

## **Robert Paul Dougher | 1947-2015**

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Robert "Bob" Paul Dougher

Robert "Bob" Paul Dougher, 68, of Rhome, died Wednesday, Dec. 30, 2015, in Decatur.

Funeral was Jan. 5 at Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church in Decatur with Father Thomas Dsouza officiating. Pallbearers were Chuck Boatner, Ed Malek, Howard Biel, James Macik, Teddy Privitt and Dennis Rhine. Honorary pallbearers were the Wise County Veterans Group.

Bob was born Nov. 24, 1947, in Peckville, Pa., to Paul and Dorothy Burns Dougher of Archbald, Pa. He married Mary Ellen Quinn May 18, 1968, in Olyphant, Pa. He graduated Archbald High School and Lackawanna Junior College. He served in the U.S. Army from 1968 to 1971 with an overseas tour in Korea.

Bob was a member of Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church in Decatur, an active member of Knights of Columbus (being a past Grand Knight) and a member of the Wise County Veterans Group. He was among the founding families of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Keller.

Bob was a retired U.S. Airways employee and an Argyle Police Department employee. He was preceded in death by his parents and two infant brothers. He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Mary Ellen; daughter Patricia Scott (Randy) of Rhome; son Joseph P. Dougher of Dalhgren, Va.; granddaughter Nicole Scott; grandsons Bryant Scott, Joshua Dougher and Skyler Dougher; sister Dorothy Dougher Jones (Robert) of Archbald; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.