



Robert Allen Mitchell

September 16, 1951 - June 21, 2025

Robert Allen Mitchell was born in Kansas City, Missouri and grew up in the Waldo area. He attended Hartman Elementary, Southwest High, and was a proud graduate of the University of Missouri. He developed a lifelong love for MU sports and the field of education.

While studying to become a teacher, as a single father he worked as bartender and high-end server in the Westport and Plaza areas. He often shared colorful stories from his time in the industry with his signature charm. He went on to teach at several schools in KCMO including, J.S.Chick Elementary. He also taught in the NKCS D at Golden Oaks and Fox Hill Elementary totaling 35 years. He was beloved by students and staff alike.

Robert and Denise shared a 33-year bond that was filled with love, faith, laughter, and an unwavering support through all life's joys and health challenges. He was preceded in death by his parents, Billie and William Mitchell, his sister Cindy Meyer, and his granddaughter Dominique Hernandez.

He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Denise Mitchell; his children: Jennifer Hernandez, Sam Hernandez (Myranda), Cassandra Cavanaugh, and Tiffany Mitchell; his eleven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

A Celebration of Life will be held on:

Saturday, August 16th, 2025

Arrival at 12 PM Service will commence 12:30 PM

Sheet Metal Local 2 UAW, 2902 Blue Ridge Blvd, Kansas City, MO 64129

In lieu of flowers please send donations in Robert's name - In Memoriam to be gifted to St. Gabriel's or our Lady of Perpetual Help.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG **16**. 12:30 PM (CT)

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2902 Blue Ridge Blvd
Kansas City, MO 64129

Tribute Wall

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“ *John and Sandy Beets purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Robert Allen Mitchell.*



John and Sandy Beets - August 14, 2025 at 11:57 AM

JB

“ *Denise
Please accept my apology for my post. Somehow instead of Bob in my first sentence I said God.*

John beets - August 13, 2025 at 04:16 PM

JB

“ *Denise and family*

I am so sorry to hear about the passing of God. He was a great friend and I will miss our conversations.

I met Bob at an in service when we were teachers in the KCMO school district. At inservices we shared teaching strategies and became good friends. I gained a lot of good information on games and activities that I could use in my physical education classes from Bob.

Bob and I both taught at Ladd our final year in the KCMO school year and attended a retirement

Celebration in our honor. That was a special day sharing it with Bob. After retiring we would sometimes meet up and go to some high school games in the NKC school district and we would eat out at a Mexican restaurant. We also enjoyed going to the NAIA basketball tournament.

Bob was always thinking how to make his Physical education classes more enjoyable for his students. I remember helping him with his Turkey trot at Fox hill. The kids loved it and looked forward to it every year.

Bob loved his job and the kids loved him. I never met a teacher that was as dedicated to his profession more than Bob.

Bob loved MIZZOU. I, a KU fan, would have some interesting conversations about our favorite teams always ending with a fun rivalry.

I could go on and on about Bob. I know he is in heaven and he has told the Lord above that he wants to get the children together for fun and games.

It is tough typing this through tears. He was such a good friend, person and co-worker. We didn't get together much over the past few years and I truly regret that now. However, I always looked forward to his calls and lengthy conversations.

Love you Bob. Till we meet again my friend.

John beets - August 13, 2025 at 04:11 PM