



Mr. Jesse Ray Wilcox

April 26, 1922 - April 18, 2020

Jesse Ray Wilcox, son of the late George Washington and Olive Wayne (Talley) Wilcox was born on April 26, 1922 in Ensign, KS, and departed this life on April 18, 2020 in Sebring, FL. At the time of his passing he was 97 years, 11 months, and 21 days of age.

Jesse was born and raised during the great depression. His family was very poor, and his mother raised seven children by herself after his father left. At the age of 10 Jesse hopped on a train box car and headed to the state of Washington where he found a job working cattle. He was a hard worker his entire life and was immensely proud of the music store he owned and operated for many years. His strong belief in God was the rock his life was built on.

Jesse was preceded in death by his parents; his three wives, Anice, Dorthy, and Evelyn; three children, Robert, J. D., and Eileen; one grandson, Carl Ray Driskell; one great-grandson, Phillip Wilcox; and four sons-in-law, Ray Weber, Don Mabary, Gary Grieff, and Merl Welch. He is survived by four children, Noel & wife Jan Wilcox, Juanita Weber, Sue Thompson, and Gloria & husband Carl Simmons; 11 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; 20 great-great-grandchildren; and his golf cart buddy, Joker. He also leaves other family members and many friends who will all truly miss him.

Graveside services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, April 24, 2020 in the Bower Chapel Cemetery with Pastor Don Kelderhouse officiating. Services are under the care and direction of the Cantlon-Otterness & Viets Funeral

home of Buffalo. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Shepard's Chapel.

Cemetery Details

Bower Chapel Cemetery

Hwy 65
Urbana, MO

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR **24**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Jesse Ray Wilcox*

October 09, 2023 at 12:27 PM



“ *Mr. Jesse Ray Wilcox*

October 09, 2023 at 04:09 AM



“ *Mr. Jesse Ray Wilcox*

October 05, 2023 at 11:14 PM



“ *Mr. Jesse Ray Wilcox*

October 05, 2023 at 05:41 PM



“ *Mr. Jesse Ray Wilcox*

December 20, 2022 at 10:20 AM



“ *Jesse Wilcox will always be remembered by me as Dad, Jesse was my sisters father-in-law, I have known him more then 55 years. One of my fond memories was when he took Gary and I out for breakfast while we were visiting sister. The family said we should feel honored to be taken out because he so seldom did that. It was a treat from Dad to us. Dad you will be missed, we know you are with Anise and out of any confusion or pain. Love you Dad, Gary & Jannise*

Jannise Stallard - April 24, 2020 at 09:23 AM

JW

A very Loving message and Tribute to Dad Sister, he was one of a kind and truly loved his family, and Yes you were one of us Kids!

Just one of my many loving memories was when we were all helping build the house in LP and you had come for a visit. The day we were all over at the new place helping, You were in the septic Hole throwing the dirt out and Dad always, with loving intentions said, and she didn't mess up her hair or nails! He loved it...

He had wonderful talent, from playing piano, guitar, as an artist, his many paintings that he would give away to family and friends. He's led a remarkable life that he was very proud of and so were his children and grandchildren.

I will always Cherish the love that you have shown to me...

We all know that you are sitting now showing and sharing your talents with Our Maker and your Love to Our Savior...No pork Dad, no pork...

I Love you Dad, Rejoice in Him

Jan

Janette Wilcox - April 24, 2020 at 12:10 PM

PP

I am so sorry for your loss. I know he enjoyed Juanita and Joker going for golf cart rides with him. I know how much your family loved you. Our prayers are with you. Pauline and Larry

Pauline Price - April 24, 2020 at 08:31 PM

JW

My dad, my buddy. Such a big part of my life. Will miss you till we meet again.

Juanita Weber - April 25, 2020 at 05:01 AM