

In memory of Bobby Gene 'Bob' Morris**11 November 1933–24 January 2006**

The International Society of Animal Science is saddened to learn of the passing of long-time member Bob Morris at his home in Woodland on Tuesday, 24th January at age 72 from complications attendant with an unusual form of lung cancer.

Mr Morris was born on 11 November 1933 in Gore, Oklahoma. He graduated from Woodland High School and attended CSU at San Luis Obispo and UC at Davis. From 1952 to 1954 he served in the US Navy during the Korean War as a hospital corpsman. After his military service, he worked from 1954 to 1957 for International Minerals in Woodland as a research assistant and for 1 year thereafter for Aero-Jet in Sacramento as a laboratory technician. In 1958 Bob joined the Serology Laboratory, School of Veterinary Medicine, University of California at Davis, directed by Dr Clyde J. Stormont, as a Staff Research Associate. He retired from the University in 1982 as an SRA step IV to serve up to the present as President of Stormont Laboratories, Inc. Bob joined the International Society of Animal Genetics in 1982 and participated thereafter in the International Conferences of the Society, serving on the Election Committee as well as on Horse, Cattle and Dog Standing Committees. He was also a member of the National Bison Association and the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS). Bob co-authored around 20 papers published in prestigious scientific journals. He was a proud Indian Guide for the YMCA; coached Little League; a member of the 20–30 Club, UC Davis Cal Aggie Flying Farmers, Kiwanis Club, the Cherokee Tribe of Oklahoma; and was a past president of the board of directors for Yolo Employment Services, Inc.

Bob's survivors include Audrey, his wife of 50 years, two daughters (one adopted), three sons, eleven grandchildren, three sisters and one brother.