



Edward L. Sumner

October 28, 1922 - February 28, 2010

Edward L. Sumner, age 87 of Toledo passed away Sunday, February 28, 2010 in Flower Hospital.

He was born in Gatliff, KY and spent much of his growing up years in Kentucky and West Virginia. Before entering the service he worked as a Coal Miner. He entered the military and served as an Army Medic during WWII. He relocated to Toledo and began his career as a Welder and Press Operator and eventually retiring from Chrysler. Throughout his life he loved Blue Grass music and became an expert on bluegrass trivia. After his retirement in the early 80's he kept busy "junkin" and recycling and donated all his proceeds to his church. He was a quiet man who had many friends and was always ready and willing to help someone in need.

Edward was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Ora Lee and second wife Anna and sisters Alice Hinkle and Beatrice Jones. He is survived by his children, Clarence "Bud" (Betty), Milton "Farley" (Carol), Wayne (Pam), Caroline Ellis, Janice (John) Slifco and Marilyn (Jimmy) Cooper; step-children, Roy (Gail) Wilmoth, Vicky Searcey, Debra Searcey, Teresa (Henry) Casiano; brother, Linzie Sumner; special friend, Anna Showman; 18 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren and 18 great-great- grandchildren.

Friends may visit at the Coyle Funeral Home, 1770 S. Reynolds Rd. on Tuesday from 2-8 p.m. Funeral services will held on Wednesday at 11 a.m. in Reynolds Corners Baptist Church, 6045 Door St., with Pastor John Gasgill officiating. The family will begin receiving friends at 10 a.m. Interment

Highland Memory Gardens.

Tribute Wall



“ I have many fond memories of summer vacations with Edward and his family. My thoughts and prayers are with everyone during this time, and I rejoice for the glad reunion in Heaven for Edward and Ora Lee, and a time when we can all be there together.##imported-begin##Sandy Wilson##imported-end##

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“ Hey Great-Grandpa, I miss you!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I was just thinking about you and wanted to tell you i love you!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Give my Great-Grandmas hugs and kisses for me and tell everyone up there that I miss them all alot too!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!! See you again one day!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I love you!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!##imported-begin##Jamie Walker##imported-end##

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I miss and love you great grandpa!!!

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“ I have loved and respected you for many years. You meant a great deal to me. You will be missed by me and the kids and grand kids. For give me where I have disappointed you. LOVE YOU always##imported-begin##Pam##imported-end##

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“ *My prayers go out to the whole family. May Ed rest in peace##imported-begin##Lola Urbanski##imported-end##*

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“ *Great-Grandpa, I love you and you meant the world to me!!! I know both my Great-Grandma's are loving the fact that you are with them now and so am !!! I will miss you always but I am happy to know you are at peace!! I love you ALWAYS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!##imported-begin##Jamie Walker twalker@buckeye-express.com##imported-end##*

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