



Steven W. Lober

May 24, 1950 - October 16, 2015

Steven "Steve" Lober, 65, of Pittsburg, Missouri, passed away Friday, October 16, 2015 at 7:30pm at his home. His wife, Linda, and sister-in-law, Anne Roach, were by his side.

Steve was born on May 24, 1950, to Bernard W. Lober and Geraldine L. Lober in Kansas City, MO. He spent his childhood cultivating his love for westerns and cars. A love of music led him to learn to play the guitar when he was 13.

He graduated Oak Park High School in May of 1969 and married his high school sweetheart, Linda Fuller, on July 11, 1969. He was drafted in February of 1970 and did his basic training in Fort Campbell, Kentucky before being moved to Fort Knox, Kentucky for tank training. He was stationed with the 3rd Army Division in Büdingen, Germany until January 1972.

From 1972 to 2001, Steve worked at Ben Franklin and Consolidated Freightway. He worked at General Mills from 2001 until 2013 when he

reluctantly retired after he was diagnosed with small cell lung cancer.

Steve was very passionate about woodworking. He filled out the large building on his property with an assortment of expert craftsmanship and made many other fine pieces including a beautiful bookshelf for his daughter, Angela.

He was a member of Gashland Baptist Church in Kansas City, MO since he was baptized in 1964. Steve also attended Antioch Christian Church in Pittsburg for the last 5 years when he was in the area.

On June 27, 2013 Steve was diagnosed with small cell lung cancer. He fought the cancer for 2 years and 3 months. The many months brought him closer to his Lord and Savior and before the end, his faith was stronger than it had ever been in his life.

He was preceded in death by his father, Bernard William Lober; sister-in-law, Karen S. Lober; and a great niece, Emilyn Basnet.

Steve is survived by his wife, Linda Faye Lober, and daughter, Angela D. Smith and her husband Daniel Smith; mother, Geraldine Lober, brother Gregory Lober and his wife Donna and sister Sandy Rix; sister in law, Anne Roach, and husband Gary; sister in law, Joan Daniel, and husband Ed; brother in law, David Fuller, and wife JoAnn; sister in law, Kathy Fuller; sister

in law, Sandra Robertson; seven nephews; seven nieces; eleven great nephews; eleven great nieces, and two on the way.

A Memorial Service will be held at Gashland Baptist Church at 601 NE Barry Rd, Kansas City, MO 64155 on Saturday, October 24, 2015 at 1:00 p.m with Pastor George McDowell officiating. Family Dinner will be immediately following at 2:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family would like any donations to be given to the Carrie J. Babb Cancer Center for their outstanding care and support.

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Tribute Wall



“ Steven W. Lober

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ Steven W. Lober

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Stevie, well sweetheart you are with your
momma in heaven.
I have a lot of Heavenly envy as you get to
communicate and be there with your family.
I continue to pray salvation prayers for our
Angela and Danny.
They miss you too, they are going to celebrate 6 years together.
I am so proud that you walked our daughter down the aisle as sick
as you were.
The property God allowed us to have, I do my best to make it look
like a Park.
You told me God said I would be in big trouble without you! I am!
I do not just miss you, I miss US.
If Heaven had visiting hours I would be there everyday!
But until God calls me Home I trust the plan He has for my life.
Hugs to all my Heavenly Family, T
hank you Jesus for the life you let me share with this man!*



Linda Faye Lober - September 05, 2021 at 06:00 PM

LL

“ Steven loved the Christmas season, when it was all over. He told me I went too nuts trying to please everyone. Yes maybe a little. This Christmas will definitely be different and there are a lot of First that we face alone.

Going to spend Christmas Eve with Angela and Danny. Steve was a good husband and best friend. He will always be a part of me. I decorated his little shelf where he sits with his snowmen and some lights.

We love you and Zazzy and Frazier love your work bench! See you on the other side!

Linda Lober - December 23, 2015 at 04:08 PM

FT

“ Steven was my cousin. I am sorry I did not know him very well, but I did enjoy talking with him and Linda when I seen him at Aunt Gerry's birthday party. I met a lot of people that day but Steven visited with us a lot and seem to care very much about people. Just a great guy to know and to call a cousin. God Bless you and all your family. Your cousin, Freda Talley

Freda Talley - December 22, 2015 at 07:16 PM

GB

“ We always enjoyed talking to Steve and being with him during family events. He and Gary shared 2 common bonds...Gary was also in the military for 24 years and he also enjoys woodworking. A man that works with his hands does amazing things for himself and for others. Those kind of men have a special talent for sure. We feel blessed to have known Steve the short time we have. He definitely was a man of great faith and love. It is seen in him many times in the past. May God comfort, bless and give strength to Linda, Angela, Daniel, Gerry, Greg & Donna and Sandy plus all the rest of his amazing family. We will all be reunited in Heaven someday and "What a Day That Will Be". Sending our love and prayers for you all during this time.

Gary & Janet Basnett - December 17, 2015 at 12:23 PM

MP

“ I am so grateful that I was able to meet Steven and his wonderful bride Linda. While his cancer took its toll, Steven never wavered in Spirit or in Strength. His faith and his testimony was an inspiration to all who knew him including my wife and I. Our prayers are with Linda and Stevens family.

Marty Perrea - November 05, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ I was so blessed to have such a wonderful brother as Steve. Linda - Im so grateful that you were there by Steves side to take such good care of him. We all miss him tremendously.

Sandy Rix - November 04, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ Steve was a great brother and friend. He was a man of integrity.

Greg Lober - October 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ I enjoyed getting to know Steve. Even when he was not feeling well he tried to be positive. I look forward to seeing him in heaven one day! Blessings to his family!

Carol Morris - October 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ I will always remember what a great man Steven was. His main focus being Linda and Angela. Prayers for comfort and guidance in the days to come.

Jessica - October 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Stevie, I will remember the last breathe you took here on earth. Followed by the sweetest smile I have ever seen you smile. It was a lifetime of memories that I will cherish. Remember what we always said, "Forever and Always", this is now my focus. PTL youll never suffer again. I will see you on the other side when God calls me home!

Linda (wife) - October 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ Prayers for the family though this loss.

Ruth Helm - October 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KR

“ You and Steven were like second parents to me! All the times you guys let me come and stay over with Angela! He was such a great man! He will forever be loved and missed!

Krista - October 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LY

“ Warm prayers for peace for both Steven and his dear loved ones.

Lydia - October 22, 2015 at 12:00 AM