

## Robert "Bob" Mattingly, 73

*March 9, 1932 - July 15, 2005*

**BOONE** — Robert "Bob" Mattingly was born March 9, 1932, in Nevada, son of Frank and Lola (Corbin) Mattingly. He attended grade school and high school in Gilbert, graduating from Gilbert High School in 1951. He attended one year at Iowa State University.

June 16, 1962, Bob married Joan Hendricks in Harlan. He lived in Gilbert from 1932 to 1962, in Ames from 1962 to 1971, and then moved to Boone. During the summer of 1951, he worked as a section worker for the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad. From 1952 to 1954, he worked as a groundskeeper for the City of Ames. And from 1955 until his retirement in 2002, he worked for the Iowa Department of Transportation in Ames as a Lab Technician. He was a member of the Church of the Sacred Heart. He died July 15, 2005, of brain cancer at the Israel Family Hospice House in Ames, at age 73.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife, Joan of Boone; two sons, Daniel Mattingly (Melissa) of Boone and Patrick Mattingly (Amy) of Van Meter; one daughter, Katheryn McCoskey (Warren) of Wichita, KS; two brothers, Bill Long (Maxine) of Ames; and Norman Long (Lois) of Yucaipa, CA; four grandchildren, Andrew and Erin McCoskey and twin girls, Mia and Brooke Mattingly.

Funeral Mass was held July 19, 2005, at the Sacred Heart Church in Boone. Burial was in the Sacred Heart Cemetery in Boone.