



Forest Craig

February 7, 1918 - August 8, 2009

Forest P. Craig (91) of Wapato went to be with Jesus on Saturday August 8, 2009 in Yakima. He was born in Davies, MO on February 7, 1918 to Jacob and Cora (Chase) Craig and was raised and educated in Missouri and graduated from high school in Kansas. He married Evelyn Harvey in Wapato in 1940 and they spent their honeymoon in a tent under an awning at a service station in Wenatchee. The next morning they were going to pick apples.

Mom and Dad had a wonderful marriage of 50 years. Dad was a great caregiver to Evelyn the last three years of her life when she became blind. He worked many years as a carpenter until retiring. He enjoyed fishing and hunting, was a member and deacon of the Wapato Assembly of God Church for many years. He drove for Meals on Wheels to the elderly in Wapato and delivered commodities to the shut-in's. Forest gallantly fought non-Hodgkins Lymphoma for five and a half years.

He is survived by two sons, DeWayne (Diane) Craig of Kenai, AK and Jim (Betty) Craig of Yakima; two daughters, Sylvia (Hank) Gott of Yakima and Olivia (Don)Lawrence of Wapato; 8 grandchildren, Bradley Gott, Denice Chappell, Michelle Heneghen, Kimerly Walsh, Brian Gott, James B. Craig, Karissa Lawrence and Kerrie Lynn Fries; 16 great-grandchildren, Cole Chappell, Dakota Craig, Damaris Craig, Desiree Gott, Justine Gutierrez, Dalton Chappell, Tyler Chappell, Ravyn Heneghen, Rainbo Heneghen, Brian Gott, Kortney Walsh, Kelsee Lawrence, Madison and Allison Fries, Katherine and

Cody Craig and Emma that is due in November; and one great-greatgranddaughter, Taylor Chappell. He was preceded in death by his wife, Evelyn in 1991 and one grandson, Daniel Craig.

Visitation will be on Wednesday, August 12, from 4- 6 PM at Colonial Funeral Home in Toppenish. Funeral Services will be held Thursday, August 13, at 11AM at the Assembly Of God Church in Wapato. Interment will be at Reservation Community Memorial Park. Friends may send condolences at www.toppenishfunerals.com. Colonial Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **12**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (PT)

Colonial Funeral Home
228 S. Alder
Toppenish, WA

Tribute Wall



“ *Forest Craig*

October 05, 2023 at 11:22 AM



“ *The memories of our families sharing holidays and fun times is even more special now that our parents are in heaven together. Your father was a special man who gave to his family and friends. He truly was a blessing from the Lord. God bless each and every one of you with peace and loving during this time.##imported-begin##Jean Enloe Ross##imported-end##*

August 13, 2009 at 08:22 AM



“ *Even though Grandpa Craig was my "step-grandfather", he and Gramma Craig treated my brother (Bryan Martin) and I like one of the family. It was wonderful to see him and spend time with him, last summer, in Kenai. A deeply caring/religious man who will be missed. I'm very glad he got to meet his great-granddaughter, Taylor; the 5-generation pictures will be cherished by us all. God bless, Grandpa Craig. Give Gramma Craig and Danny and hug for me!##imported-begin##Lysa Diorec##imported-end##*

August 13, 2009 at 03:17 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about your dad. We know he was having a rough time, but it is still hard to part with loved ones. We are thinking of all of you.##imported-begin##Lefty Lizotte and Erlene Cooper##imported-end##*

August 12, 2009 at 12:09 PM



“ So sorry to hear of the passing of your Grandfather/father.....
thinking of you all at this time. Annie##imported-begin##Ann Davis
Jenkins##imported-end##

August 12, 2009 at 10:59 AM