October 15, 1922 - October 10, 2015

Robert V. "Bob" Stiles, 92, of Muskogee, Oklahoma passed away Saturday, October 10, 2015 in Muskogee. He was born October 15, 1922 in Porter, Oklahoma to Robert W. Stiles and Stella Mae Franklin Stiles. Bob attended Porter Public Schools and graduated with the class of 1939. After graduation, he proudly served his country as a member of the United States Army Air Corp during WWII. He also remained a member of the Reserves after his Honorable Discharge in 1945.

Bob met and later married France Carmen Willis on December 28, 1946. They shared many wonderful years of life and marriage together.

He worked for the Veterans Administration as the Chief of Loan Guaranty and retired in December of 1978 after 35 years of service.

Bob enjoyed working on and restoring VW's and spending time on the golf course. He was a member of Chandler Road Church of Christ.

He was loved by many and will be greatly missed.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Robert and Stella Stiles; his wife, France Carmen Stiles; and his brother, Farrell Stiles.

Bob is survived by his son, Paul Russell Stiles and wife Emily of Muskogee; grandchildren, Erin Leigh Stiles Jensen and husband Martin of Omaha, NE, Elliott Adam Stiles and wife Amy of Broken Arrow, OK; great grandchildren, Hailey Merrin Jensen, Connor Michael Jensen, both of Omaha, NE, Elena Grace Stiles of Broken Arrow, OK; nephew, David Stiles and wife Mona of Opelika, AL; along with many friends.

Funeral services celebrating Bob's life will be 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, October 14, 2015 at Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel with Minister Donnie Branscum officiating. Interment will follow at Haskell City Cemetery in Haskell, OK.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **13.** 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Cornerstone Funeral Home Chapel  
1830 N. York St.  
Muskogee, OK 74403

## Service

OCT **14.** 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert V. "Bob" Stiles*

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“ Uncle Bob,

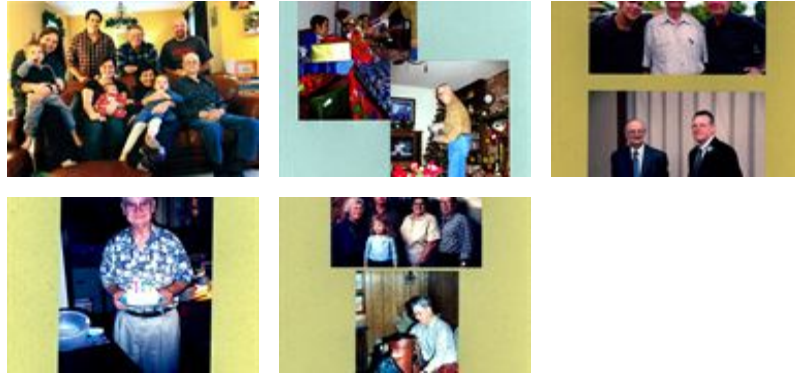
*Aside from the lifetime picture I have in my mind of you as forever smiling, I have a couple of sweet memories I want to share. When my dad passed away in 2003, you sent my mother a letter of comfort that was straight from your heart. Mother read it many times and shared it with me, she treasured it because it was from you. Thank you.*

*Aunt Jan took me with her to visit you a couple of years ago. Of course you were still living in the house on Foltz Lane (the house where I can still see you and Aunt Fran hosting a wonderful family Christmas gathering in 1984). You would not answer the door when we rang and knocked because you later told us you thought we were two strange women from “that” church organization knocking on your door to witness ... but you did not want to be converted on that day! You played silent and ignored for quite a while, but we knew you were sneaking around in there so we kept trying. Guess you finally got it, we weren’t going away, you finally opened the door and let us in. We spent the most wonderful hour with you. You took us to the garage to show your current restoration project, a beautiful red Volkswagen bug. You were so proud of the work you had put into it, and for good reason. We were truly amazed at the amount of tedious labor you had invested for months. However, we were somewhat concerned about the strong smell of gasoline from a nearby gas can when you picked up a small blow torch to demonstrate how you planned to loosen a very stubborn side mirror that needed to come off. Apparently there was no reason we should have worried, no explosion, good. Then you wanted us to hear the engine run. Ok, you reached into the car to turn the key on, and as soon as the engine turned over the car lunged backwards several feet towards the front passenger side door of Aunt Jan’s car which was parked in the driveway. Must have been in reverse or something? We were a little alarmed for a second, but no harm done, it died quickly. You put it in neutral and restarted it, the engine actually ran. That was amazing! You might have persuaded us to go for a ride if the seats had been installed. Thank you for giving us those memories Uncle Bob. You are loved. Robin Lee*

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