



## Owen Hurt

March 2, 1938 - July 15, 2013

Owen Hurt, 75, passed away July 15, 2013 at his home outside Carthage surrounded by his loving family and friends. Owen was born in Wright City, MO on March 2, 1938 to Eliga and Opal Hurt. Owen was a Carthage resident since 1977. He managed convenience stores in Springfield and Carthage then worked at Leggett and Platt for 15 years. Owen attended the Grand Avenue Church of God. He was a member of the Ozark Hillbilly Beemers motorcycle club and the Neosho Bee-Keepers Club. Owen was united in marriage to Fern Leighty on June 4, 1957 in Mountain Grove, Missouri, she survives. Owen is survived by one daughter Pam Leek and Husband Mark of Carthage. One grandson Matthew Leek and wife Autumn, one great grandson Olijah Leek. Owen is preceded by one sister Imogene Barnes and one brother Newell Hurt. Services will be held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday July 20, 2013 at the Grand Avenue Church of God, Carthage, Missouri. Visitation will be 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Friday July 19, 2013 at Ulmer Funeral Home. Interment will be at Hackney Cemetery. Online condolences may be made at [www.ulmerfh.com](http://www.ulmerfh.com). Contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society care of Ulmer Funeral Home. Arrangements are under the direction of Ulmer Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall

DC

“ Fern,  
I was so so happy today when you spoke to me, then I was so so sad when you told me your news!!! Owen was a wonderful, sweet, caring man and I know you are missing him greatly!  
Please keep in touch with me. I will be calling you and giving you my number. I will be praying for you for peace of mind until you and Owen are reunited in HEAVEN!  
HUGS to you! Dana Carver

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**Dana (Armstrong) Carver** - February 21, 2014 at 04:17 PM

PC

“ Sorry for your loss, Owen will be missed. May the Lord bless and keep you during this time of loss!

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**Paul Cook** - July 18, 2013 at 11:27 AM

RF

“ Very sorry to hear of the loss of Owen. Remembered him well from working at Leggett & Platt.

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**Rob Frederick** - July 17, 2013 at 05:02 PM

DS

“ Owen was a blessing to his friends, I enjoyed working with him. He will be missed. We will keep the family in our prayers.  
Joanna Sparlin

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**Darryl & Joanna Sparlin** - July 17, 2013 at 02:17 PM