



## Bob Martineau



**1938 - 2005**

Universal Sales regrets to announce the unfortunate passing of a dear friend. Bob Martineau passed away on December 28th, 2005 from a heart attack that took his life quickly and without warning while on vacation in Arizona. More than a loyal employee, Bob was our friend. Bob worked for Universal Sales in the customer service department from 2003 until his passing at age 67. Prior to working at Universal Sales, Bob worked at United Pipe & Supply for more than 23 years. He was well known and well respected in the irrigation industry where he chose to make his living. The irrigation industry and the people associated with it have lost a long time friend.

Bob was born Robert Frank Martineau on July 1, 1938 in Elk River, Minnesota Son of Clifford & Elvera Schaak Martineau. Bob graduated from Elk River & Pillsbury Military Academy in Minnesota and Eastern Washington State College in Cheney, Washington. After serving in the Air Force, Bob settled in Spokane, WA. In 1978 Bob moved to Eugene, OR. Bob enjoyed car shows, where he won numerous prizes for the 1956 Ford Thunderbird that he and Clara Fay Anderson, his life partner, restored to show caliber condition. Bob and Clara Fay also enjoyed square dancing. In the most recent years, Bob and Clara Fay enjoyed spending a few months each winter in Arizona on vacation where they went sand railing and four wheeling in the desert.

Bob is survived by his life partner Clara Fay Anderson; his mother Elvera Schaak Martineau in Elk River, MN; his sister Betty Zohler in Rogers, MN; his brother Bill Martineau in Plymouth, MN; his daughter Sue Martineau in Sparks, NV; and his son Steven Martineau in Los Angeles, CA.

Regards,  
Universal Sales

