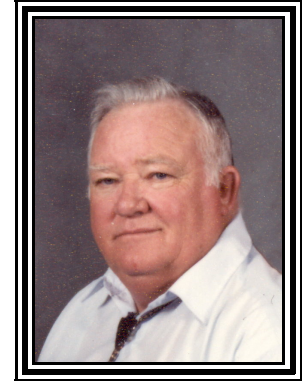


Obituary

Darrel Albert Walton, 81



Darrel Albert Walton, 81, of Blackfoot, Idaho passed away Tuesday, March 1, 2011 at Bingham Memorial Hospital in Blackfoot.

Darrel was born May 23, 1929 in Trenton, Utah to Albert LEO Walton and LaRue Petrae Humphreys. He was raised in Blackfoot and other than his time in the Army he spent his lifetime in Blackfoot. He attended Moreland Elementary School and graduated from Moreland High School. He served his country in the Korean Conflict in 1951 as a member of the United States Army.

On March 5, 1953 Darrel married Reva Margaret Miles in the Idaho Falls LDS Temple. Together they had six children, Darrel, Miles, Layne, Lorin, Sheila and Marcie.

Darrel worked security at the INEL for many years and retired in 1983 as Captain. He drove school bus during the winter months and worked for Bingham County in weed control during the summer. In his free time he enjoyed fly fishing, coin collecting and guns. He was a member of the American Legion and a life member of the NRA. Above all his greatest love was his family and being able to spend time with them.

Darrel was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. He was a scout leader, Sunday School Superintendent and was a High Priest.

Darrel is survived by his wife, Reva of Blackfoot; children, Darrel Lloyd (Vicki) Walton of Blackfoot, Miles Conley (Sheila) Walton of Idaho Falls, Layne Rodger Walton of American Fork, Utah, Lorin Ray (Susanne) Walton of Blackfoot, Sheila Kay Walton Nelson of Blackfoot and Marcie Rae (Bobby) Hill of Shelley, Idaho; sisters, Helen (Dal) Bradley of Burley, Idaho and Marjorie (Don) Harris of Idaho Falls; 23 grandchildren; and 44 great grandchildren.

Darrel is preceded in death by his parents; brother, Leo Burt Walton; sisters, Betty LaRue and an infant sister; grandson, Jayston Nelson; and great granddaughter, Brea Ann Walton.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, March 7, 2011 at the Blackfoot 4th LDS Chapel, 520 North Shilling Avenue in Blackfoot, with Bishop Paul Yancey conducting. Family will meet with friends and relatives from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 6, 2011 at Hawker Funeral Home, 132 South Shilling Avenue in Blackfoot and for one hour prior to services at the church. Interment will follow at the Grove City Cemetery. Condolences may be sent to the family at condolences@hawkerfuneralhome.com.