



## Robert Don Paul Jr.

July 23, 1953 - April 29, 2014

Robert Don Paul Jr., 60, of Tulsa, Oklahoma. Beloved Son of Robert Paul Sr. and Nadine Paul born July 23, 1953 in Miami, Oklahoma lost his courageous battle with leukemia April 29, 2014 at the J.C. Montgomery VA Hospital in Muskogee, Oklahoma with his family by his side. Besides proudly serving in the United States Marine Corps Bob was employed by DECO as a Federal Officer. Bob is preceded in death by his father Robert Don Paul, Sr., his maternal grandparents, E.C. and Carrie Lister, paternal grandparents Jack and Ruby Paul, cousin Steve Phillips and Pauline Wood. He is survived by his wife of Forty-two years Debbie Stone Paul, son J. Justin Paul (Glenna), daughter Robin Paul, four grandchildren all of Tulsa, his mother Nadine Paul, sister Patti Paul Abercrombie and nephew Christian A. Paul all of Chickasha, aunt Jimmie Paul of Duncan, uncle Don Lister (Cora) Blanchard, uncle Jack Paul of Huntsville, Alabama as well as numerous cousins and his beloved companion "Gunny" who never left his side.

Services are Saturday, May 10, 2014 at 10:00 AM at the Cooper Memorial Chapel at Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service Miami. Interment will follow at Grand Army of the Republic Cemetery. Military rites will be provided by the United States Marine Corp's Funeral Honors Team. Services have been placed in the care of Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Miami.

Friends and family may send the family notes of encouragement by viewing Mr. Paul's Tribute Page at [www.brown-winters.com](http://www.brown-winters.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Grand Army of the Republic

2801 North Main Street  
Miami, OK 74354

# Previous Events

## Service

MAY 10. 10:00 AM (CT)

Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service  
5 B Street NW  
Miami, OK 74354  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert Don Paul Jr.*



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**Brown-Winters Funeral Home and Cremation Service** - May 10, 2014 at 08:33 AM



“ *Bob, Debbie and I spent alot of time together when Bob was a Senior...My dearest memory will be when he came home from basic training and was so thin and so proud of himself for his achievement....He just beamed....I will never forget that smile on his face..Debbie my prayers are with you and of course your children and grandchildren...You had a great man, but you knew that from the start!! Love to you  
Shelby Powderly Spaur*

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**Shelby Powderly Spaur** - May 13, 2014 at 12:08 PM



“ *Patti, Nadine and Debbie and kids. I am so sorry for your loss. I never had the priviledge of meeting Bob when he lived here in Miami. Patti is one of my dear friends and I have truly missed her being here in Miami. I pray God will lift you up and give you his peace, grace and mercy at this time of sorrow. I will see you tomorrow, I pray.*

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**Linda Nott** - May 09, 2014 at 08:54 AM

DP

*Thank you Linda for sharing this moment to honor a very special man in our lives. We love and miss him dearly. Debbie.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 07:23 PM

RC

*I remember Bob Paul*

Robert Conrad - March 26, 2024 at 09:43 PM

CL

*“ Bob was truly "one of a kind". The love for his family (including Gunny), his country, and friends was a testament to this wonderful man of character. His life is to be celebrated for the love and dedication he gave to all who knew him.*

Carla Lillie - May 08, 2014 at 04:19 PM

DP

*Thank you so much Carla for everything and for "being there" for us. Love always, Debbie.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 07:26 PM

BS

*“ Bob was one of the sweetest guys I am sure I will ever know. I only knew him for a little while but he was always so kind and made me laugh at work on days that seemed endless. He fought so hard and I never heard him complain. I will miss him and send thoughts of peace and comfort to Debbie and his family.*

Brandee Switzer - May 05, 2014 at 04:22 PM

DP

*Brandee, thank you for the kind words. Bob thought the world of all "his peeps" at the office. He truly felt it an honor each and every time he was assigned the Miami post and loved going on duty each day even on days that weren't easy for him. We were a team and I am going to miss those times as well. To look up and see you, Kim and Alan honoring Bob at his memorial meant the world to me and our family, love Debbie.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 08:59 PM

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“ *Im going to miss my grandpa! He was a great man! And a great grandfather when i was in elementary school everytime i would come home with an A on my spelling test he would give me \$10 or when i came home with a B it was \$5. Another memory i have was everytime i stayed with him and Grandma he would wake me up in the morning and we would go get pancakes at the old western diner..... Imma miss you so much Papa!!! I Love you Papa!!*  
-Brooke Maynard (Paul)

Brooke Maynard (Paul) - May 04, 2014 at 07:32 AM

DP

*Brooke, your Grandfather loved you and only wanted the best for you. He and I tried to give you the best advice possible throughout the years. He would have liked to been able to spend more quality time with his grandchildren. Love, Grandmother.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 09:44 PM

DP

*Brooke, your Grandfather loved you and wanted only the best for you. He and I tried to give you the best advice possible and wanted to spend more quality time with you. Love, Grandmother.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 10:09 PM



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Colton Maynard - May 04, 2014 at 07:31 AM



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Colton Maynard - May 04, 2014 at 07:30 AM



“ *I graduated with Bob from MHS. To his family, I am so sorry for their loss and I pray for peace and strength to get through this time.*  
*Grace Brodrick Cunningham*

Grace Cunningham - May 02, 2014 at 11:04 PM



*Thank you Grace....*

Patti Paul Abercrombie - May 03, 2014 at 11:11 AM



*Thank you for the kind words Grace.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 10:10 PM

MH

“ I remember you fondly, as neighbor and friend. Peace to those you leave behind.

Mitzi Carder Harris - May 02, 2014 at 02:04 PM

PA

Thank you Mitzi

Patti Paul Abercrombie - May 03, 2014 at 11:11 AM

DP

Mitzi, thank you for the kind sentiments.

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 10:15 PM

CW

“ Bob was a sweet and loving soul, a good friend, and a great American patriot. We grew up together, shared the same dreams and hopes for our families. I admire so much his courage as he battled illness these last few years, but my ultimate admiration is for his loving wife, Debbie, his sister Patty, and of course, his children and grandchildren. May God give them peace and strength--and may their hearts be filled with joyful memories of their lives together. The Class of '72 loves you forever, Bob!!! Save us a spot in Heaven!  
Carolyn Piler Williams

Carolyn Piler Williams - May 02, 2014 at 01:01 AM

PA

Thank you Carolyn for sharing

Patti Paul Abercrombie - May 03, 2014 at 11:13 AM

DP

*Carolyn, I am so glad we were able to spend those unexpected get togethers when Bob had the Miami assignments. It was nice to be able to reconnect after many years away. Thank you for the kind words and the support as well. Bob didn't want me to worry about him but yes, he was very courageous. Love, Debbie.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 09:51 PM

DP

*Carolyn, it was so nice to share our unexpected get togethers when Bob had the Miami assignments and to reconnect after the many years. Thank you for the caring support and kind words, love Debbie.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 10:19 PM

AP

*“ Thoughts and Prayers are with you. Bob Paul will truly be missed. From Retired Reserve Captain Allan Peper.*

Allan Peper - May 01, 2014 at 09:53 PM

PA

*Thank you Allan Peper*

Patti Paul Abercrombie - May 03, 2014 at 11:13 AM

DP

*Thank you so much Allan. Bob thought so much of you. Debbie.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 09:53 PM

DP

*Thank you so much Allan. Bob thought the world of you. Those were special times as well. Debbie.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 10:20 PM

DP

“ Bob Paul was with us only for a short time , but his impact on us all will last forever. Bob had a welcoming smile and a gentle nature that was infectious to his coworkers. If you met Bob you immediately liked him. He was positive in his approach to work and rarely complained about anything. He loved his wife, family and his country. He was a proud Marine Corp veteran and showed that Pride often. Bob was a fighter and fought his illness as hard as he could. Bob, we miss you Brother. Blessed are the Peace Keepers. Our thoughts are with you and your Family.  
David Powell and work family.

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**David Powell** - May 01, 2014 at 03:57 PM

PA

David thank you for your thoughts

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**Patti Paul Abercrombie** - May 03, 2014 at 11:14 AM

DP

David, you know how Bob felt about your special team. Nothing short of death could keep him away and yes, he gave it his all. A sincere "Thank You" to each and every one of you for being there for him.  
Debbie.

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**Debbie Paul** - May 12, 2014 at 10:00 PM

DP

David, you know how Bob felt about your special group. Nothing short of death could keep him away and yes, he gave it his all to the end. A sincere and heartfelt "Thank You" to each and every one of you for always being there for him. Debbie.

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**Debbie Paul** - May 12, 2014 at 10:24 PM



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Karen Newby - April 30, 2014 at 01:10 PM

PA

*Thank you Karen for the picture!*

Patti Paul Abercrombie - May 03, 2014 at 11:14 AM

DP

*Thank you Karen for sharing this pix of "My precious Bob".*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 10:03 PM

DP

*Thank you Karen for sharing this photo of "My sweet Bob Jr".*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 10:26 PM

DP

“ *Many hearts are sad today. Bob and Debbie are kind, loving and generous people. Please Lord bring the family peace and comfort today and in the days to come. Love, Delilah, Richard and Cole*

delilah popplewell - April 30, 2014 at 11:02 AM

PA

*Thank you Delilah*

Patti Paul Abercrombie - May 03, 2014 at 11:15 AM

DP

*Thank you for the kind words Delilah, love Debbie.*

Debbie Paul - May 12, 2014 at 10:28 PM