



William Boyd

June 8, 1959 - August 3, 2021

William Robert "Bobby" Boyd, 62, long-time resident of Grand Prairie, Texas, passed away on Monday, August 3, 2021 in Denton, Texas. Following a severe heart attack in early March, Bobby never fully recovered. His death leaves a deep void in our lives.

Bobby Boyd was born June 8, 1959, the son of the late Loyce Rueben Boyd and the late Ethel May Wilson Boyd in Dallas, Texas. He attended schools in Grand Prairie, graduating from South Grand Prairie High School. He retired recently after working as maintenance supervisor for many years in the Grand Prairie Independent School District, most recently at Lorenzo de Zavala Elementary School.

He is survived by siblings, Vickie Robinson and her spouse Charlie, David Boyd, Lisa Boyd Murphy, Teresa Allen, James Boyd; numerous nieces and nephews.

Tribute Wall

JB

“ Me and Bobby stayed at my Dad's house many years ...until he passed away at 85...I was always working as a custodian in Grand Prairie as was Bobby..I miss him picking on me...when Bobby passed it was so sudden..he was always working the day shift..and I always worked the night shift...

James Boyd - September 22, 2025 at 09:14 PM

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“ Bobby was a dear friend of the family. We met him when he became friends with Jose Tejada at SGP back in the 70's. When we first met him he was a shy young man. We considered him part of our family and he quickly adapted to our family traditions and customs. During his high school years and after, he was often at our house and at all our family events. He was kind, very respectful, and a gentleman. And a very dear and loyal friend to Jose. He loved coming to the house to eat tamales loaded with the hottest hot sauce my mom could make! He enjoyed challenging family members and friends to jalapeño eating contests. He always won. Once everyone grew up and went their own way we didn't get to see Bobby much. But we often thought of him. He will always be in our hearts and a part of our family memories. On behalf of all of the Tejada family and on behalf of our extended family members who got to know him and spend time with him , we offer our deepest condolences to his family.

The Tejada Family

Aurora Tejada

Jose, Patricia, Yolanda , Adriana, & Salvador

Adriana Tejada - August 12, 2021 at 12:58 AM

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“ *Mr. Boyd was such a kind and wonderful man. As a teacher at Zavala, I remember him doing everything to keep the school totally clean and helping all the teachers! He loved to travel, also. He had a heart of gold! I write this with a heavy heart because he was so dedicated and thoughtful always, to others. GPISD was blessed to have him working in our school district. I wish to express my most heartfelt sympathy to his entire family. At Zavala we all held him in the greatest respect.*

Mary Jane Demos

Mary Jane Demos - August 05, 2021 at 02:14 PM

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Mr Boyd was one of the sweetest people I ever met! I was a teacher at Zavala and he would go out of his way to help us and go above and beyond his regular duties to be of assistance! The school was always spotless and he would blush when we would commend him for his hard work and dedication! Zavala was never the same when he went to Bush! He was missed by all of us still at Zavala! He always had a smile on his face! I was vey sad to hear of his passing. He touched the lives of MANY people!

petra ratliff - August 05, 2021 at 03:34 PM