



Clifford S Cheney III

September 9, 1952 - April 6, 2017

Clifford S. Cheney III (64) of Toppenish passed away at his home outside of Toppenish on Thursday April 6, 2017. Clifford was born in Yakima on September 9, 1952 to Clifford S. and Doris (Foster) Cheney. His father died before Clifford was born and he was raised by his step-father, Everett Cook and his mother, Doris. Clifford graduated from Toppenish High School and served in the U.S. Army for 10 years where he married Kelly and they had Clifford and later married Joyce and they had Travis. Honorably discharged from the army Clifford moved back to Toppenish where he worked for High Country Juice in Selah for many years. He dedicated his life to supporting youth rodeo at his family arena south of Toppenish. As a young man he enjoyed trapping, hunting, camping and especially fishing. Clifford is survived by his two sons, Clifford S. Cheney IV of Cairo, Egypt and Travis Cheney of Toppenish; a brother, Byron of Prineville; three sisters, Karen Gulley-Wesselius of Zillah, Sue Burton of John Day, OR and Judy Fortenberry of Belverde, TX and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents. Graveside services will be held at the Zillah City Cemetery on Friday April 14, 2017 at 3PM. Friends can send condolences at www.toppenishfunerals.com. Colonial Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Clifford S Cheney III*

October 05, 2023 at 11:22 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss prayers for the family*



Pat Ross - April 14, 2017 at 04:08 PM



“ *Just so very sorry about this news. Very sad - Sending prayers and blessings to all the family. Hugs from Jill Albright, Lewiston, ID - sister of Janie Cheney*

Jill Albright - April 12, 2017 at 11:17 PM



“ *To the family of Cliff, I,m so sorry about what happened to Cliff he was very important to us ! He was very helpful to us and loved the rodeos that went on at his place! We loved him and he loved the animals and named all the stock! He will be greatly missed! God bless you all and we are here for whatever you need! Prayers and Love Joel and Sheree Knapp!*

Sheree Knapp - April 12, 2017 at 10:41 PM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. RIP Bub*

Sandi Walker - April 11, 2017 at 06:30 PM

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“Karen, so sorry to hear about the loss of your brother. Charlie and I are thinking of you and sending prayers for you and your family.

Beth and Charlie Downs

Beth Downs - April 11, 2017 at 11:35 AM