



## Robert Keith Bade

November 25, 1943 - September 9, 2012

Mr. Robert Keith "Bob" Bade

Mr. Robert Keith "Bob" Bade, 68, of Bartlesville, died Sunday, September 9, 2012 in Bartlesville.

Services for Mr. Bade will be held at 11 AM on Friday, September 14, 2012 at the First Christian Church (6th & Osage) with Rev. Rob Scofield officiating. Interment will be in the Memorial Park Cemetery directed by the Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory.

In lieu of flowers a memorial fund has been established as an education fund for Bob's daughter, Tori and those who wish may send their contributions to the Bob Bade Memorial Fund, c/o Arvest Bank, ATTN: Debbie Miller, P.O. Box 999, Bartlesville, Oklahoma, 74005.

Mr. Bade was born in Bozeman, Montana on November 25, 1943 the son of Helen Irene (Shook) and Louis Railsback Bade. He grew up and received his education in Billings, Montana where he graduated from Billings Senior High School. He then attended Montana State University where he received his Bachelor of Science degree in Chemistry and then attended Michigan State University where he received his Master degree in Chemistry. He was married to Jill Andrews on June 27, 1965 in Billings, Montana. Mr. and Mrs. Bade

established their home in Bartlesville when he began his employment with Applied Automation which became what is now known as Siemens. He continued his career with Siemens as a Senior Analytical Chemist/Chromatographer until his retirement in 2009. He was proud to be the holder of several patents and was highly regarded in the industry as a chromatographer and he has continued to work with Siemens on a contract basis since his retirement. Mr. Bade was a lifetime member of the American Chemical Society, an OSU Cowboys fan, enjoyed sports, gardening and yard work and played cards in a bridge group. In previous years he was active in local soccer as a coach and referee. He is a past president of the band boosters and an active school volunteer.

Mr. Bade is survived by his wife Jill, two sons, Robert Andrew “Rob” Bade and his wife Lori of Lookout Mountain, Georgia and LT Christopher Michael Bade and his wife, Cheryl with the U.S. Navy in Japan, one daughter, Tori Nichole Bade of Bartlesville, two sisters, Patricia “Pat” Wattles of Wheatland, Wyoming and Helen Louise “Weasie” Mace of Billings, Montana, and three grandchildren, Sutton Bade, Camdyn Bade and Presley Bade. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother in infancy.

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Keith Bade*

October 23, 2023 at 04:40 AM



“ *Robert Keith Bade*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Dear Jill and family sorry to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you.*

**Steven Griffith** - September 18, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with Jill, Tori and the rest of the family. May God grant you His peace and strength and may Robert's soul rest in God's peace.*

*With our love,  
Marcos, Tonita, Clara and Fernando*

**Moran Family** - September 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *A sympathy card has been sent to the family of Robert Keith Bade c/o Stumpff Funeral Home & Crematory funeral home.*

September 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MP

“ *My deepest condolences to the family in this time of tremendous loss. You are in my thoughts.*

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**Michael Parks** - September 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CG

“ *I would like to extend loving prayers and our deepest sympathy to the entire Bade family.*

*Sincerely,  
Carter Garrett*

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**Carter Garrett** - September 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MK

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and family Chris.*

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**Melody Kendrick** - September 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ *Bob was a good man, I enjoyed visiting with him at the gymnastics center. My heart goes out to the family for this great loss.*

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**Susan Daniel** - September 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ *Words cannot express how sorry we are for your loss. You and your family are and will be in our prayers, and we are here for you for anything you need...*

*Love,  
Jackie, Keith, and Samantha Harling*

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**The Harlings** - September 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *A sympathy card has been sent to the family of Robert Keith Bade.*

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September 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

“ I'm sad to learn of the death of the father of my good friend Chris. In my high school days I spent almost as much time at the Bade house as I did at my own. If hard pressed, I don't know if I could have come up with the first name of Chris' father, because we almost always referred to his parents as 'mom' and 'dad', since they were practically a second set of parents for Chris' friends. Their home was always open to any of us, and they always treated us with friendship and respect. They never talked down to us always treated us like mature adults, even though we were quite obviously stupid, stupid teenagers.

*I remember Chris' father for always having an uncommonly great amount of common sense: whether it was dealing with Chris and his friends as we grew up going through puberty, hormones, and all-too frequent awkward interactions with girls, or dealing with that x1000 as him and Jill were presidents of the Band Boosters at Bartlesville High School. Now \*there\* is a high-stress position with lots of responsibility and liability, and very little thanks or appreciation.*

*With the Bade house often filled with the bunch of nerds that were Chris' friends, his father was always willing and able 'one-up' us with his much more extensive knowledge of physics and chemistry. ...and make fun of me for going into Chemical Engineering when I went to college. He often teased me by calling me a 'KI' for 'kemikal injineer'.*

*Another particularly memorable anecdote I remember with Rob Bade was the infamous night we all got picked up by the police for violating curfew. After being surrounded numerous policemen and dealing with the humiliation of having our parents come and pick us up in the middle of the night, I remember what happened when Rob came to pick up his son Chris. He got out of his car, took a look at us 4 boys, then took a look at the 10 policemen and police cruisers, and then says to the policemen, "Must be a slow night, huh boys?"*

*Rob Bade seemed nigh unflappable, and was always able to keep*

*things in perspective. Though it's been years since I've been able to go back to Bartlesville, I'm a better person for having known Rob Bade and he will be missed.*

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**Derek Bassett** - September 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *My prayers and thoughts go out to the family. Bob was a very good friend and former co-worker as well as Quality Team co-member.* ”

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**Gerald Clubine** - September 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM