



Guy Orton

May 20, 2010

Guy C. Orton, 81, Topeka, passed away Thursday, May 20, 2010. Guy was born in Morris County, the son of Harold and Feo Hawes Orton. He graduated from Alma High School in 1946 and went on to serve our country in the US Navy until 1949. He married Darlene Herren in 1950. They later divorced. Guy worked for the Santa Fe Railway for over 39 years. In June of 1970, Guy married Marian Shipp Holliday and they enjoyed almost 40 years together. Marian survives. Guy was a member of First Lutheran Church and the Santa Fe Old Timer's. He touched many lives especially through his volunteering at St. Francis Hospital and his church. Other survivors include his sons, Richard Orton (Linda), Joel Orton (Claudia), Kevin Orton (Kathy), Rex Orton (Robin), and Richard Holliday (Gay); grandchildren, Michael Stanley (Kim), Alaire Wilson (Rob), Matt Orton, Joey Orton, Bennett Orton, Craig Orton, Makenna Orton, Max Orton and Makade Orton; and five great-grandchildren; sisters, Wilma Wenderott, Shirley Stuewe; step-brothers, Melvin Heideman, Pete Heideman; and step-sisters, Beulah Tenbrink, Mae Werst and Ardith Kuhn. Family will greet friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Road, Topeka KS 66614. Due to road construction, please approach from 21st and Urish. Funeral service will be at 1:30 Monday at First Lutheran Church with burial following at Penwell-Gabel Cemetery. Memorial contributions are suggested to First Lutheran Church or the Alzheimer's Association, sent in care of the funeral home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Guy Orton*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Marian, I just read the Pioneer e-mail about Guy. I know how much you cared for him these past years. My sympathy and prayers are with you and Guy.*

Jerry Lammers - May 25, 2010 at 06:28 PM



“ *Dear Marian, it has been awhile since you have been able to attend our Pioneer LMC meetings and I miss you. I pray your faith will bring you peace and comfort during this difficult time. I'm so sorry for your loss.*

Dixie Womack - May 22, 2010 at 03:27 PM



“ *Dear Marian: I could not have said how many years you and Guy had been married, but I knew it was a long time. I know these last few years have been very hard for you. Even your own health has been a challenge. I will be thinking of you as you rebuild your life once again. It just gets harder, doesn't it?*

Doris Derrington - May 22, 2010 at 02:28 PM