



# Edward Butch Robinson

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**E**dward DeWayne (Butch) Robinson age 66 of Moravia, Iowa went to be with his Heavenly Father on Saturday, January 26, 2013 at Memorial Hermann Hospital in Houston, TX. Butch was born March 3, 1946 in Centerville, Iowa to DeWayne and Edra Mae (Laws) Robinson. Butch graduated from Moravia High School with the Class of 1964. On June 21, 1975 he married Barbara Ellen McBride. During Butch and Barbs 38 wonderful years together his career in the Petrochemical Industry gave them the opportunity to travel throughout the world. In 1990 Butch and Barb moved back to Moravia and built a home on the family farm. He was actively involved in the community by serving as President of the School Board, and various community organizations. He was a member of the Moravia Church of the Nazarene and was very active in the church's functions. In 2006 Butch and Barb built Angel's Smallmart where he loved to mingle and visit with all of their customers. In 2008 he had the opportunity to rejoin the Petrochemical Industry and share his expertise and knowledge. Butch loved his family, especially the grandchildren and was very involved in their lives and sporting activities. This normally involved a lot of travel. But he loved every minute of it. Butch was preceded in death by his parents, grandparents, a brother Craig Allen, and his mother and father-in-law. Butch is survived by his loving wife Barbara and three children - Malynda (Lynn) Lincoln of Bartlett, Ne, Angela (Bruce) Ellison of Centerville, IA, Gregg (Ayrand) Robinson of Shenandoah, IA, and six grandchildren - Mike Lincoln, Sara Lincoln, Jenna Lincoln, Ella Lincoln, Madeleine Robinson and Alexander Robinson. He is also survived by one brother Don (Connie) Robinson of Moravia, four sisters - Pam (Tary) Huff, Janice (Dave) McDonough, Bonnie (Jim Riley) Essary of Moravia and Tammy (Bill Heffron) Robinson of Exline, IA. Butch is also survived by his brother-in-law Fred (Janice) McBride of Moravia and five sister-in-laws Carla (Mark McMann) Cochran of Mystic, Peggy (Larry) Bird of Wisconsin, Becky (Bill) Underwood of Moravia, Susan (Mark)



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Long of Albia and Terri Buesing of Arkansas City. He also has many nieces, nephews, aunts, cousins, and friends. Butch touched many lives and will be missed by all that knew him. Celebration of Life Service will be held 6PM Thursday evening at the Moravia Nazarene Church, Moravia, Iowa with Pastor Terry Chapman officiating. Fellowship and visitation will be held in the fellowship hall of the church immediately following the service. Private family burial will be held. A memorial has been established to the family and may be left or mailed to the Lange Funeral Home & Crematory, 103 North John St., Moravia, Iowa, 52571. Condolences may be left at [www.langefh.com](http://www.langefh.com)

Life Celebration

January 31, 2013 6:00 PM

Moravia Nazarene Church Moravia, IA



## Tribute Wall

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**Thomas Funeral Home** posted:

October 21 at 12:01 PM



**Thomas Funeral Home** shared an album called **Obituary Wall**.



October 13 at 12:25 PM



**Susie (Mcbride) Bischof** posted:

I will always remember when my broth-in-law Butch and Barbi flew me down to Charleston, Louisiana. I was scared to fly for the first time. Told Butch if God wanted me to fly he would have gave me wings. Butch told me God may not have given us wings, but he did give us the brain to make an airplane. He will always be loved and remembered.

September 14 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Our thoughts & prayers are with you. Posted by Sharon McDanel January 27, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

So sorry. Posted by Jerry and Ginny Boblenz January 27, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I am sorry to learn of Butch leaving this world. He was a man who cared deeply about his community and I'm sure he will be missed. I know Butch knew he would be going to a better place. Our thoughts and prayers are with Barb and the family. Posted by Graham F. Quinn - Green Valley, AZ - Friend  
January 28, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Barb and Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Trusting you'll know the special love and comfort that only God can Give. God will give you strength. Butch was a wonderful man and will be greatly missed by many. Posted by Paul and Deanna Wilson - Moravia, IA - Friend January 29, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Barb so sorry. Pleasant memories last a lifetime. Posted by Helen Johnson - Moravia, IA - friend January 29, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Barb, Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the family. Wish we could be there for the service. Blessings, Warren and Janet Posted by Warren and Janet Neal - Yukon, OK - friend January 30, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I am so grateful to have known Ed. He was so easy going and kind. We would talk about our health issues and laugh about the good 'ol days. But most of all Ed would tell me about his family. He was and is very proud of his children and grandchildren. He also appreciated Barbara's willingness to be by his side, wherever that my be at any given time. Right now I'm looking at a note he wrote for me. Grogan's Park Chiropractic Center. When he found a doctor or vitamin or something that was a help to him in some way, he would come see me first thing in the morning and share his information. I believe it was two weeks ago, as he was leaving for the day, he told me he was leaving town for the weekend. He explained he was going to watch his granddaughter play basketball. He said it would be the last time he would get to see her play. He was really excited that almost all the other children were going to meet him in that town. When he got back on Monday he was just so happy. He told me all but, I believe he said, one of his kids did not get to join them. (Excuse my poor memory.) I was so impressed that his family was so close and would do that for one another and their dad. Ed was so humble, what a rare quality in a man. I loved to listen to him. He was quite and spoke softly but he was a resource. Ed was a very bright person however very respectful to other coworkers. He seemed content to work in the background. I will surely miss Ed and I knew him a very short time. I'm comforted to know we will meet again. God Bless each of you adjust to this temporary separation. Posted by Sandy Stobaugh - Houston, TX - Co-worker and Friend January 30, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Terry & I are so sorry of your loss. Butch was a great man! Remember all the good times you had together and now he is with the heavenly father, and one day you'll be with him again. Take care and God bless you and your family, our prayers are with you all. Posted by Terry & Brenda Niles - Moravia, IA - Friends through church January 30, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

May God be with your family. Butch will be missed on earth but warmly welcomed in glory!!! Posted by Greg and Sharron McKee - Moravia, IA - friends January 30, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I was sorry to hear about Butch passing away. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family . Posted by nellie thomas - Centerville, IA - went to school with Barb January 31, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Butch was always a kind and caring man to all. The last time I got to see him was at my brother Tim's funeral June 18, 2012. He was so thoughtful and seemed to have a purpose to always be there for others. He will be sorely missed and I pray for the family and friends of this dear man. Posted by Deborah Martin Stutzel - Centerville, IA - Friend of family for 40 yrs January 31, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Barbara and family, So proud to have met and become friends with Ed. I am so sorry for your loss. I looked forward every day to seeing you and Ed holding hands and taking your daily walk. If there is anything that I can do to help on this end, please let me know. Rush Posted by Rush Ware - LA January 31, 2013

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**Anonymous** posted:

I had the privilege to work for Ed and with him both. He was a great guy and I will miss him for a while. We will meet again. Posted by Bob Phillips - Baytown, TX - Friend and Co-Worker January 31, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Sorry to hear about butch I known butch thou my husband archie t martin when we went to chruch in moravia..butch always was very kind and always greeted us with a smile..and now they both are in Heaven... Prayers are with you, May The Lord wrap his arms around you today. Posted by jennice martin - centerville, IA January 31, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I was sorry to hear of Ed's passing. In the short time that I've known him, he has been a joy to work with and to get to know. He will be missed by all. Posted by Ronnie Naquin - Mandeville, LA January 31, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Barbral only had a short amount of time getting to work with Ed and to know him. In that time he spoke so highly about his family and would light up when he would talk about the time you guys spent with them. I send you and your family my deepest condolences. I will keep you in my prayers. Posted by Todd McManus - Port Neches, TX - Friend Co-worker January 31, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

I will always remember how no matter how busy we were at work. Ed would take time to chat and ask about my day. He is so missed around the office. He was truly a wonderful person to work around. I send to peace and comfort to all of his family and friends. Posted by Tonia Rolle Jones - Houston, TX - Co-worker January 31, 2013

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**Anonymous** posted:

Jhn. 142 In my father's house are many mansions If (it were) not (so), I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. Jhn. 143 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, (there) ye may be also. Jhn. 144 And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know. Barb may the Love, mercy, and grace of God be poured out on you, during your time of loss, and my you receive the peace of God. Rhonda and I will keep you in our prayers. Ford Nolen Posted by Ford Nolen - Pitkin, LA - Friend January 31, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Barb, Sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Deb Posted by Deb Kelley McDow - MO - Classmate February 02, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

As a fellow midwesterner it was a pleasure to work with Ed. He was all the things that a good midwesterner is...kind, generous and hard working. A good man. Posted by Peter Templeton - Houston, TX - co worker February 04, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Ed was a cool guy and he always did what he told you that he would do. I worked on a couple of projects for Ed and was looking forward to doing a couple of more in the future. We and the industry lost a good guy ....sorry your gone ED. I hope that Barbara is ok and doing good after her great loss, sorry Barbara. Harrol Pearson Posted by Harrol Pearson - Marble City, OK - Worked for Ed a couple of times February 07, 2013

January 4 at 7:00 PM



## Media

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