



## Robert Bob Branum , Sr.

June 19, 2013

Robert S. "Bob" Branum, Sr., age 71, of Oliver Springs, formerly of Knoxville left for that city where the roses never fade on Wednesday, June 19, 2013 from Methodist Medical Center in Oak Ridge. He was a member and Deacon for many years at Grove Heights Baptist Church in Knoxville. He retired from Downey Oil/Ken-Jo Markets in 2007 after serving many years as store manager.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents Robert H. and Lillie Etta Ownby Branum; granddaughter Anna Loy, brothers Jimmy and Charlie Branum and mother-in-law Jessie Smith.

Survived by wife of 49 years Jan Branum, of Oliver Springs; daughter Karen Miesel and husband Kevin of Flowery Branch, GA; son Robert S. "Bobby" Branum, Jr., and wife Jessie of Oliver Springs and his youngest daughter Shayna Branum also of Oliver Springs, additionally he is survived by his grandchildren, Brandi Flanagan, William Amburn, Lillie Nichole "Nikki" Branum, Keriana Branum, Austin "Jim Bob" Kitts, Heaven and Tabbie Branum; one great granddaughter Madison Paige Kelly; brother Steve Branum and wife Sharon, Nieces Crissy Branum Lawson and husband Billy, Bridget Collins and husband Gary; nephews Charlie Branum, Jr and wife Lori and David Branum. Several great nieces, nephews, extended family members and special friends.

Family would like to extend a special thanks to the 3rd floor nursing team Methodist Medical Center especially Candice Aslinger and also Johnny Bullock of Consumer Services and the many family members, church members and friends who were there round the clock May God Bless you all.

Funeral service 8:00 pm, Friday, June 21, 2013 at Grove Heights Baptist Church in Knoxville with Rev. Charley McGill and Rev. Louis Branch officiating. Interment will be 12 noon Saturday at Ballard's Chapel Cemetery in Louisville; the family will receive friends from 5:30 – 8:00 pm, Friday at the church.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Grove Heights Baptist and Bethlehem Baptist Church's building funds.

# Tribute Wall

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“ God bless you all as you remember a wonderful man who loved God and loved to worship through his music.

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**Alan and Connie Amburn - Knoxville, TN - Friend** - June 21, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Branum family,

We are very saddened for your loss. May God's peace be with you at this

Difficult time. Mr Brannum was a fine gentleman and neighbor. Heaven's gain.

God bless,

Patrick and Libby

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**Patrick and Libby Braden - Oliver Springs, TN - Friends** - June 21, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Karen, Kevin and the entire Branum: I am very sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you and your family. Remember all the good times you had with your dad!

Patty & Ron Barker

Rebecca and Stephaine Conflitti

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**patty Barker - OXFORD, MI - friend of karen's miesel** - June 21, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We will keep you in our prayers during this difficult time. May the comforter be with you all.* ”

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**Dean Perry - Knoxville, TN - Funeral Director** - June 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM