



Robert "Bob" Wilson Riley

March 22, 1931 - October 24, 2024

Bob Riley, 93, of Mooresville, NC, passed away on Thursday, October 24, 2024, at Atrium Health Carolinas Medical Center very unexpectedly.

He was born March 22, 1931, in Dallas, TX, to the late A. D. Riley and Tina Gilbert Riley.

Bob was the owner/operator of Riley Technology. He was a graduate of LSU in Baton Rouge.

He proudly served his country in the US Air Force.

Bob was an engineer and race car designer. He was extremely passionate about racing all his adult life. It was very much his passion and joy, and at 93 years old he was working every day.

He was a wonderful husband and father. He was very compassionate and generous by helping others in any way he could. He was a great mentor and teacher to others. He loved to share this passion for racing with those around him. Bob was very dry witted and had a wonderful sense of humor. He was inducted into the IMSA Hall of Fame just this month.

In addition to his parents, Bob is preceded in death by a sister, Billie Ruth

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He is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Beatrice "Bea" Delarue Riley; children, Anne Hammons (Mark) and Bill Riley (Mary); sister, Lois Montgomery; grandchildren, David Hammons, George Hammons, Wilson Riley, Sam Riley, and Jacob Riley.

There will be a private Celebration of Bob's Life at a later date.

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home and Crematory, Mooresville, is serving the Riley family.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Cemetery Details

Cavin-Cook FH & Crematory

494 E. Plaza Drive
 Mooresville, NC 28115

Tribute Wall



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Wilson Riley.*



November 06, 2024 at 11:26 AM



“ *Ligier Automotive NA purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Robert "Bob" Wilson Riley.*



Ligier Automotive NA - October 30, 2024 at 04:39 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Wilson Riley.*



October 29, 2024 at 09:28 AM