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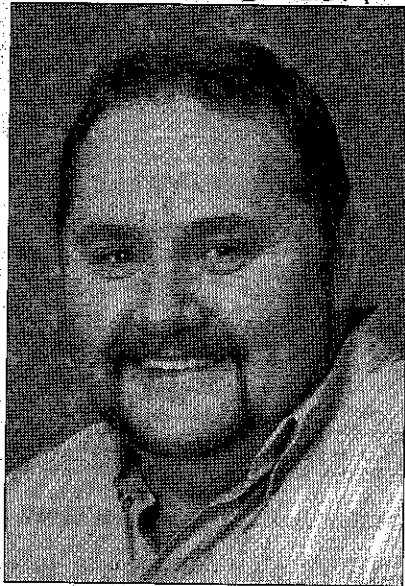
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Bob was preceded in death by his parents; his brother, Jerry; his in-laws, John and Pat Montgomery; and a brother-in-law, Phil Gibbons.