



## Robert Joseph O'Leary

July 13, 1927 - January 6, 2017

Memorial services for Robert Joseph O'Leary, 89, of Whitehouse, will be held on Tuesday, January 10, 2017 at 10:00 AM at Prince of Peace Catholic Church where he was a member with Father Gus Tharappel officiating.

Mr. O'Leary passed away Friday, January 6, 2017 in Tyler, Texas.

He was born July 13, 1927 in Terre Haute, Indiana, to Timothy Francis and Clara Amelia Doerner O'Leary.

Robert married Charlotte Haase on October 9, 1948 and had six children in 7 years. They moved to Paducah, Kentucky in 1956 where they raised their children and lived for 20 years.

Bob spent most of his life in the asphalt industry along with his three sons. He retired from Elf Asphalt in 1992 to Fort Myers, FL. Bob and Charlotte moved to Tyler, TX in 2006. He is survived by his loving family including his wife of 68 years, Charlotte Haase O'Leary, children: Michael O'Leary and his wife Mary Ann, Patricia O'Leary, Judith O'Leary Kovac and her husband Kacy, Janice O'Leary Meredith and her husband David, William O'Leary and his wife Paula, and Thomas O'Leary; 10 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, three siblings, and grandson, Christopher O'Leary.

Visitation is scheduled from 6:00 - 8:00 PM on Monday, January 9, 2017 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler.

If desired, memorials may be made to The Hospice of East Texas Foundation, 4111 University Blvd., Tyler, TX 75701 or Prince of Peace Catholic Church, Building fund, 903 E. Main St. Whitehouse, TX 75791.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 9. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Stewart Family Funeral Home  
7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy  
Tyler, TX 75703  
(903) 581-2008

# Tribute Wall

LV

“ On behalf of my grandmother, Ruth (Haase) Schommer Adair, my mother and father, Dora Lee (Schommer) and Pete Johnson, all of whom have now passed away, I extend my condolences to the O'Leary's. Bob was always thought of very highly by my parents. Always referred to as a unit, "Bob & Chod" (Charlotte's sisters & their families addressed her as Chod), along with Patty would always call and visit when passing through Terre Haute. Remember all of your happy time.

*Sincerely, Leslie (Johnson) Valandingham, Terre Haute, Ind*

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**Leslie Valandingham** - January 10, 2017 at 11:02 AM

MD

“ Tom; very sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you and your family.  
Warmest regards, Marty & Bev Dillon (Yellow '74 Corvettes of Tyler)

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**Marty & Bev Dillon** - January 09, 2017 at 03:38 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



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January 09, 2017 at 03:08 PM

KD

“ *Such a wonderful man and wonderful family I've had the pleasure of knowing! God speed Peace and healing to you all for your loss!*



Kathy Dozier - January 09, 2017 at 10:45 AM

MC

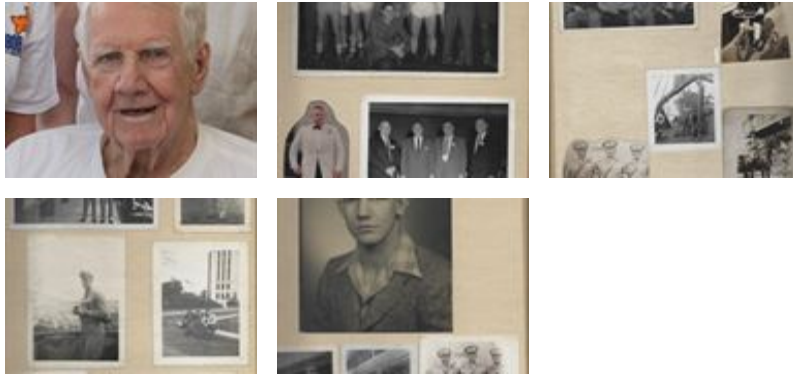
“ *Merri & Fred Walsh, Paige, Tim, & forever Chris purchased the Divine Light for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.*



Merri & Fred Walsh, Paige, Tim, & forever Chris - January 09, 2017 at 10:40 AM



“ *78 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Stewart Family Funeral Home - January 09, 2017 at 10:17 AM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray* was purchased for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



January 09, 2017 at 10:04 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



January 09, 2017 at 09:57 AM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray* was purchased for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



January 09, 2017 at 09:57 AM



“ *With love and prayers, Your New York Family* purchased the *Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



**With love and prayers, Your New York Family** - January 09, 2017 at 09:51 AM

RF

“ Robert & Kari Paton, Bob, Joe, Jennifer & families purchased the *Treasured Lilies Spray* for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



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**Robert & Kari Paton, Bob, Joe, Jennifer & families** - January 09, 2017 at 09:28 AM

BM

“ Bill and Marsha purchased the *Fairest of All* for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



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**Bill and Marsha** - January 09, 2017 at 08:29 AM

DO

“ Dick & Connie O'Leary purchased the *Basket Full of Wishes* for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



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**Dick & Connie O'Leary** - January 08, 2017 at 07:05 PM

YL

“ Your friends at East Texas Asphalt Co., Ltd purchased the *Treasured Lilies Spray* for the family of Robert Joseph O'Leary.



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**Your friends at East Texas Asphalt Co., Ltd** - January 08, 2017 at 05:21 PM

JP

“ When we visited my grandparents in Terre Haute, Uncle Bob, Aunt Charlotte, and Patty always stopped by to see us. To us kids, he was larger than life (literally), a gentle giant. Everybody loved Uncle Bob and I can honestly say I never heard anyone say a bad thing about him. He will be missed.

- Joe Paton



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**Joe Paton** - January 08, 2017 at 05:04 PM

RP

“ Some of my favorite early childhood memories were of Uncle Bob and Aunt Charlotte. So sad to see you go, you were a great man. I have always been proud that I was named after you.

-Robert Joseph Paton

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**Robert Joseph Paton** - January 08, 2017 at 02:41 PM