



# Robert "Bob" Cannon, Jr.

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**R**obert J. "Bob" Cannon, Jr., 78, of Newark, Ohio died Tuesday morning, May 14, 2019 at his home.

Born March 5, 1941 in Licking County, Ohio he was a son of the late Robert J. Cannon, Sr. and Dale L. (Kirkpatrick) Cannon. Mr. Cannon retired from the Licking County Highway Department. He also worked for many years in the oil fields for R. & J. Drilling as well as other drilling companies. Bob loved dirt track racing and drove the yellow #57 for many years. He also enjoyed building and working on race car engines.

Surviving is his loving wife of 59 years, Beverly S. (Cunningham) Cannon whom he married March 12, 1960; three sons, Bobby (Colleen) Cannon, III, Danny (Becky) Cannon and Ricky Cannon, all of Newark; eight grandchildren; several great grandchildren and one great great grandchild. Also surviving are three brothers, Rudy Cannon, George Cannon and Barry Cannon all of Newark; three sisters, Kathi Cannon, Becky Cannon and Sherry Sue (John) Mautz, all of Newark and several nieces and nephews.

Calling hours will be 5pm to 8pm Thursday, May 16, 2019 at the Frazeysburg Chapel of Vensil & Chute Funeral Home, 110 West Third Street.

Funeral services will be 11:00am Friday, May 17, 2019 at the funeral home with Pastor Irene Scaramazza officiating. Burial will be in Hanover Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Vitas Hospice, 655 South Metro Place; Suite 770, Dublin, Ohio 43017.



## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** posted:

So sorry for your loss. May you receive strength and comfort from God. "He will make firm, He will make you strong, He will firmly ground you". 1Peter 5:10

May 24 at 6:36 PM



**The Nethers Family** posted:

So sorry to here of Bob's passing. Prayers & Condolences to the Family.

May 17 at 7:47 PM



**Jr Kirkpatrick** posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with the Cannon family. I spent my childhood with the yellow number 57, going to all the races on the weekends and spending the rest of the week at the old slaughter house on Staddens rd while my dad and Bobby worked on the car. Thanks for all the great memories. God Bless

May 17 at 4:54 AM



**John Schooler, Sr** posted:

So sorry for your loss, John and Diana Schooler and Family

May 16 at 5:50 PM



**Marilyn, Dave Miller** posted:

Becky, Barry and family...We are so sorry for your loss...You are in our thoughts and prayers...

May 16 at 3:26 AM



**Gary/Penny Babcock** posted:

Our Love, Thoughts and Prayers are with you at this time of great loss.

May 15 at 3:49 AM



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**Debbie Queen** posted:

So sorry to hear of Bob's passing. My family spent many years at the dirt track cheering him and Osborne on. Thanks for the memories. God Bless.

May 15 at 3:02 AM

LS

**Larry Shoemaker** posted:

Thoughts and prayers to the Cannon family. Bob was a great mechanic and even a better man. He was a pleasure to work with and will be missed by all who knew him.

May 15 at 1:06 AM

KS

**Kristie Sullivan** posted:

Becky, Rudy , Cathy and family I am so sorry. Sending lots of prayers from Tn. Kristie and Bill Sullivan

May 14 at 4:12 PM

RC

**Rudy Cannon** posted:

Bob was the best

May 14 at 2:25 PM



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