

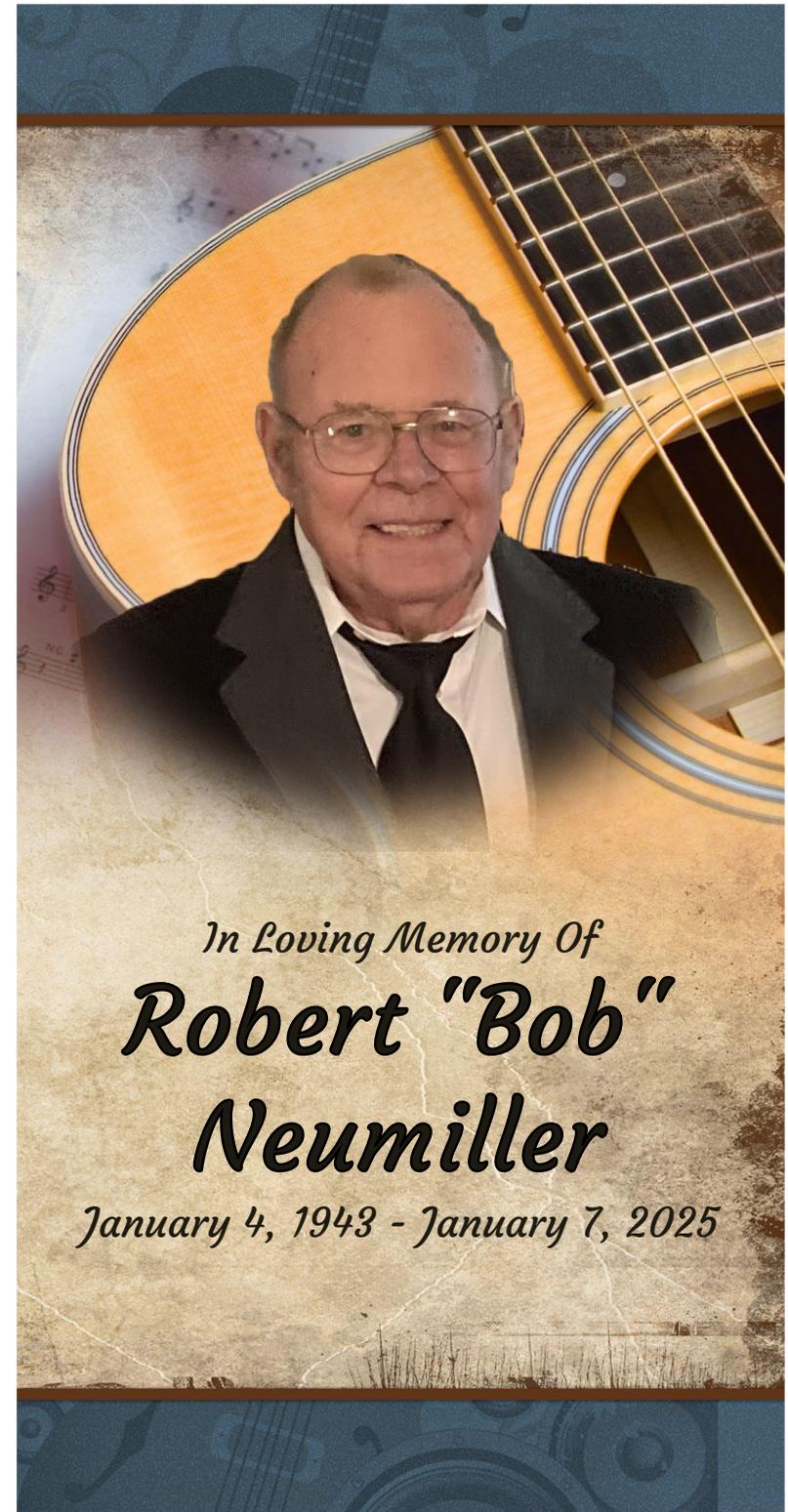


Robert James "Bob" Neumiller, 82, of Wolf Point passed away at his home Jan. 7th. He was born to William Neumiller and Nora Daly Neumiller on Jan. 4, 1943 in Wolf Point.

They lived south of the river and Richey, MT until moving to Elliston, MT where Bill was foreman of the Golden Anchor gold mine until Bill's sudden passing in June of 1954. Nora moved back to Wolf Point with her children Bob, Roy and Carol to be with family. Nora married Donny Neumiller a few years later. 3 children were born of this blessed union, Daniel, Raymond and Donna Rae. Bob was very close to his new father who he called Pa. He graduated from WPHS in 1961 and in December joined the Army, serving in anchorage as Military Police on a missile base near Anchorage for 3 years. He met and married Rose Parent and they had Robert Jr. "B.J." and Rayna. They later divorced. After Bob's discharge, he served on the Wolf Point Police force, quickly rising to Chief of Police. He held that rank until 1982 when the police force was joined to the Sheriff's department where he was a detective lieutenant until 1990. Bob married Donna Kunish and they completed the family with daughters Loy and Darcy. The family moved to Cascade, MT where he served as Chief of Police/ Marshall for 4 years before retiring from law enforcement for good for a total of 33 years. The family moved back home. Donna Jo passed away in 2010 and Bob didn't stay retired for long as he had many more jobs that he loved; recycling, Hi Line Homes, Fish and Game at Ft Peck Lake, which we're not sure he considered work, and finally at the Dollar Store which he was so proud of until he quit, at age 81 because of his health. Bob and Benita Unruh were married in 2012. She was not only his loving companion but learned how to play bass in the Gospel Fellowship band with him. He was an avid fisherman and musician, cat and dog lover. At age 13, he was shown how to play guitar by Pa, Donny. Bob never learned to read sheet music but saw patterns as he mastered lead, bass and steel guitar. A gifted musician, he went from playing in high school bands with brother Roy, VFWs and North Side Bar jamming with Pa, Roy and Uncle Albert and many other artists, bands in Alaska, and all over NE Montana, sometimes being joined by brothers Dan, and Raymond. Some highlights of his musical career were being on the Faye Crush Talent Show, being able to play the steel guitar for a Tammy Wynette show in Baker, MT, and Del Reeves. He loved playing old time gospel music at their church with friends Gary Ediger and Ellery Hoch.

Bob is preceded in death by his grandparents Fred and Magdalena Neumiller and James and Alma Daly, parents, brother Dan, sister Donna Rae, wife Donna Jo and many aunts and uncles from the Neumiller and Daly families.

He is survived by his loving wife Benita, son B.J. (Barbara), daughter Rayna, both of Alaska, daughters Loy (Jack) Sprague and Darcy (Ron) Keiser both of Wolf Point, step kids Jon of Texas and Kerissa (Jene) Dvorak of Pennsylvania, brothers Roy (Joy) of Malta and Raymond (Jeri) of Glasgow and sister Carol (Larry) Neutgens of Wolf Point, grandchildren Brandy, Alex, J.T., Matthew, Kristen, Trinity, and Gabriel, 9 great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews and cousins. Also, many special friends. THE WORLD LOST AN AMAZING MAN AND A GIFTED MUSIC MAKER.



In Loving Memory Of
Robert "Bob"
Neumiller

January 4, 1943 - January 7, 2025



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Memorial Service

11:00 a.m., Thursday, January 23, 2025
Gospel Fellowship Church
Wolf Point, Montana

Officiating

Pastor Mike Andrews
Pastor Archer Woodstock

Special music by:

Gary Ediger
Greg & Ceceilia Solberg

Honorary Pallbearers

Gabriel Keiser, Matthew Keiser,
Jack Thomas Sprague

Military Honors

Montana Army National Guard
American Legion Post #81

Luncheon

Please join Bob's family in the fellowship hall
after services

Interment at a later date

Vida Cemetery
Vida, Montana



When tomorrow starts without me and I'm not there to see,
If the *sun should rise* and find your eyes all
filled with tears for me,
I wish so much you wouldn't cry the way you did today.
While I'm thinking of the many things we didn't get to say,
I know how much you love me,
as much as I love you,
and each time you think of me I know you'll miss me too.
But when tomorrow starts without me please try to understand,
that an *Angel* came and called my name
and took me by the hand.
She said my place was ready in heaven far above,
and that I'd have to leave behind
all these **I DEARLY LOVE**.
But as I turned and walked away, a tear fell from my eye,
for all my life I always thought I didn't want to die.
I had so much to live for, I had so much to do.
It seemed almost impossible that I was leaving you.
I thought of all the yesterdays, the good ones and the bad,
I thought of all the love we shared and all the *fun* we had.
If I could re-live yesterday,
I thought just for a while,
I'd say goodbye and kiss you and maybe see you smile.
So when tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart,
For wherever you think I am, I'm right here in your **HEART**.