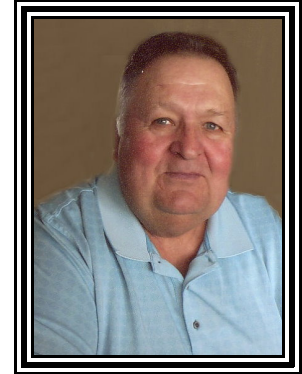


Obituary

Dean Shipley, 70



Everett Dean Shipley, 70, of Blackfoot, passed away on Sunday, April 3, 2011 at the Renaissance Assisted Living Center in Blackfoot after a courageous battle with Alzheimer's.

He was born on July 30, 1940 to Orson Floyd and Leone Ruth Call Shipley. He was the 4th of six children.

Dean spent his growing up years in Chesterfield, Idaho, making many great memories. He grew up working hard and playing hard. He went to school in Chesterfield until his family moved to Springfield, Idaho his senior year.

He met the love of his life, Juanita Ann Myers, in Idaho Falls in November of 1961. They knew it was right and married, January 8, 1962. Their marriage was later solemnized in the Idaho Falls LDS temple on November 6, 1985.

Dean managed a farm for JR Simplot in the Magic Valley. He returned to the Blackfoot area where he continued to farm for another 25 years.

He retired from farming and sold pivots and irrigation equipment for another 7 years after that.

He was a member of the Church of Jesus of Latter-day Saints. He served a mission with his wife at the employment office in Blackfoot. He also served as an ordinance worker in the Idaho Falls Temple as well as many other ward and stake callings.

Dean enjoyed fishing, hunting, boating, classic cars, snowmobiling, watching sports events (especially when his children and grandchildren were involved). He loved dogs and always had one by his side. He especially loved spending time with his family and above all else, his wife.

He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Juanita of Moreland; three daughters, Debbie (Chet) Robertson of Moreland, Shelly (Ted) Adams of Osgood, ID, and Cheryl (Alan) Pringle of Syracuse, UT; a son, Rick (Jackie) of Blackfoot; four brothers, DeVaughn (Pat) Shipley of Riverside, LeRoy (Sharon) Shipley of Wapello, Doug (Sue) Shipley of Pingree and Ron (LaNette) of Pueblo, Colorado and one sister, JoBeth (LaVar) Bradley of Aberdeen; 20 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a daughter-in-law, Jennifer.

Funeral services will be held 11:00 a.m., Thursday, April 7, 2011 at the Moreland LDS Church, 740 West 175 North in Moreland. The family will greet friends Wednesday evening from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. at Hawker Funeral Home, 132 South Shilling in Blackfoot and again Thursday morning from 10:00 to 10:45 a.m. prior to the service at the church.

Interment will be in the Moreland Cemetery.

Condolences may be sent to condolences@hawkerfuneralhome.com.