



## Robert George Baron

March 29, 1924 - November 5, 2014

Robert "Bob" George Baron passed away on November 5th, 2014 in Menard, Texas at the age of 90. Bob was born March 29, 1924 in Springfield, Missouri, to George and Beulah (Martin) Baron. He grew up in Ft. Worth, Lubbock, and Amarillo. Bob Married Lila Benson in 1985 and they were married for 30 years.

Bob enlisted in the US Naval Air Force in 1942 and was discharged in 1946. He spent 19 months in the South Pacific on the Island of Tinian and Iwo Jima. He loved to tell the stories of the atom bomb leaving from Tinian. Bob loved his naval reunions as long as he was able. After his discharge he returned to Texas Tech and later transferred to Texas Christian University. Bob was a lifetime member of the First Christian Church (Apostles of Christ); He was a Carpet Mill representative for over 50 years, his business card read "The Carpet Baron". He was a born salesman and loved dealing with the public. After his retirement he sold insurance and owned the Second Home Trading Company with his family. He was very involved with civic activities in Menard. He served as a director of the Chamber of Commerce, Menard Country Club, and was active in the Menard Businessmen Association, and the Historical Society.

Survivors include his wife Lila of Menard, Children; Susan (Baron) Houston and husband Ray of Oklahoma City, Mark Aycock and wife Sherleen of

Menard, Olivia Swan and husband Billy of Burleson , Texas, grandchildren;  
Sam Farha and wife Stephanie, Baron Farha, Kaci and Brody Wash, Kari and  
Jeremy Buchala, Stacy Thompson and husband Paul , Sherrie McCaskill and  
husband Pete, Megan and husband Lonnie Ortega, great grandchildren;  
Emma Sky, Macy and Gage Farha, Channing, Mollie, and Trey Thompson,  
Adam Stephens, Brennan and Autumn Wash, Kathryn Hebert, and Dee  
Ortega.

Bob is preceded in death by his parents, one sister Frances and brother-in law  
Jack Lobingeir.

A celebration of Bob's life will be held November 29th at 10:00 a.m. at the  
Apostolic Sanctuary in Menard.

The Family would like to extend a very heartfelt Thank You to HOSA and  
Myrtle Shortbull and Sherleen Aycock for all your loving care to our love one

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Lila and Family~ God bless you during this time. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and we are so sorry for your loss. Lila, you and Bob always welcomed us into your home and treated us as if we were part of your family. You and Bob are the most gracious, loving friends and we love you just like our family. Take care and know the Lord will be with you always.*

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**Scott and Jan Sorrell** - November 08, 2014 at 11:38 AM

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“ *Will miss BobBob, he was a joy to visit with.  
Keeping Lila and all the Family in our prayers during this sad time.*

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**Chester & Ola Low** - November 07, 2014 at 03:31 PM