

Robert Roy Jensen passed away at his home in Palmer, Alaska, on February 27, 2021, at the age of 91. He was born in North Dakota on January 2, 1930, to Henry and Ina Brown Jensen of Grace City, North Dakota.

Robert married his high school sweetheart, Joan Jeanette McNeese, on March 20, 1952, in Carrington, North Dakota. Bob served in the Navy during the Korean War, where he was stationed in Coronado, California, and Japan. Bob and Joan moved to Palmer, Alaska, after his discharge. He joined the teamsters, working for several local companies and also on the Alaska Pipeline. Bob is known to be among the top 10 truck drivers in Alaska's history, helping to develop roadways from territory to statehood. He also has mentored many young people along the way.

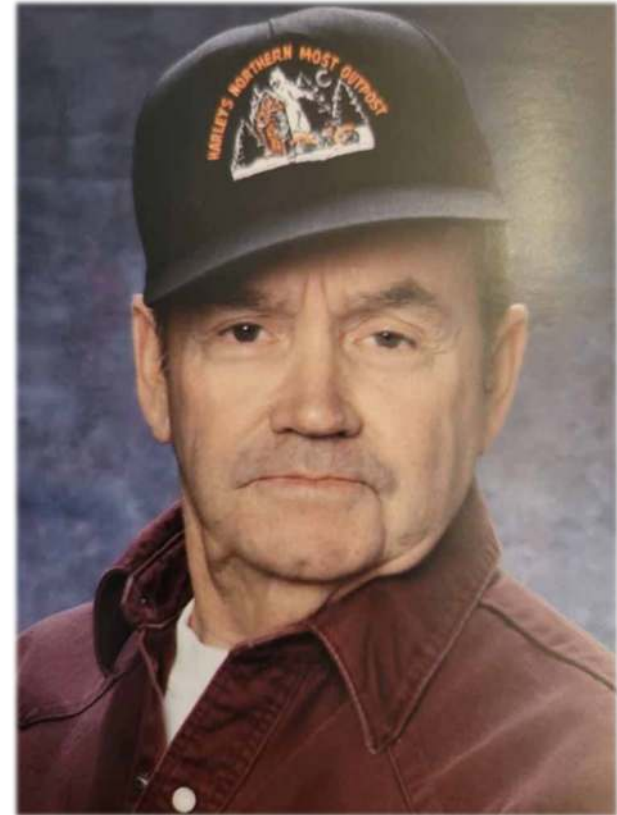
Bob's wife Joan died in 1974, and Bob retired at 55. He later married Maryann Canniff.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, Henry and Ina; his wife, Maryann Canniff; his siblings, Shirley Geddes, Lloyd Jensen, Joyce Boyer, and Carol Lies; his daughter, Nancy Jacobson; and his granddaughter, Gabrielle Winchester.

Survivors include Bob's sister, Melva (Pat) Boyle; sister-in-law, Marion Jensen; daughters, Ivy (Chuck) Kazda and Lola Jensen; and stepchildren, Bonita and Terry. Bob had 11 grandchildren, 21 great grandchildren, plus numerous nieces and nephews in Alaska and the lower 48 states.

Bob will be buried in Grace City, North Dakota, next to his parents and grandparents.

In Loving Memory of



Robert Roy Jensen

January 2, 1930 – February 27, 2021

The Twenty-Third Psalm

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures;
He leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the
paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the
shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art
with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the
presence of mine enemies; thou anointest my
head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the
house of the Lord forever.

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January 2, 1930 - Grace City, ND

February 27, 2021 - Palmer, AK

GRAVESIDE SERVICE

Friday, May 21, 2021 ~ 2:00PM
Grace City Cemetery, Grace City, ND

OFFICIATING

Rev. Russ Christiansen

SPECIAL MUSIC

Carli Lies & Lexi Lies

PALLBEARERS

Greg Boyer ~ Rick Lies ~ Joel Lies
Patrick Lies ~ Jacob Kazda ~ Charlie Kazda

MILITARY HONORS

North Dakota Navy Funeral Honors Team

BURIAL

Grace City Cemetery, Grace City, ND

Arrangements by

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