



Robert D. Slinkard

September 12, 1926 - June 2, 2019

Robert D. Slinkard, son of C. L. Slinkard and Elise (Dupon) Slinkard died June 2, 2019 at the IU Health Hospice House in Bloomington.

He was a farm owner and a private investor, he graduated from Bloomfield High School in 1944, and then enlisted in the US Army Air Corps in 1944. He graduated from Indiana University School of Business in February of 1952 where his social fraternity was PHI DELTA THEATY, for a short time he was an investigator for the U.S. Civil Service Commission, traveling Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana for applications for civil service employment and for the U.S. Postal Service applications. Robert was a director of Knox County Coal Corporation; he had adopted his niece Sandra Jones and Howard Slinkard (Deceased).

He is survived by friends and in particular two life long friends, Gary L. Ellis and Michelle (Shelly) Carrico, who have performed many things to make his life more comfortable.

Last but not least, the Tuesday afternoon following Rotary, the Presbyterian Women's Association who delivered food to him as it was well appreciated.

There will be no public visitation.

A graveside service will be held at a later date at Grandview Cemetery with Military Honors.

Online condolences and memories can be shared at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ Bob was my great uncle, but I never got a chance to know him. I only spoke a few times with him on the phone. Growing up and living on the west coast made visits impractical, but I wish I would have made the time to meet him and see him a least once. Family— not matter how distant or reserved, is important.
—Eric Nelson

Eric Nelson - March 30, 2023 at 03:57 PM

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“ I've known Bob For 25 years I helped farm his ground for many years he even sold me the old farm house that was in his family for many years he was always a Man of knowledge and a very smart Businessman he took pride in farming and he always told you what he thought even if it wasn't what you wanted to hear he was honest and very spiritual I truly believe he lived by the Good book and he made a impact on my life . He was honest and fair and I valued his friendship... you will be missed Bob God Bless

Missy Hasenour (Crosby) - June 30, 2019 at 09:40 PM

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I met Bob when I married Gary Ellis, who was a faithful friend, caretaker and respected Bob for the knowledge he gave him. He will be missed, because Gary never let days go by that he didn't check on Bob.
As Bob's health deterioration began to go down hill, Shelley Carrico and Gary dropped what ever they were doing to help Bob anyway they could.
You are and will be missed Bob in the loss of your friendship to the people that loved you.
Godspeed
Leandra

Leandra Ellis - July 14, 2019 at 10:30 PM

SA

“ Bob possessed a wealth of knowledge, especially concerning business/farming matters and investing. Bob generously shared valuable tidbits and ideas, during our numerous conversations/visits over the years. I so enjoyed his stories of how the world used to be! Bob will be truly missed and I am grateful to have known him.
Scott Allen

Scott Allen - June 04, 2019 at 10:44 PM

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“ May the eternal light of our Lord's resurrection abide with Bob as, together, we fondly remember his kindness and friendship he so graciously shared with both his church and the greater Bloomfield community. He will be deeply missed by all.

Rev. Dr. & Mrs. Murray J. Thompson
Tunkhannock, Pennsylvania

Murray Thompson - June 04, 2019 at 12:44 PM

MV

“ Will miss your visits to the office to go over things. We would somehow get off on other subjects about life! You was always a joy to see come into our office.

Mitzi Vaught - June 04, 2019 at 11:25 AM

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“ Our deepest sympathy to all his friends and family. He was a conscientious businessman and an involved landlord for his farm. He loved his farm and we were honored to be his tenant.
Don and Joyce Villwock

Don Villwock - June 03, 2019 at 08:01 PM

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“ You will truly be missed ~*The Girl in the Corner*

Stephanie Fish - June 03, 2019 at 12:18 PM