



Robert "Bob"

Dickerson

12/17/29 - 7/14/18

Robert T. Dickerson, better known as "Bob," was born December 17th, 1929 in Washington, DC to parents Alex Martin Dickerson and Lillie Marie Banks. After high school, Bob served several tours in the US Air Force before finding his passion of dry cleaning.

All who knew Bob marveled at the stories of celebrity and fame he accumulated while on his film studio dry cleaning delivery route. He was working in this industry in California when he met Dora, at the Carnation Ice Cream Parlor, where she worked. They married in Las Vegas in 1977 and Rainbow Dickerson was born four years later.

Bob continued to pursue various passions and hobbies until his final days, including mini-golf, movies, Wii sports, driving, watching the Spanish channel, eating ice cream, and supervising the comings and goings of the animals and neighbors of their little culdesac in Winchester, VA. He had a childlike curiosity and always looked for the funny side of life, even when his chips were down (yes, playing his favorite lottery system was also his longtime hobby).

He was always personable, quite a storyteller, and had an easygoing way of marching to his own drum.

He is survived by 4 children (Marty, Debbie, Crystal, Rainbow) and follows behind 1 more (Douglas). He is also survived by wife (Dora), 5 siblings (Jack, Danny, Jimmy, Tammy, Larry) and predeceased by 3 siblings (Bobby, Tommy, Betty). There are also 10 grandchildren, and 7 great grandchildren. There will be no funeral, however a potluck Memorial Celebration of Life will be held on September 1, 2018 from 11 AM-3 PM at the Winchester Recreation Center, 1001 E. Cork Street, Winchester, VA 22601. Memorial donations can be made to The USO, The World Wildlife Fund, or St. Labre Indian School. Spread the joy and optimism, as Bob always did.