



Robert Wendell Lamb

October 10, 1961 - August 22, 2021

Robert Wendell Lamb, 59, of Cypress, Texas, suddenly passed from his earthly life to his eternal glory with Christ on August 22, 2021. Robert was a loving husband, devoted son, adoring father and Papa, loyal brother, cousin, and friend. He is survived by his wife Kathleen Lamb of Cypress, TX, mother, Helen Lamb of Hammond, IN, sisters Judy Lamb of Whiteland, IN and Patti Lamb of Merrillville, IN, daughter Stephanie Mendez (Frank Mendez) of Humble, TX, grandchildren Katie, Frankie John (FJ), Caroline, Matthew, Jacob, Abby and his sweet dog Darby, the “little gentleman.” Robert was preceded in death by his father, Wendell O. Lamb of Hammond, IN (originally from Wichita Falls, TX) and many other relatives in Indiana and Texas. Robert had a brilliant mind and was the hardest working person anyone ever met. He graduated from the University of Wisconsin as well as Purdue University in Hammond, IN—the city in which he was born. Early in his career, Robert worked for several companies in downtown Chicago which he loved. In 2000, he got a great opportunity to move to Houston, Texas as a Director with AT&T. Robert’s incredible people skills and being a subject matter expert took him all over the globe, including such places as Qatar in the Middle East. Robert was the consummate professional, working 12-14 hours a day. Everyone who worked with him was duly impressed with his stamina and ability to stay on a project as long as needed, working out every potential problem and detail. In 2016, Robert embarked on a new career with CDW. Robert’s motto was “he worked for men as if he were working for God.”

(Colossians 3:23) He was a well-respected, indispensable employee for CDW —working there for five years at the time of his passing.

Robert was a man of endless talents. He was the consummate musician. He excelled at lead, rhythm and acoustic guitar. He played an awesome bass, mandolin, keyboards, drums, and percussion. He always knew the perfect touch to add to any song, giving it the special “Robert” touch. Because he was such a versatile musician, Robert was always in demand with Houston area praise teams. He often filled in on Sundays at a moment’s notice at places like Fellowship of the Woodlands, Cy-Fair Christian, Creek’s End, and Sawdust Road Baptist Church to name a few. Additionally, Robert and his wife Kathleen led the One Voice prayer service at ChristBridge Fellowship in Tomball, TX for five years.

Being a part of corporate worship was really important to Robert. He recently joined Second Baptist Church Cypress Campus and enjoyed being a part of their Bible study class “Foothills.”

Volunteering was something Robert was very passionate about and lent a helping hand wherever needed. One such need was Living Water International. In 2014, Robert travelled with a team from Cy-Fair Christian Church to Guatemala, to help dig a well that provided safe drinking water for the local village. Robert also felt strongly about donating blood. For decades, he was a regular blood and plasma donor at Gulf Coast Regional Blood Centers in Houston. Robert also had a real passion for the KSBJ’s radio station prayer ministry. During their annual prayer-a-thons, he volunteered his time at the station, enthusiastically praying for all those in need.

As wonderful as all these characteristics and accomplishments are, what Robert loved most in the world was his family. Robert was a loyal and dedicated husband, devoted son, wonderful father, doting Papa, loving brother, cousin, and friend. He was always ready and eager to help whenever there was a need. It didn’t matter how tired he was, if anybody needed him for anything, Robert stepped up and gave his all to help. He truly loved his wife, mother, daughter, sisters, grandchildren, family and friends. Even though

Robert was not a biological father, he treated his daughter Stephanie and grandchildren as if they were his own blood. He always said he wanted to model his relationships in the way “Joseph loved Jesus.”

Our Robert loved and worshipped Jesus with his whole heart. And Jesus loves him. Robert was such a joy to the Lord. Rest in peace, sweetheart. Until the sound of the shofar!

Tribute Wall

KL

“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Kathleen Lamb - January 01 at 09:40 PM



“ Robert Wendell Lamb

July 20, 2022 at 05:14 PM

JS

“ I had the honor and privilege of working alongside Robert over the past few years at CDW. Robert was truly my partner in crime – we talked almost every day. Robert touched so many lives while at CDW in such a meaningful way; he regularly jumped in to help on a challenge or give a fellow coworker sound advice on how to navigate an opportunity with a customer. Customers, partners, and his teammates all benefited from his engagement and dedication to excellence. He truly exemplified what it meant to be part of a team and serving others.

Outside of work, there was also Robert, my friend. We would regularly speak about his passion for music and for the love of his family and grandchildren. I'll never forget how proud Robert was of his family – when he would speak of his grandchildren, the joy was overflowing. I will sorely miss Robert and the conversations we had, the problems we solved together, and for his incredible influence on the people around him. Godspeed Robert, we will never forget you.

Jeff Simon - September 11, 2021 at 10:04 AM



“ 5 files added to the album *Memories of Robert*



Addison Funeral Home - September 10, 2021 at 09:15 AM



“ 8 files added to the album *Memories of Robert*



Addison Funeral Home - September 08, 2021 at 01:44 PM

BE

“ 20 years ago, shortly after my husband and I moved to Houston, TX, we met Robert as we were searching for our new home. It was just after September 11, and the realtor at the model home in Highland Timbers showed us a home that was being built and told us that Robert wouldn't mind if we would walk through his home since it was the same house plan. That was the first time we met Robert. We were impressed with his kindness and fell in love the the neighborhood and our new home. We loved that we had the best neighbors ever in that neighborhood. Everyone felt like family. Robert was involved in many of the social activities there and we soon became friends.

Around that time Robert met and married Kathleen and we were very excited for them.

We had our first, then our second child and before we knew it we were outgrowing our home. We eventually built a larger home and moved away. Unfortunately, we didn't get to see Robert again although we tried to find a time that worked.

Kathleen and I were able to get together once or twice for lunch and that was always very special. I envisioned all of us gathering for dinner. It is unbelievable that we are talking about Robert in the past. He was such a great guy who always had a smile and kind and encouraging words. He will be missed by everyone who knew him. Love and prayers. ☐💔🙏🙏🙏

Beverly - September 07, 2021 at 05:54 PM

KL

Bev you truly are a gift from God. You knew Robert and I'm so glad I got to meet you through him. Thank you for writing such a nice tribute and thank you for being a wonderful friend.❤️

Kathleen Lamb - September 26, 2022 at 06:05 PM

KB

“ It was a great pleasure working with Robert at CDW for the years that he worked with the South Texas branch. Robert was personable, intelligent, hard-working and always willing to lend a hand whenever asked. I will miss him and whoever succeeds him will have some incredibly large shoes to fill. My deepest condolences to his family.

Kevin Barrett - September 07, 2021 at 02:53 PM



“ 9 files added to the album Memories of Robert



Addison Funeral Home - September 07, 2021 at 09:02 AM

TH

“ I had the pleasure of working with Robert at CDW; the coworker, DJ, husband, father, grandfather, and friend. He was always the person to turn a room/group/meeting into something lively. His attitude and outlook were really contagious. To back it up, his intelligence always shone through.

In the simplest way I can put it, he was full of love and he shared it. He always took the time to try til lift others up. He was a great person. He will be truly missed.

Tim Hanrahan - September 04, 2021 at 08:23 PM

RS

“ *These memories are wonderful, and I'm sure they will be special to Kathy, Stephanie and Robert's family.*

Reading them you find common themes: integrity, caring, dependable, intelligent, hard-working. However, the best description for Robert is Believer. In every action and every relationship, his Christian belief was front and center. We live in hard times, and many of us are "part-time" Christians and exercise those beliefs when convenient. However, Robert demonstrated his love and commitment to his Lord and Savior every day and in every interaction. He made a difference in many lives. What a testament!

Robert and I did not have brothers. However, I have been blessed to have awesome brother-in-laws, including Robert. I was always pleased when Robert called me "Brother". That simple phrase made me feel included, respected, and part of his family.

My thoughts and prayers are with Kathy, Stephanie and Robert's family and friends. May the Lord bless you and comfort you.

Rest in peace, Brother.

Ralph Sisco (Brother-in- Law)

Ralph Sisco - September 04, 2021 at 02:51 PM

CH

“ Robert was such a huge mentor to me throughout my career at AT&T(he worked for the company for many years). I will never forget when he visited my office in Austin Texas. He shook hands with all of the leadership and bragged to them about me(even tho I was young and very dumb at the time). Afterwards, he took me to lunch and shared such words of wisdom, I didn't want it to end! Throughout the years Robert made it a point to reach out when I needed it most! I will never be able to truly thank him the way he deserves but I sure hope that he somehow knows the huge place he holds in my heart! Love you always sweet cousin. My thoughts and prayers to his beautiful wife and family. ❤️

Caitlin Hash - September 04, 2021 at 12:27 AM

JV

“ Robert Lamb and I had the pleasure to start our CDW careers the same day. I quickly learned about his passion for his family, music and his faith. These were three things that bonded us immediately.

Little did I know that he and I would work so closely with one another just a few years later. In our most current positions, we were required to interface with each other on a daily basis. Robert's work ethic, attention to detail and his execution were at the highest of levels. While these were areas that I appreciated and admired so much, that is not what I'll miss the most. You see, after Robert and I would handle our business needs, we would check in on each other spiritually and would have encouraging conversations that would leave us both recharged to continue our daily work. We became close friends over the years and will miss those priceless moments.

Lastly, as I was processing and reflecting on my good friend, I found myself in front of some instruments in my home and just started playing music. As Robert and I have shared to one another, music can sometimes be the best way to express yourself when words cannot explain. In honor of Robert, I released the song *Reflections With My Friend*. My prayer is that it comforts everyone who needs comfort during these difficult times.

<https://distrokid.com/hyperfollow/joelvargasmusic/reflections-with-my-friend>

With much love from a close friend.

Joel Vargas

Joel Vargas - September 03, 2021 at 12:56 PM

SS

“ To my brother-in-law, Bob, there’s one thing I wish I would have told you; and that’s how wonderful it was to see my sister-in-law so happy. I’ve know Kath since she Just turned nine, as she quickly told me when we first met, so it was easy to see difference; you really made her life better with your love for her, and your faith and love of music just added to to it. It was also great to see you with the rest of the family, you made a wonderful father and grandfather, for Steph and Frank and kids. And I will miss you greatly, with your knack of making great conversation, your helpfulness, your pleasantness, the fact that you always made the effort to visit, even when you came up here with only a couple days to see your mom (my husband and I will miss those breakfasts we had together), but most of all how happy you made Kath.

Sharon Shudick - September 03, 2021 at 06:42 AM

JE

“ If there is one word to describe Robert, it is extraordinary. He was an extraordinary person who left this world too soon. He was passionate about God, his family, his friends, music, his job & serving others. He had a heart of gold. He had a tremendous sense of humor. He always saw the positive in people & situations. Robert had a deep desire to follow God’s will & his prayers were always fervent & deliberate. His life was dedicated to the service of God & others. He will continue to be an inspiration to all whose lives he touched. We met Robert & Kathleen when we joined ChristBridge Fellowship in 2013. Kathleen & Robert are truly soul mates. Their combined musical talent & passion for worship led them to start a ministry called OneVoice. It was through OneVoice that we developed a wonderful friendship with both Robert & Kathleen. We feel so very blessed to have known Robert in this life. Our love & prayers are with Kathleen & all of the many family members he leaves behind. We know Robert is rejoicing in heaven & we can’t wait to see him again!

James & Nina Etheredge - September 02, 2021 at 06:07 PM

JB

“ I had the privilege to work with Robert for 4 years at CDW. He was so impressive with not just his career experience, but rather more in the way he communicated daily with people he interacted with. He always listened very intently, was never distracted, and repeated back exactly what he heard...and he did this during almost every conversation. This alone made you feel important and that your thoughts mattered and should be discussed. He was a true professional and complimented his skills with a tremendous work ethic. I always loved having Robert in my corner as we took down large deals and earned customer business. He was passionate about taking care of people.

Robert had a few timely compliments for me that I will not forget. I have enjoyed reading about his passions and character outside of the professional world. I knew him to live with the utmost integrity. Robert will be greatly missed.

Jamison Bills - September 02, 2021 at 05:52 PM

SM

“ Robert was my step-father, but to me he was the father of my heart. He always gave and gave and gave without asking anything in return. All he ever did was think of me, my husband, and my children first. My heart is broken. I wish I would have shown him more appreciation for how much he loved me and cared for me. Some people don't know a love like his in a lifetime. I love him so and he loved me. His absence will truly be felt. I love you Papa.

Stephanie D. Mendez - September 02, 2021 at 05:41 PM

RS

“ I met Robert Lamb (of course I called him Bob), some years ago. From the very beginning, I had a feeling that he was a Great Guy who liked music, guitars & old amps yet he was Religious as well. Whenever my wife & I went to Texas, we had to go visit Southpaw Guitar Store , to go look at all the Left-Handed guitars including basses. However, when I think of Bob Lamb, there is something else that comes up 1st. Whenever he was in town & we went for Breakfast, he would stop & say a beautiful Prayer before we got too serious about the food. Now whenever we went to Lunch, We would stop talking , & again Bob would offer up a beautiful Prayer for our Lunch & being grateful to the lord. Lastly , when we went for dinner, , like a Ritual, a Prayer & Blessing was in order. Of course it was Thanks to the Lord, for how blessed we are, & Thanks to the Lord for that. When I heard that Bob was seriously sick, I wondered why did the Lord take him. It dawned on me after he passed that the Lord needed him to say the Prayers, because he did that so well, & he took the Job.. He was a Great Religious Man with a new Job.. Amen.. From Bob Shudick Brother In Law..

R L Shudick - September 02, 2021 at 04:16 PM

HL

“ Robert and I worked together at CDW since 2019. He was always the first person to stand up and greet you when you walked in the room. He was upbeat, friendly, kind and always willing to step in and help when needed. I will miss chatting with him, attending customer meetings together, and just listening to him speak on our weekly meetings. It was an honor to work with and learn from him. My condolences to his family.

Hanh Le - September 02, 2021 at 03:40 PM

CS

“ I had the honor to not just work with Robert, but to learn from him. He brought a brightness and positivity to all those lucky enough to work with him. No matter the difficulty of the problem, Robert always led with class and respect. I will truly miss working with him and learning from him, he was an amazing co-worker and even better friend. We are so sorry for your loss, he was one of kind.

Carlos Sanchez - September 02, 2021 at 03:28 PM

DB

“ I worked with Robert at CDW and had the privilege of being on a few internal teams. Robert was a joy to work with and always had a positive attitude and good ideas. I looked forward to our meetings because I knew we could share a laugh with the group about something that was going on. I will miss him greatly. My condolences to his family. I feel blessed having known him.

Dave Basso - September 02, 2021 at 03:03 PM

LK

“ What a beautiful Godly heart Robert had! Thank you both for sharing your talents and love of Christ in our church. Kathleen we pray that all the beautiful memories you have to hold on to will ease the pain of separation at this time. We love you and are praying for your peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Linda and John Keltgen - September 02, 2021 at 02:37 PM

NC

“ Robert and I worked together at CDW for several years. Not only did I have the privilege of learning from Robert in his primary role as a Manager, I also had the pleasure of having him as part of the CDW Meditation Community. Robert encouraged his team to tune in to themselves and take good care of their minds and spirits, something overlooked by many corporate leaders. He was a light, a positive energy, a peaceful force at CDW and out in the world. I am forever grateful for Robert's friendship. He certainly left a beautiful mark during his time.

Nadene Cherry - September 02, 2021 at 02:08 PM

GG

“ Robert was a very special friend and God used him in very special ways. He was absolutely genuine in all that he did. Robert was extremely gifted in worship leading and was an encouragement to all that he encountered. He was a man of God that absolutely lived his faith. My wife and I send our love to Kathleen. We can't imagine what she is going through but our prayers are going up for her and her family asking God to send his Spirit to give Kathleen peace and comfort in knowing that Robert is in the presence of God and he is now worshipping 24/7 with a brand new instrument. We love you Kathleen and we are here for you at any time.

Gary Goff - September 02, 2021 at 07:44 AM

DS

“ No words on what you are going through. This Arch that naturally formed on the Mackinac Island the past 10,000 years, makes me feel Jesus will be with Robert till you meet again. Robert lives on in you, your children, and all his family, church members and all who his love of Christ and strength touched each of them. This arched rock represents how solid his love was for all the aforementioned. Peace be with you. John 3-16. I met you on Facebook and your and Robert's faith inspired me to continue to be a victor and not a victim. Much love sister Kath Lamb. May the Lord continue to give you strength in this time of need. You like Job have gone to the pits of hell the past 19 months and losing your soulmate on top of all the trauma of 2020-2021. You are inspiring us all sister. Peace be with you. Daniel

Daniel Simpson - September 01, 2021 at 10:31 PM

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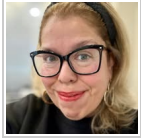


Daniel Simpson - September 01, 2021 at 10:28 PM

JS

“ Kathleen, you are in our prayers. Robert was a giant. He served our Lord with great humility and added to every worship service he ever attended. There's no replacing someone like Robert. He leaves a gaping hole in all of our hearts. Our God gives enough strength for today. Lean on Him and He alone as you travel through this trial. God's blessings on you, Kathleen! ~ Rev. Dr. Jan Sattem - Good Shepherd Church in League City where Robert and Kathleen shared their gifts with many.

Jan Paul Sattem - September 01, 2021 at 10:23 PM



“ I have known Robert and his family for the past 11 years. In that time I witnessed so much good that he did for his family, friends, community and even out of country missionary work. He was a genuinely kind hearted Christian. As I think of Robert I can honestly say he was a joy to be around with so much positivity. He was funny, super intelligent and a great conversationalist no matter the topic. My heart breaks for his family especially his wife Kathleen. In loving memory of someone super special that will not be forgotten and has left far too soon.

Patty Lopez - September 01, 2021 at 10:15 PM

SZ

“ Robert was always smiling when I saw him and his wife Kathleen at our church. His smile always blessed me because he was doing what he loved. Sharing the gospel through music. We continue to be in prayer for Kathleen and family!



susan zohn - September 01, 2021 at 07:27 PM

JR

“ Robert & his Wife Kathleen would always be ready to fill for my Husband & me with music when we would not be able to be at Sawdust Rd church. They always did an awesome job. Everyone was glad to have them. Robert will be truly missed, but we know that he is healed & in the presence of his Lord & Savior Jesus Christ, whom he loved so well. We continue to pray for Kathleen & their Daughter for comfort and strength at this time.



Russ & Jac Rickmann

Jac Rickmann - September 01, 2021 at 05:39 PM

PH

“ Robert, My Beloved Brother in Christ You will be missed, not only by your Family, but by all of the Family of Christ who were blessed to know you! We were always planning to spend more time together, but we will have eternity! Love you and need you!! LUNU!! Pastor Bill Harrell

Pastor Bill Harrell - September 01, 2021 at 03:10 PM

YA

“ Robert was my co-worker at CDW and I have so many good memories of working together with him. He offered help in difficult situations, always came to the rescue, was positive and supportive in any circumstances. He offered kind words of encouragement just at the right time. Robert was never afraid to jump into fire, he was like a super hero at work. He cared about everyone and it seemed like he had magical super powers that always worked. I am grateful our paths have crossed, even for a short period of time. CDW will not be the same without Robert. My deepest condolences go out to Robert's family.

Yana Yatkovskaya

Yana - August 31, 2021 at 02:16 AM



“ Robert was an incredibly gifted musician and used his talents to serve God and others. He served generously and faithfully at ChristBridge Fellowship for several years. It was great playing with you Robert. Kathleen, you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Rita Coore-Widener - August 28, 2021 at 12:33 AM

JM

“ Robert was a wonderful human being, a great coworker, a coach, and someone I am proud of having the privilege of working with.

My heart goes out to the family. He will be missed.

God bless

Joe Martinez - August 27, 2021 at 09:33 PM

RH

“ My name is Robbie Harrell and Robert Lamb was my co-worker and peer for many years at AT&T. I always thought Robert was one of the smartest guys in the room as we worked side by side to promote, sell and deliver Consulting services across the globe.

I used to always chuckle when Robert was presenting to a senior executive audience and he would say "now let me unpack this slide for you". I would know by these words that Robert Lamb was about to WOW the audience with his incredible intelligence and outstanding presentation skills. I always admired his enthusiasm and passion and the way he carried himself. Just a great guy to know and work with.

Robert and I lost touch after he moved on from AT&T, but I still think of him often. I am so sorry that he is gone and my heart goes out to his friends and family. We truly lost a good man.

Robbie Harrell - August 26, 2021 at 04:54 PM

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Yana Yatkovskaya

Yana - August 31, 2021 at 02:15 AM

RP

Robert was always such a kind generous man. I have known Robert since him and Kath married. He made his family secure with love, God, and every way needed. He always showed concern of how I was doing. I can honestly say he always brought a smile to my face when I did see him. I never ever heard him say anything but a kind word about anyone. He made my dear friend happy and that was the most important thing to me. The music connection between those two were amazing. They clicked. The loss of Robert to everyone is unmeasurable to the greatest extent. Even though I live far away it didn't matter. That's how Robert's character was. May he be flying with the Angels enjoying every moment of eternity with his family above and with Our almighty Savior. Kath and Steph and extended family you have my prayers and condolences always.

Roxanne Poturalski - September 01, 2021 at 07:06 PM

BH

Will dearly miss Robert and his incredibly positive attitude. Robert was a great leader, mentor, and someone who I could always count on no matter the challenge we were attempting to solve. Robert was one of the hardest working people I have had the pleasure of working with. Going to miss all of the humor, tutelage, and positive vibes Robert brought to our team on a weekly basis. Robert and his family will continue to be in our prayers.

-Brian Huber

Brian Huber - September 02, 2021 at 02:04 PM

TC

I had the honor of working with Robert for three years at CDW. When I first met him I thought "there is no way that a person can be that happy and optimistic every time I talk to him" but it's absolutely the way he was. He really helped me to build some really great relationships with colleagues and clients. He would let me blow off steam if I was having difficulty with a client or a project was going sideways, and he was really good about putting me back on track if I was the one that could improve the situation. I was lucky enough to have lunch with him and some co-workers a few weeks before his passing. We never really talked about work; it was family and music for the whole meal. I will really miss his smile and enthusiasm. The world is a little greyer without him.

Tony Cooper - September 03, 2021 at 01:34 PM