



Robert Thomas Soenksen

July 20, 1952 - March 5, 2015

Robert Thomas Soenksen, 63, of Ozark died Thursday, March 5, 2015 at Mercy Hospice in Fort Smith. Born July 20, 1952, in Germany, he was the son of Emily Lorene Tarver Soenksen and John Andrew Soenksen. He was a member of the Church of Christ. Bob was employed at The Spectator for 47 years, having begun work there at the age of 16 in March of 1968. A retired local, professional musician for 35 years, he had played in such bands as "Southern Comfort," "Allyx," "Eclypse," "Judge Parker" and "Southern Reign." He was preceded in death by a son, Craig. Survivors include four daughters, Shaniece, Candice, Andria and Danielle; two sons, Andrew and William, and five grandchildren. Cremation was under direction of Shaffer Funeral Home of Ozark. A celebration of life will be held at 1:00 p.m. Saturday at Shaffer Funeral Home Chapel. Memorials may be made in his name to the American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Thomas Soenksen*

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