



Kermit L. Sheets

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Kermit L. Sheets, 72, of Dresden, died at 2:20am Tuesday August 2, 2011 at Emeritus At North Hills in Zanesville.

Mr. Sheets was born August 5, 1938 in Delaware, Ohio, a son of the late Forrest and Marie (Bradley) Sheets. Mr. Sheets, his brothers and his sister all served in Armed Services of the United States. He was an Army veteran and served from 1955-1958. For 18 years he managed Skagg's Drug Stores in Arizona, Nevada and Colorado. For many years he owned and operated Richwood Flowers and Gifts in Richwood, Ohio. He was a member of the Prospect U. Methodist Church near Dresden and after his son Mark was diagnosed with Lou Gehrig's Disease, he spent countless hours raising awareness and fundraising for the ALS Association. He enjoyed classic cars and was able to obtain the 1954 Mercury that had been in his family originally and spent many hours at car shows and parades.

He is survived by his wife, Athern (Thomas) Sheets, whom he married October 15, 1982; his children, Mike (Gina) Sheets of KY, Jamie (Ron) Arp of CA, Kermit "Kipp" (Michelle) Sheets, II of Colorado; a daughter-in-law, Maria Sheets of Topeka, KS; sister, Kathryn Sullivan and brothers, Kelly Sheets and Kris (Barb) Sheets all of Arizona; a sister-in-law Mary Kay Sheets of Delaware; step children, Charles Eric (Lori) Spiker, Kevin (Amy) Spiker both of Dresden, Debbie (Rick) Green of Zanesville; 22 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son Mark Sheets; brothers Kenny and Keith Sheets, a sister-in-law, Eleanor Sheets and a brother-in-law Lowell Thomas.

Friends may call 2-4 & 6-8pm Thursday August 4, 2011 at the Dresden Chapel, Vensil-Orr & Chute Funeral Home, 714 Main Street. A funeral service will be held at 11am Friday with Pastor Sharon Williamson officiating. Burial will follow in the Dresden Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the ALS Association, Development Department, 27001 Agoura Road, Suite 250, Calabasas Hills, CA 91301 or Genesis Hospice, 713 Forest Avenue,



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JG

Jim George posted:

I am sitting here at my computer today Aug, 18,2012. Looking at the Obit Picture of one of the dearest people in my life. Although we haven't talked to each other since I worked with him at Skaggs Payless Drugs in Phoenix Arizona. I have never forgotten him for one moment. I tried to track him down From time to time I would call around to see if locate him to just have a little chat he was always so good with advice for ones problemsin life. I just happened to Google his name today and, "pop" it came up in the obits. I am so regretful we didn't get to have that chat. I pray he is as happy with God as I was with, Him (Kermit) as a friend.If you want to talk about Kermit please call me here in Sacramento 916-642-9229Kermit, I remain your friend forever,Jim George

August 18 at 1:06 PM

AS

Amanda Sheets posted:

Mrs Sheets.....I don't know if you remember me, but I am also "Mrs Sheets" and we used to joke about it when you both would come to Good Samaritan...I was the cashier then. So very sorry to hear of Mr Sheets passing..I have nice memories of him. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

August 5 at 7:03 AM

DD

Darron Delancey posted:

I will always remember helping Kermit with the Dresden car shows and all the laughs we had at our Lion Club meetings. He will be missed.Darron

August 5 at 6:50 AM

EM

Erin And Jamie Miller posted:

You are in our thoughts and prayers.

August 4 at 10:13 AM

DF

Donna Freshwater posted:

Athern, I wish to extend my sympathy to you and your family.

August 4 at 9:40 AM



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JM

Janie McConnell posted:

I will remember Kermit and his sense of humor at the hospital. He was a very nice man.

August 4 at 3:11 AM

LH

Loraine Hooper posted:

Athern, We lift you up through this time of loss, however, we celebrate that we were allowed the privilege to be a part of your lives and to know Kermit. I looked forward to seeing him in church and at the gospel sings at Prospect, as did Bill. Bless you and your family through this time, and know that you are truly loved and supported, hope to see you soon.

August 4 at 2:08 AM

GS

Ginger Sarchet posted:

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Spiker families.

August 4 at 12:38 AM

JS

Jennifer Simon posted:

Missy, Sorry to hear of your grandfather's passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

August 3 at 6:23 PM

DU

Dave And Cheryl Untied posted:

May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.

August 3 at 4:23 PM

MM

Marilyn Mannarino posted:

Aunt Athern & family, I am so sorry to hear of Kermit's death. He has gone to a better place and will no longer have to deal with any pain or discomfort. I will remember most his sense of humor. He seemed to bring life to a room when he was there! God Bless you all. Marilyn Mannarino

August 3 at 4:04 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Athern: So sorry to hear about Kermit. You two were to very special clients to me when I was working at AAA. I will remember you in my prayers. Judy Lucas Sowers

August 3 at 9:15 AM



Bradley Saull posted:

Sorry to learn of Kermit's passing. I will remember his humor and his joy for life. Christina and I will not be making it back to Ohio in the next few days; however, we are thinking of you during this difficult time. With sympathy

August 3 at 5:45 AM



Anonymous posted:

Athern, Sorry to hear of Kermit's passing. May God be with you and bless you. Phyllis Kirkbride

August 3 at 4:54 AM



Chuck & Wanda Mcgilton posted:

Athern and family, you have our deepest sympathy.

August 3 at 4:39 AM



Sherryl Sheets posted:

Athern, So sorry to hear about Kermit's passing. I enjoyed working at Richwood Flowers with both of you. I have wonderful memories of your families and the cookies Aunt Gladys made! Take care and know that you are in my prayers

August 3 at 4:29 AM



Joshua Krasky posted:

Sorry to hear about your loss. Kermit was a great friend and will be missed greatly.

August 2 at 12:24 PM



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Anonymous posted:

Dear Athern, I was so sorry to hear of Kermit's passing. I have many great memories of working with you and Kermit at Richwood Flowers. Please accept my sincere condolences. Sheila Bradford

August 2 at 9:01 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Kermit by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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