



## Edwin "Bud" Cooper

March 17, 1932 - October 3, 2013

Edwin "Bud" Cooper, 81, passed away on October 3, 2013 at Freeman Hospital Joplin, MO. surrounded by his Family. Bud was born March 17, 1932 in St. Paul, Kansas to John and Edna "Gilbreath Cooper. Bud was a longtime Carthage resident. He was a heavy equipment operator for Master-Jackson construction and Mienfe construction for several years. Bud was a member of the Carthage Masonic Lodge #497 A.F. and A.M. Bud was united in marriage to June Ford February 27, 1966 in Oklahoma, she survives. Bud is survived by one daughter Dianne Seal and husband Troy Aikman of Pittsburg, KS and two sons Greg Cooper and wife Piper of Archie, MO and LeRoy Cooper and wife Teresa of Wichita, KS. Five grandchildren Seth Cooper and Ryan Cooper and wife Amber of Archie, MO. Brandon Gaddis of Pittsburg, KS, Crystal Mitchell and husband Dan of Pittsburg KS, and Jared Seal of Pittsburg, KS. Five great grandchildren Hunter, Hailee, and Presleigh Cooper, Gage and Gracia Gaddis all of Pittsburg, KS. Four sisters and one brother. A celebration of life will be held from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Sunday October 6, 2013 at the Ulmer Funeral Home Chapel. Contributions can be made to the Risen Ranch Cowboy Church care of Ulmer Funeral Home. Online condolences may be made at [www.ulmerfh.com](http://www.ulmerfh.com). Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Dianne, Crystal and Jared, so very sorry for your loss, will be praying for you during this difficult time! Love you guys!*

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**Debbie Mertz** - October 07, 2013 at 09:25 PM

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“ *Dianne and family I just picked up the paper  
So very sorry for your loss..Ron and I will  
Be praying for you and your family..if you  
Need anything please call me..*

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**Karla Wallace** - October 06, 2013 at 11:28 AM