

*Face to Face*

*I had walked life's way with an easy tread,  
Had followed where comforts and pleasures led,  
Until one day in a quiet place  
I met the Master face to face.*

*With station and rank and wealth for my goal  
Much thought for my body, but none for my soul  
I had entered to win in life's mad race  
When I met the Master Face to Face*

*I had built my castles and reared them high,  
With their towers had pierced the blue in the sky,  
I had sworn to rule with an iron mace  
When I met the Master face to face.*

*I met Him and knew Him, and blushed to see  
That His eyes, full of sorrow, were fixed on me,  
And I faltered and fell at His feet that day  
While my castles melted and vanished away.*

*Melted and vanished, and in their place  
Naught else did I see but the Master's face,  
And I cried aloud, " Oh, make me meet  
To follow the steps of Thy wounded feet. "*

*My thought is now for the souls of men.  
I have lost my life - to find it again  
E'er since one day, in a quiet place,  
I met the Master face to face.*

*Funeral Service*

First Baptist Church  
Collinsville, Oklahoma  
Tuesday, January 2, 2024  
1:00 PM

*Officiating Minister*

Dr. Tim Prock

*Prayer and Eulogy*

Chad Fetzer

*Music*

*"Look For Me At Jesus' Feet"*

*"Il Silenzio"*

Musicians ~ Angie Bodley, Corbin Bodley,  
Scott Bodley and Gideon Bodley  
Pianist/Violinist ~ Corbin Bodley

*Casket Bearers*

Scott Bodley      Chad Fetzer  
James Hadley      Darrin Marks  
Scott Anderson      Leon O'Neal  
Richard Mullinex

*Honorary Casket Bearers*

Gordon Hayes      Enoch Cox  
Corbin Bodley      Gideon Bodley  
Jonathan Fetzer      Josh Hileman  
Levi Marks

*Military Honors*  
VFW District 5 Honor Guard  
Skiatook, Oklahoma

*Interment*  
Osage Gardens Cemetery  
Skiatook, Oklahoma

*Remembering with Love*

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*Robert Allen "Bob" Bates*



*October 13, 1938 ~ December 27, 2023*

*The Guestbook can be viewed and signed by visiting*  
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*Arrangements and services entrusted to*  
*Johnson Funeral Home*  
*Sperry, Oklahoma*