



Jack H. Shrum

March 4, 1929 - June 4, 2011

Jack H. Shrum, 82, of Carthage passed away at 4:50 a.m. Saturday, June 4, 2011 at Landmark Hospital in Joplin. He was born March 4, 1929 in Pryor, Oklahoma. Jack was the son of Elzia Shrum and Lola Shrum. He had been a resident of Carthage since 1953, moving from Fayetteville, Ark. Jack worked at Schreiber Foods Inc. as a Procurement Specialist for just over 40 years. He served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict. Jack was a member of the Church of Christ where he formerly served as a Deacon. He was an avid fisherman, enjoyed gardening and spending time with his kids and grandkids. In his words he was a “Jack” of all trades and a “Master of none!” Jack was united in marriage to Eva Jo Harrison on August 31, 1953 in Huntsville, Arkansas She survives. Other survivors include two sons, Morris Shrum and wife Libby of Raymore, MO and Mark Shrum, Sr. and wife Terrie of Carthage, MO, two daughters, Jacklyn Highfield and husband Fred of Mt. Pleasant, TN and Lori Ball and husband Danny of Jasper, MO, two brothers, Fred Johnson and wife Jean of Bakersfield, CA and Burt Johnson and wife Norma of Bakersfield, CA, two sisters, Patricia Kirby and husband Lonnie of Hemet, CA and Jo Collum of Bakersfield, CA, nine grandchildren, Darryl, Carrie, Mark Jr., Kelby, Randie, Keegan, Sasha, Leighton and McKenzie and 6 great grandchildren. Services will be 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, June 8, 2011 at the Ulmer Funeral Home Chapel. Visitation will be 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 7, 2011. Burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery. Contributions may be made to Fair Haven Children’s Home in care of the Ulmer Funeral Home.

On line condolences may be made to www.ulmerfh.com

Tribute Wall

PF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. I have such good memories of Uncle Jack, he was a great husband, father, and grandfather. Love to all of you.

Pam Williams & Family - June 13, 2011 at 02:16 AM

CF

“ I have fond memories of Uncle Jack when we visited Grandad and Granny Harrison in Arkansas. Always lots of good food and kids everywhere!
Love to the family. May God bless all of you and help you through this difficult time. Have comfort knowing Uncle Jack is in a much better place.

Carol Stewart & Family - June 07, 2011 at 04:04 PM

KF

“ I'm so sad to hear of the passing of Jack. He was a dear man. Your family is in my prayers.

Karen Farmer - June 07, 2011 at 10:39 AM

JK

“ I had the pleasure of working with Jack for 7 years back in the late 70's and early 80's at Schreiber's. Jack was a gentleman and one of the nicest people I have ever had the chance to know. He thought the world of his family and enjoyed his role as a family man. I know the family will miss him and my prayers are with all of you.

John King - June 06, 2011 at 08:40 PM

LE

“ *Shrum Family, so sorry to hear of Jack's passing. Your family is in my prayers. Linda Cossey Epperson*

Linda Cossey Epperson - June 06, 2011 at 04:42 PM

VW

“ *My thoughts & prayers are with you & your family.*

Valorie Wheatley - June 06, 2011 at 04:29 PM

RD

“ *All our best wishes during this time of grief. Jack was a great guy and I am certain that he knew how much he was loved. How wonderful it is to have a loving support group to lean on when you are in need. Focus your minds and hearts on all the good times you all shared together and never forget that you are in our minds, hearts and prayers.*

Renee Taylor (Lonnie & Pat Kirby's Daughter) - June 06, 2011 at 01:26 PM

SL

“ *Dear Jo, Morris, Mark, and Daughters, i as so sorry at reading of the passing of your Father! He was such a kind and gently soul. He will be missed greatly by all that loved him. Your wonderful memories of him will help put a smile on your face in the days and years that lie ahead. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. Sherrel Wayne Lawhon*

Sherrel Wayne Lawhon - June 06, 2011 at 10:21 AM

SH

“ Jack was a wonderful husband, father and man. We have such fond memories of family gatherings. Our deepest sympathy to Aunt Jo, the Kids and all the grandkids. Mom, Dad, Corey and I want you to know you are in our thoughts and prayers. May each hug you receive give you an extra dose of comfort.

Sherry - June 05, 2011 at 04:30 PM

MB

“ My deepest sympathy is with the family. Let the good times and sweet memories of Jack comfort you in this time. I will keep all of you in my thoughts and prayers.

Misty Bays - June 05, 2011 at 09:36 AM