

## **ROBERT JAMES WOMMACK**

Robert James Wommack, 89, of Austin, passed away on Wednesday, May 11, 2016. He was born in Marietta, Texas, the eldest of the five children of Martha Virginia (Witt) and Marion Madison Wommack. He was the beloved husband of Margaret Hermes Wommack.

Bob spent his formative years swimming in his grandfather's pond, reading voraciously, and listening to classical music. He graduated from Texas High School in Texarkana, Texas and The University of Texas at Austin.

In 1952, he moved from Texarkana to Joliet, Illinois, where he met and married Peg Hermes in 1953. They moved to Austin, Texas at the end of 1955, and, together, they raised four children. While in Austin he worked as Personnel Officer for Bergstrom Air Force Base and retired from the Internal Revenue Service. Bob was also an active member of the First Church of Christ, Scientist in Austin for many years.

Bob was predeceased by his parents, his brother Glenn Wommack, his sister Nina Wommack Meadows, and his youngest sister Jessalyn Wommack Foster. He is survived by his wife, his children John Wommack (Wendy), Keith Wommack (Joanne), Kevin Wommack, and Mari Wommack Dove (Andrew), his grandchildren James Wommack (Melissa), Morgan Wommack Warren (Travis), Andy Dove, Jarrod Karonika, Cory Dove (Tiana), Jordan Karonika, and Roman Wommack (Brenna), his 6 great-grandchildren, his sister Janie Wommack Roberts of Texarkana, and many nieces and nephews.

A special thank you to the staff and Hospice at Brookdale Westlake Hills for their kindness and care, especially to his Nurse, Ansah.

A Celebration of Bob's Life will be private for the family. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to First Church of Christ, Scientist, Austin, Texas, 1309 Guadalupe, 78701, or a charity of your choice.

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