



Robert P Parsell

December 22, 1963 - February 15, 2026

Robert Paul “Bob” Parsell, of Forest, passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on

February 15, 2026, at Marion General Hospital.

He was born on December 22, 1963, in Kenton, Ohio, to Gene Edwin and Carole Kay (Bowman)

Parsell. Bob married Becky Sampson, who survives in Upper Sandusky.

Bob is survived by his loving wife, Becky Parsell of Upper Sandusky; his mother, Carole Parsell; his niece, ShiAnn (Chris) Peterson of Kenton; his nephew, William Wesley “Wes” (Laurie)

Drennen of Tennessee; and many aunts, uncles, cousins, and his 3 beloved dogs. He was preceded in death by his father, Gene Edwin Parsell, and his sister, Debra Jean Parsell, surviving is Bill Drennen, Kenton.

A graduate of Riverdale High School, Bob was a dedicated athlete, participating in baseball,

basketball, football, wrestling, and golf during his school years. His love for sports continued

throughout his life. He served as an assistant wrestling coach for Riverdale and was a high

school-level umpire for baseball and softball. He was an avid fan of The Ohio State University,

Cleveland Browns, Detroit Lions and Detroit Tigers.

Bob was a proud United States Navy veteran and a member of Forest United

Methodist

Church. He will be remembered for his dedication to his community, his passion for athletics, and his unwavering support of family and friends.

A graveside service will be held on Friday, February 20, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. at Hueston Cemetery

Forest, with Pastor Christopher Thacker officiating. Full military rites will be conducted by

VFW Post #1182 and American Legion Post #259, both of Forest, and AMVETS Post 1994 of Kenton.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Robert Parsell Memorial Fund or to Hardin County

Veterans in care of Clark Shields Funeral Home, 301 S. Patterson St., Forest, OH 45843.

Bob's memory will live on in the hearts of all who knew and loved him. of all who knew and loved him.

Cemetery Details

Hueston Cemetery

Forest, OH

Previous Events

Graveside Service

FEB 20. 1:00 PM (ET)

Hueston Cemetery

Forest

Forest, OH 45843

Tribute Wall

JL

“ *Joseh Lawrence lit a candle in memory of Robert P Parsell*



Joseh Lawrence - March 28 at 01:08 PM

JC

“ *Carol so sorry for your loss.
Love
Jerri Cowen*

Jerri Cowen - February 21 at 09:52 AM

CY

“ *Cynde lit a candle in memory of Robert P Parsell*



Cynde - February 19 at 03:33 PM

TC

“ *So sad to learn of Bob's passing. I have fond memories of when my mom babysat Bob and Deb when they were small so many years ago. Bob had such character and personality. Thoughts and prayers to Carole and all of Bob's family.*

Tim Curtin - February 18 at 11:40 AM



“ *Bob was a very good friend to me. He will be truly missed. Condolences to his family*



Brenda Mitchell - February 17 at 11:30 PM

GD

“ *I played softball with Bob and umpire with him for many years we had fun it was glad to know you you may you rest in peace*

Grreg dyer - February 17 at 04:23 PM