



# Robert "Bob" Lane

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**R**obert R. "Bob" Lane, 80, of Dresden, Ohio was called home Tuesday morning, August 26, 2014 at Genesis Morrison House in Zanesville, Ohio.

Born November 2, 1933 in Dresden he was a son of the late Miles and Zetta (Crozier) Lane and was a 1952 graduate of Dresden Jefferson High School. In his earlier years Bob worked at the Dresden Block Plant and the Bartlett Tree Company. He also worked for many years at AEP where he retired in 1993.

Bob loved his community and he faithfully served the Village of Dresden as a Council member for 26 years and as the Mayor of Dresden for 20 years and was an active member of the Dresden Volunteer Fire Department. He was a member of the Prospect United Methodist Church and was a very avid sports fan. He worked on the "chain gang" at Tri-Valley High School footballs games for many years and he coached Bidly League basketball and baseball. He loved watching his grandchildren and great grandchildren's sporting events. And as many local residents can attest, he loved to sit on his front porch with his wife and wave at all the passers-by.

Surviving is his loving wife of 61 years, Joann (Mahon) Lane whom he married July 11, 1953; two daughters, Diane (Dennis) Pierce and Brenda (Larry) Hindel, both of Dresden; five grandchildren, Holly (Brandon) Thomas, Terry (Rochelle) Berry, Laura (Adam) Seward, Russell (Danielle) Hindel and Lyle Pierce; eight great grandchildren; ten step great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by three brothers, Clyde, Ernie and John Lane and three sisters, Mary Lane Church, Gladys Lane and Jean Lane Lapp.

Calling hours will be from 3pm to 9pm Thursday, August 28, 2014 at the Dresden Chapel of Vensil & Chute Funeral Home, 714 Main Street.

Funeral services will be 1:30pm Friday, August 29, 2014 at the Dresden United Methodist Church, 1014 Main Street with the Rev. Sharon Williamson officiating.



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Burial will be in Dresden Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Prospect United Methodist Church or to the Dresden Volunteer Fire Department.



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RB

**Robin (Daniel) Barr** posted:

Brenda and family, I am so sorry for your loss! Your Dad was one of the nicest people that I have ever met! He is a true legacy; an example of what God intended for us all to be like! He will be greatly missed, but never forgotten!

September 1 at 4:08 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

Rusty & Danielle - So sorry for you loss. We are thinking of you.Uncle Chad & Aunt Lauri

August 31 at 4:54 PM

CW

**Chad Wade** posted:

R.I.P uncle Bob

August 29 at 10:31 PM

BH

**Beth Hittle** posted:

In the hand of God and in our hearts. He will be so missed. Sincere condolence.

August 29 at 2:06 PM

DF

**Donna Freshwater** posted:

My sincere sympathy to all the family. Bob will be missed by all who knew him.

August 29 at 1:57 PM

DF

**Dale, Judy, Erica And Chad Ferrell** posted:

Deepest Sympathy to the Lane family.

August 29 at 1:27 PM



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SL

**Susan Lent** posted:

I loved working with Mayor Lane (Bob) and Holly at the Village, my thoughts and prayers are with your family. He will be missed!

August 29 at 6:41 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow. Rhonda Holdren, Dresden, Ohio  
Dresden Village Council  
Dresden Fire Department

August 29 at 4:20 AM

JF

**Jay Fisher** posted:

Prayers to the entire family. Great memories of our Third Street neighbors. Rest in Peace Bob.

August 29 at 2:43 AM

BS

**Bob & Doris Sowers** posted:

To the entire Lane family, You are in our thoughts and prayers

August 29 at 2:21 AM

MM

**Marilyn (Mozena) Mannarino** posted:

Joan, Diane & Brenda, My thoughts & prayers are with you and the family. Bob left quite a legacy for his children & grandchildren. He touched so many lives and really loved his community. May his memories be a comfort to you.

August 28 at 5:45 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Joann, Diane, and Brenda I will miss driving by and having Bob yell "Hey Hafner" to me. I am a better person having known him. I just wish we could have gotten him to a Super Bowl. May God be with you at your time of sorrow. Steve & Anne Hall

August 28 at 2:57 PM



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**Anonymous** posted:

Joan, It was a pleasure working with you and Bob for the schools, the children, and the community. I appreciate the wisdom and the guidance. His smile, warmth, and friendship are treasured and will be missed. Don And Karen Green

August 28 at 1:45 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Holly and Austin, We are deeply sorry for your loss. May it give you great comfort to know that you have so many people keeping you in their prayers. Be ever so thankful for the short time God gave him to you. May all the good memories you hold of him give you comfort and peace in the days ahead. Family of Trevor Krouskoupf

August 28 at 12:46 PM



JM

**Jeff & Sherri Moore** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Bob will be missed by all of us in the Dresden Community. And we've already missed him sitting on porch and his smile.

August 28 at 10:40 AM



KB

**Kathy Bice** posted:

God bless the family

August 28 at 6:56 AM



KR

**Karen And Dale Ross** posted:

May your hearts soon be filled with wonderful memories of joyful times together as you celebrate a life well lived. May God bless your family. Lots of love, Karen and Dale

August 28 at 4:03 AM



JF

**Joseph Riashi & Family** posted:

Mrs Lane, so sorry for your loss, May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.

August 28 at 2:25 AM



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RR

**Rick & Adina Roberts** posted:

Joan, Diane and Family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families.

August 27 at 7:36 PM

RL

**Randy And Joyce Lincicome** posted:

To the Lane Family sorry for your loss. Bob was a Great Mayor and an even better Family Man. He had the great ability to make every one around him feel as if they were in his family. That is what great leaders do. And Bob was a Great Leader. You are in our prayers. Randy Lincicome.

August 27 at 7:17 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Pete and Sharon Vickers

August 27 at 3:48 PM

RB

**Robin Brown** posted:

Joan, Diane, Brenda and family. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. I have so many memories from our teenage years to Laura and Jamye playing ball and I always smile. God be with you all now and always.

August 27 at 2:06 PM

DS

**Dean And Tacy Sarbaugh** posted:

Joann and Family: We are very sorry for your loss. Bob was an "Outstanding" Community Leader and Dresden greatly benefited from his leadership. Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you during this difficult time.

August 27 at 1:08 PM

KS

**Kathy "Robison" Sterling** posted:

Mrs Lane, Diane and family. Brenda and family. So deeply sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers are with you all! God Bless

August 27 at 1:02 PM



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PL

**Paul Lacey** posted:

To Bob Lane's family and the community of Dresden, so sorry for your loss! Bob was a town fixture who constantly gave of himself to make Dresden a better place for everyone else. Blessings.

August 27 at 10:24 AM

HH

**Holly Fisher-Herron** posted:

Condolences to your family for your loss.I have a lot of good memories being neighbors and spending time at your house.We've lost a couple of great porch sitters.Mom loved to sit on her porch to.Your in my prayers.

August 27 at 10:02 AM

WN

**Woody Newell** posted:

Bob was always one of the best guys i ever knew growing up in the Dresden aera i will sure be missed by a lot of people - GOD BLESS.

August 27 at 7:55 AM

KH

**Kathy Harper** posted:

Sorry for the loss of Bob. I lived in Dresden when I was a kid and his niece Martha and I were very good friend's. Bob will be missed very much. R.I P.

August 27 at 7:22 AM

BS

**Brandon Steele** posted:

A great neighbor and friend to our family.Please accept our condolences.Respectfully and God Bless

August 27 at 6:50 AM

JD

**Judy Dayton** posted:

Bob Lane Family,Sorry for your loss. He was the Mayor when we lived in Dresden. A very nice and respected person. His family members that we know are also very nice and wonderful people. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

August 27 at 5:57 AM



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JR

**Jack&Marian Roberson** posted:

Joann & family so sorry for your loss. Was privileged to visit with Bob this summer. And yes, we sat on the porch! Worked with Bob at AEP & he married us in '98! Will be greatly missed.

August 27 at 4:00 AM

RD

**Randy Dillon** posted:

I am saddened to hear of Bob's passing. I have know him a long time and considered him a good friend. I will always remember him with a smile when I think of our lunches together and how I would act like I was taking the tip he would leave. He caught me once and from them on would not leave the table until I did. Please accept my deepest sympathy.

August 27 at 3:28 AM

BB

**Bob & Lois (Pritchard) Beers** posted:

To Bob Lane Family, Please accept our sympathy

August 27 at 3:25 AM

RW

**Rex And Mary Wisecarver** posted:

Joann and family our thoughts and prayers are with you at this very sorrowful time. Bob was a good man and a kind soul. May he rest in peace.

August 27 at 3:24 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

Dresden has lost another great and well respected person. Much sympathy to the family. Gary and Melody Tignor Graves.

August 27 at 2:32 AM



**Anonymous** posted:

To the Lane family so sorry for your loss. Praying god comfort you at this difficult time. Bob will truly be missed in the Tri-Valley district.Rodger&Anita Brock

August 27 at 2:13 AM



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SL

**Steve & Christy Riley Little** posted:

Sorry to hear about Bob. Thoughts and prayers to the family. RIP Bob

August 27 at 1:39 AM

ER

**Erma Riley** posted:

To all the Lane family I am so sorry to hear of Bob's passing. He was such a great man. Dresden has lost one of the best, but may you have peace in knowing he is now in his new home with God where he will no longer suffer. With deepest sympathy Erma Riley

August 27 at 1:33 AM

FN

**Fred Norris** posted:

Sorry for your loss, may he rest in peace.

August 26 at 9:00 PM

FN

**Fred Norrris** posted:

May he rest in peace, sorry for your loss.

August 26 at 8:56 PM

MB

**Mike & Gail Betts** posted:

Our deepest condolences to Joan and the entire family in the loss of your beloved Bob. Our thoughts and prayers are with you in the coming days.

August 26 at 5:29 PM

KM

**Kim McCormick** posted:

All the family of Bob Lane, Our deepest sympathy and prayers through this tough time. We all loved Bob and especially loved honking the horn as we passed by. He will be missed by many and was truly a wonderful man. Our love, The McCormick Family

August 26 at 5:10 PM



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**The Watsons** posted:

To the family of Bob Lane, Please accept our sympathies in Bob's passing. He was a wonderful man with a kind heart and a gentle soul. He will be greatly missed in the Dresden community. Our prayers are with his family, friends, and loved ones at this difficult time. Much love,

August 26 at 4:14 PM



**Anonymous** posted:

Heaven has really gained one of the good ones even though it has left a whole community with heavy hearts at least there is no more pain and suffering. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all may god wrap his arms around you for comfort and support during this most difficult time. Bob will be truly missed, love and hugs to you all with deepest sympathies, Jack, Brandy, and Sheridan Black. And Edie Crowthers & Kenny Mahon

August 26 at 3:41 PM



**Charlotte Crozier** posted:

My prayers to his wife and his family. He was a good man.

August 26 at 2:35 PM



**Pj & Darla Longstreth** posted:

So sorry for your loss. May the beautiful memories of a life lived to the fullest help to lessen the grief. Bob will be missed by so many. His absence on the porch with a smile and a wave is already missed.

August 26 at 2:19 PM



**Becky Neff** posted:

Will miss passing by your house and seeing you sitting there talking and waving. R.I.P Bob, you were a wonderful person and will be greatly missed! Thoughts and prayers to all the family...

August 26 at 2:05 PM



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**Dave & Cheryl Untied** posted:

So sorry for your loss. Bob was a wonderful man that touched so many peoples lives and he will truly be missed. Keeping you in our thoughts and prayers.

August 26 at 12:02 PM



**Debbie Wisecarver** posted:

sending thoughts and prayers to the family . R.I.P. Bob Lane you will be missed.

August 26 at 11:38 AM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Robert by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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