



Robert Lee Wade Jr.

November 2, 1973 - April 23, 2022

Robert L. Wade Jr., 48, of Muncie, died unexpectedly on Saturday, April 23, 2022 at home.

He was born on November 2, 1973 in Muncie, Indiana, the son of Robert Lee Wade Sr. and Paula Kay (Cox) Stanley.

Bob was a 1992 graduate of Muncie Southside High School and attended IVY Tech Community College. He proudly served in the US Army as a tank mechanic. Bob worked as a Maintenance Technician with Grede Foundry, Nestlé, Heartland, and more recently at Eli Lilly in Indianapolis.

Bob had a very charismatic, outgoing personality and was a friend to everyone. He was a life-long musician and loved playing guitar, singing, and riding his motorcycle with his Game Changers buddies.

Those left to cherish Bob's memory include his mother, Paula Stanley of Muncie; his father, Robert Lee Wade Sr. of Winchester; three children, Austin Wade of Muncie, Matthew Wade, and Shelby Johnson both of New Castle; five grandchildren; a sister, Betty (husband: Pe'a) Faletogo of Muncie, and two nieces, Hiesha Reece and Shaila Faletogo. Bob is also survived by his friends and bandmates in his band, Loose Cannon.

Bob was preceded in death by two aunts, Patty Resler and Cheryl Blevins.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 pm Tuesday, May 3, 2022, at True Light Baptist Church, 805 Country Club Road in Muncie with Rev. Andrew Phipps officiating. Burial will follow in Gardens of Memory.

Friends may call from 4 – 8 pm Monday at the church.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Sproles Family Funeral Home in New Castle. You may send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Robert L. Wade Jr.

Cemetery Details

Gardens of Memory Cemetery

10703 IN-3
Muncie, IN 47303

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 2. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

True Light Baptist Church
805 N. Country Club Road
Muncie, IN 47303

Service

MAY 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

RB

“ This shocked me. To Betty, Paula, and Bob Sr. My heart thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Knowing Bob growing up and having mutual family he was always a great person. Last I saw him was when he was coaching little league baseball. Life takes us in different directions but you always remember kind and good people. So sorry to learn of this.

Ray Blevins

Ray Blevins - May 28, 2022 at 06:50 PM

SW

“ Bob was a great guy. Would always be the Nestle bunny if I needed help. I always had fun hanging and fun listening to the band play. Soo many great memories. RIH my friend, you will always be missed ❤️🙏

Sarah Webb - May 02, 2022 at 05:58 PM

SD

“ So hard to believe. 😞 Bob was a great guy with such a huge personality. Always made me laugh! Rest In Peace Buddy ❤️🙏

Stacy Delaney - May 01, 2022 at 05:51 PM

SC

“ Hard to believe you are gone buddy!! One of the great ones. Rock on up there. Miss the conversations we shared when picking up movies and the fun times at Nestle. RIP



Scottie Clark - April 29, 2022 at 07:07 AM