



## Robert F Rice

March 13, 1925 - December 4, 2015

Robert F. Rice of Wheelersburg, Ohio (formerly of Jackson, Ohio), passed away on December 04, 2015 at the age of 90 at Columbus, Ohio after a brief illness. He was born at Salyersville, Kentucky on March 13, 1925 to the late Marvin Rice and Orpha Gladys Conley.

Preceded in death by his wife of 67 years Carrie Marie Rice. Also preceded in death by stepfather Dudley Green and brothers and sisters: Bert Green, Nettie Summers, Martha Literal, Dudley Green, Della Chapman, L.J. Green, Danny Green, Thelma Jean Rice, Patty Jo Green and Sandy Sowders.

Robert is survived by 3 children: Robert J. (Patricia) Rice of Wheelersburg, Ohio, Cathy M. Rice of Franklin, Tenn., and Roberta Kay Rice (John) Bannen of New Castle, Pa. Also surviving are grandchildren: Michael D. Rice, Jennifer L. (Joel) Stidham, Courtney J. (Cecil) Riggs, Patrick Bailey, Bryan Bailey, Robert (Sylvia) Petro and Justin (Deborah) Petro. He is also survived by several brothers and sisters: Sarah Andrews, Fanny Bregant, Marva Richards, Mary Ann Whaley, Sue House, Bill Green, Paul Green and Vicky Stewart, as well as many nieces and nephews.

Robert was a mechanic – retired from Gill Chevrolet in McArthur, Ohio.

Robert enjoyed visiting with his family and many friends. He was a longtime member of the Jackson, Ohio Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses and was baptized April 04, 1998.

Friends and family may call at the Mayhew-Brown Funeral Home in Jackson, Ohio on Saturday, December 12, 2015. Visitation will be from 12:00 – 2:00 PM, with funeral service to follow immediately at 2:00 PM, with Brother Joe Wollam, officiating. Burial will follow in the Fairmount Cemetery.

Condolences can be emailed to [www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com](http://www.mayhew-brownfuneralhome.com)

# Comments

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“ My Daddy was my rock and the most wonderful father anyone would want. He was always there for me, worried if my car was running ok i.e. oil changed, tired good etc. and always had the correct advice in helping me in life. He was the only person I could rely on and he always took care of me. Daddy was liked by everyone and will be truly missed. He was honest, trustworthy, gentle and helped anyone who needed it. Just a great husband, father, brother, uncle, cousin and friend to everyone. Love you Daddy!

**Cathy Rice** - June 29, 2018 at 10:12 AM

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“ So sorry to hear of your dads passing! I am sure he is happy to be with your mom now! He missed her so much.

**Susie Roush** - June 29, 2018 at 10:12 AM

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“ Bob was a very kind and loving husband to Marie, When I worked at Four Winds, I remember him setting beside Marie and talking with her and then I would turn and look at them, he'd be asleep and she would be looking at him with that big smile she had, that was love. Bob never missed a day unless he had a doctor appointment or he was sick himself. We worried about him. But they are together now, no more pain, and at peace. You will be missed.

**Christine Norris** - June 29, 2018 at 10:12 AM

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“ May the Good Lord grant His comfort and peace to all who are mourning the passing of my Uncle Bob. I remember many years ago when, for a short time, he lived in Painesville, Ohio and owned a gas station with my father, L.J. Uncle Bob was always a very kind man. I was so glad to hear of his faith in Jesus as his Savior; Jesus is the way, the truth, and the life, the only way to the Father who is in heaven. This life is short and, at times, very difficult; praise God for His gift of eternal life through Jesus (John 14:6; Acts 4:12; Romans 3:20-22)!

**Robert Green** - June 29, 2018 at 10:12 AM

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“ Kay, I'm so very sorry for your loss.

**Kathy Waldron Williamson** - June 29, 2018 at 10:12 AM

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“ Leave a condolence or a memory.

**Cathy Rice** - June 29, 2018 at 10:12 AM

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“ Dear Mama Kay, Robert and family so very sorry for your loss. You always spoke so fondly and excitedly about your dad. May all the wonderful memories bring you peace of mind and comfort when the sad times come.

**DeeWorks Spencer** - June 29, 2018 at 10:12 AM