



## Raymond Kirkpatrick

January 12, 1917 - June 3, 2007

Raymond E. Kirkpatrick, 90, of Auburn, KS passed away on May 31, 2007 at a Topeka Care facility. He was born January 12, 1917 in Clay County MO, the son of Barney and Ada Kirkpatrick. Ray married Vanada Morris on Dec. 25, 1940. She preceded him in death March 30, 1982. Ray later married Norma Madden on Oct. 28, 1989 in Dover KS. Ray worked in the car business for several years, was a Topeka Reserve Police officer and retired from the State of Kansas (Capitol Police Div). Ray attended the Dover Federated Church in Dover KS. He is survived by his wife, Norma of Auburn and three children, Helen Ramsay (Jim), Belinda McGeeney (Tommy) of Topeka and John Kirkpatrick (Nona) of Cape Coral FL; and four very special step children, Mila Thomann (Russ), Tim Madden (Mary), Mark Madden (Chrisy) and Pam Dupler (Randy); 16 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren. Ray will lie in state at Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka, 66614, on Sunday June 3rd from 2 to 8 with family meeting friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Services will be held on Monday, June 4th at 10:30 a.m. at Mount Hope Mausoleum Chapel, 4700 SW 17th, Topeka KS. A private burial will follow. Memorial contributions are suggested to Heart of America Hospice, 3715 SW 29th, Topeka KS 66614.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Raymond Kirkpatrick*

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January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *My father, Marion Weeks, met Mr. Kirkpatrick when Raymond was about eight years old. Raymond's mother came from Missouri for the day to visit a woman who was a friend or relative in rural Lawrence, Kansas, bringing Raymond with her. The two women then went to visit my grandmother Fern Weeks. The two boys played together outdoors. They used a little wagon which Raymond said they could call their threshing machine. He wanted to take a wheel off the wagon which Marion wasn't sure was a good idea. They did it and enjoyed very much their day of play. (They did put the wagon back together at the end of the day.) Marion said that he was remembering that day recently and that he enjoyed meeting and playing with Raymond that one day long ago.*

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“ *Ray was an amazing man and will always hold a special place in my heart. Norma, I know this isn't easy but I also know God is with you every step of the way. Know that you are loved and in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**Amanda Belew** - June 03, 2007 at 10:56 AM

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“ I hadn't known Ray very long, although, I had the pleasure of meeting him and Norma, when my mother Doris moved into the apartments in Auburn. Ryan and I would visit my mother, and Ryan always enjoyed visiting with Ray out on the swing. He would show Ray his trains or cars and Ray always acted interested in what this 4 year old had to say. My sincere sympathies are with the family, and I know Ray is in a better place and out of pain. He will be sadly missed.

*Darlene Akers, Topeka, Kansas*

*and my grandson Ryan Sterling, Topeka, Kansas*

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**Darlene Akers and Ryan Sterling** - June 02, 2007 at 08:51 PM