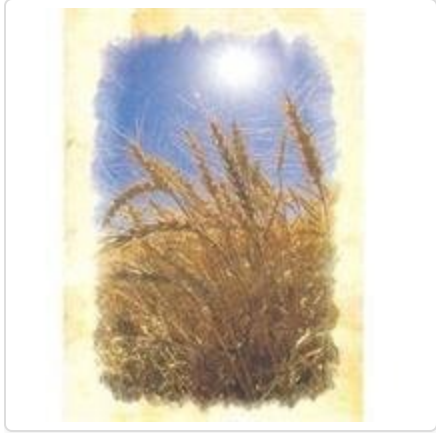




Leonard Simms

May 23, 1936 - May 23, 2012

Leonard Leon Simms, 76, of Minturn, passed away Wednesday, May 23, 2012 at the Walnut Ridge Nursing and Rehab Center.

Born January 24, 1936 in Minturn, son of Earl and Alma Naomi Hendrix Simms. He was a farmer, Insurance Salesman, and a former mayor of Minturn. Leonard lived his life by his own rules.

He was united in marriage to Anna Mae Anglin August 2, 1974.

Survivors include his wife Anna Mae Simms of the home; two sons, John Kevin Simms of Jonesboro and Alan Wayne Simms of Minturn; a daughter, Amanda Simms Thomas of Dallas, Texas; a brother, Alfred Simms of Rock Falls, Illinois; seven grandchildren, Derrick Simms, Kirk Simms, Linzi Simms, Randi Simms, Isaac Booth, Ezra Thomas, Keslie Simms and many other relatives and friends.

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Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **26.** 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bryan Funeral Home
415 NW Texas St.
Hoxie, AR 72433

Graveside Service

MAY **27.** 2:00 PM (CT)

Lawrence Memorial Park
Colonial Dr.
Walnut Ridge, AR 72476

Tribute Wall

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“ My deepest symphay goes out to the Simms family, during their most time of need. To Kevin & Allen Iam sorry to hear about your father passing, I remember back in the 70's we were just kids, and I was spending the weekend at your house. We were fast asleep in bed when your dad came in and woke us up to tell Kevin that a truck driver had just ran over his beloved horse. He was so gentle and heartbroken to tell Kevin what had happened, and I had wished at that moment that my own dad was as loving as your dad, I pray that your entire family has the love of Jesus on your side and that your father Leonard will rest in peace . God bless you Kevin & Allen I will always hold you both dear and close to my heart and will be praying for you guys. P.S. remember always {Stay Gold}.

Love in Christ , Your friend, Lynn Morris

tommy lynn morris - watervliet , MI - friend - May 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ Leonard was a good friend of mine and a haven't seen him in a while but he was a fine man, he and I had a lot of good times adjusting

Danny Glass - Wardell, MO - Good friend - May 26, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ My heart is very saddened over the death of Mr. Simms. I know he isn't suffering anymore but that doesn't take away the pain in everyone's heart. My prayers are with each one of his family members. If I can do anything for anyone of you, please let me know. God bless and I love you. May God give peace to each of you today and always.

Anne Phillips - Jonesboro, AR - May 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I loved to sit and listen to Leonard and Junior Abbott tell tales and stories. Those two could spin a yarn! Always one of the hi-lites of my trip south. Rest in peace.*

Deb Osting - Platteville, WI - Sister-in-law - May 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM