



## Robert E. Lindgren Sr.

November 9, 2023

Mr. Robert E. Lindgren Sr., 90 of Chicago, Illinois and Maricopa, Arizona passed away November 9, 2023, in Goodyear, Arizona of Dementia. He was born May 3, 1933, to William Lindgren and Elizabeth Hoehn in Chicago, Illinois. He served in the Army from 1952-1954 as a PVF/1st Class. He was also a proud member of the Chicago Teamster Union for 47 years working in both the Beer Industry and Packaging, as well as the Delivery Industry.

In 1951, Robert first laid eyes on the love of his life, Arlene Edith Penny, while she was passing through his neighborhood. While shy at first, he eventually worked up the nerve to ask her out on a date. Little did he know this small act of courage would change his life for the better. After just two years the pair got married at Chicago City Hall. Both of their parents had to sign off on the marriage because of their ages, but sometimes when you meet the right person you just know. One year later Robert and Arlene welcomed the first of their three sons into the world.

Besides work and his family, Robert had a passion for working on cars. He would often help those in his community by fixing up their cars for them at a discount and sometimes even free of charge. He believed in the importance of helping others. He also loved to boat and go camping in his RV during the summers.

Robert is survived by his spouse, Arlene E. Lindgren; his sons, Robert Lindgren Jr. (Linda) and Kevin Lindgren (Barb); 6 grandchildren; and 8 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his son, Keith Lindgren.

A Service will be held at a later date.

# Tribute Wall

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“ There are no words for the legacy Bob has left on your family and his friends.His shining personality will live on in all of our hearts.I'm so grateful to have been a small part of his life.My dear Arizona friend, May you RIP. ❤️

Anna - November 17, 2023 at 11:18 AM

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“ My most sincere condolences to the Lindgren family. Not many people may know of the generosity they have shared over the years. I can tell you the family is amazing! My Aunt Arlene was my 2nd Mom. They would take us camping, bring us to their house to swim in their pool in the summertime. They would also bring us kids to the work Christmas party every year. We were very poor and they helped us out every chance they could. Not only was it Aunt Arlene and Uncle Bob but their sons and wives as well. Their generosity will never be forgotten. Uncle Bob will live on in our hearts

Gina Suerth - November 15, 2023 at 04:28 PM

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“ Richard Oliver.....may the Good Lord keep you by his side and give you Eternal Life.God Bless and R.I. P. My friend and sending prayers to your Family and Friends.....Love from here.

Richard L Oliver - November 15, 2023 at 04:17 PM

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“ Arlene & Robert Jr.– Please accept my deepest condolences for the loss of your husband and father. May your many memories together bring you comfort during this difficult time. We thank you for entrusting Simply Cremation to care for his final arrangements.

Ashley Keesee - November 14, 2023 at 12:56 PM