



Robert Lee Avery, II

August 28, 1972 - February 7, 2026

Gone Hunting. Forever Loved.

Robert (Bobby) Lee Avery II, born August 28, 1972, in Pryor, Oklahoma, to Robert Avery and Marilyn Owens, departed this life on February 7, 2026, surrounded by his loved ones in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Bobby had a deep love for the outdoors and enjoyed coon hunting with his longtime friend Carl Reed, as well as deer hunting with his brother Andy and nephews. There was nothing he loved more than the sound of a coon barking up a tree, it meant a good night, a good dog, and a good story to tell. He could go from jamming out to old country like Red Sovine to rocking out to KISS and Mötley Crüe.

He also found joy in fishing, building fires with his grandson, and chasing his granddaughters for hours outside, soaking in every moment he could with the people he loved most.

Bobby spent many years working in Maintenance at the American Castings plant in Pryor before retiring. In retirement, he enjoyed auctions, hunts, thrift stores, and good music, always on the lookout for the next great find.

He is survived by his longtime partner, Tanya Tugmon of Adair, Oklahoma; his

children, Ashley Morrison of Langley, Oklahoma; Bryanna Kirk of Rose, Oklahoma; Jenna Yarbrough of Claremore, Oklahoma; Carol Jean (CJ) Avery of Locust Grove, Oklahoma; and Eric Potarf of Oklahoma; Mother of his children Lorinda Avery of Locust Grove; his siblings, Andy Harmon and wife Tamisha Harmon, and their children Cody, Dusty, Letitia; Robbin Wilson; and Christy Garcia; and his grandchildren, Wyatt, Lilith, Mallory, and Alexis.

Bobby is also survived by Carol and Carl Walden. Carol played a meaningful role in Bobby's life, opening his heart to the Lord.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, John and Delpha Jean Avery, who raised him and loved him as their own, and by his aunt, Sharon Hayes.

At this time, no services are planned. The family will gather at a later date to share information regarding a celebration of life.

Tribute Wall

CA

“ I miss my dad more than I could have ever imagined. I always knew he would pass since a young age and make up scenarios in my head and often fall asleep crying to them. This feels like just another scenario, but I have to remind myself that this one's real life. I miss him rest in peace, daddy.

CJ Avery - May 07 at 11:28 PM

WS

“ Wednesday Buck-Scoggin Scoggin lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Avery, II



Wednesday Buck-Scoggin Scoggin - February 11 at 07:24 PM

WS

“ Bobby and I grew up as neighbor hood friends. The past couple of years every time we ran into each other or chatted on fb, we talked about having a reunion for the West Side kids of Pryor Ok at Bobby Buck memorial Park where we made most of our childhood memories... I am sorry we never got to have that reunion with our friends... I miss opening FB and every single morning seeing his post saying " thank you God for waking me up another day" he loved life and was grateful for each day... He loved his family and friends... Bobby will be missed and always in my heart... RIP ol friend ❤️

Wednesday Buck-Scoggin Scoggin - February 11 at 07:24 PM



“ Tina Owens lit a candle in memory of Robert Lee Avery, II



Tina Owens - February 11 at 11:59 AM



“ I hate driving at night so he would always let me drive home before work. He would take me to work just so he could pick me up at night. He will always be my best friend and I miss talking to him but I know he is not suffering now. 💜 I love you dad.

Jenna Yarbrough - February 11 at 11:58 AM



“ Bobby n I started out as frieñds ,then married we coonhunted all the time lol I remember one time at like 6 mts pregnant w our daughter him helping me up a tree to shake out a coon lol he was a good man and dad and friend as well and he will be miss and loved forever by many❤️Tina Owens

Tina Owens - February 11 at 11:58 AM

LB

I met Booby when he and my niece Tina Owens was dating. My husband and I both thought the world of Bobby! He was always sweet and kind to me. Tease me at times. You will be miss and we love you. Always my nephew ❤️

Linda Baker - February 11 at 02:24 PM

MS

We were friends our teen years & reconnected on Facebook. One memory I have was we were out muddin down at Whorton bottoms in Murphy & I got stuck him & Ronnie told me to floor it and I looked back in my rear view & they were both covered head to toe! 🤔 I laughed so hard but they got me out & they had to hose off before they went home that day. I know he is with his Jesus, no more pain but selfishly gonna miss Bobby our easy friendship. Prayers for wife, children, grands, & loved ones. ☐

Meredith Standinwater - February 12 at 07:15 PM



“ Jenna Yarbrough sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Lee Avery, II



Jenna Yarbrough - February 11 at 11:53 AM

RC

“ I worked with Bob for years at American Castings on 3rd shift we became good friends....he always made the nights interesting lol his love for his family and friends was never ending I will miss him love you Bob

Robin Chambers - February 11 at 11:35 AM



He loved his time in American Castings with you. He would only really tell us the stories of him finding spots to sleep. He told my husband one time he fell asleep on top of a crane with the radio on his chest. He was a hard worker but he loved finding places he could slack off.

Jenna Yarbrough - February 11 at 11:47 AM

CJ

“ Me and dad would “sneak out” of the house at midnight to 3 in the morning while my stepmom slept to go to big cabin truck stop and eat□

CJ - February 09 at 07:21 PM