



Curtis Reid

January 26, 1930 - October 12, 2009

Funeral services for Mr. Curtis "Spud" Reid, 79, of Louisiana, Missouri, will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, October 15th at the Collier Funeral Home in Louisiana, Missouri. The Rev. John Lilley will officiate. Burial will be at the Elsberry City Cemetery in Elsberry, Missouri. Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 14th at the funeral home. Mr. Reid passed away October 12, 2009 at his home with his family. He was born January 26, 1930 in Detroit, Michigan to George S. and Leona M. York Reid. He spent his formative years in Troy, Missouri. He was united in marriage with Mary Louise Lahr on June 7, 1952 and she survives. He is also survived by 2 daughters, Sandra Bassett and husband James of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and Nancy Reid of Jefferson City, Missouri, 2 grandchildren, Ami Bassett and Kellie Bassett both of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, and 1 sister, Wanda Reid Ross and husband Hervey of Plantation, Florida. He was preceded in death by his parents, and 2 daughters, Paula Kay and Karen Louise. Spud and Mary made Louisiana their home in 1958 at which time he began his 30 year career as Pike County Memorial Hospital's Radiology Department Chief. He was a veteran serving with the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. Spud served his community as a member of the Masonic Temple and former director on the Buffalo Township Fire Protection District's Board of Directors. He was also well known in the community for his exquisite and unique woodcrafts and custom furniture. He enjoyed learning from others, honing his skills, and sharing his love and knowledge of woodworking

with others who shared his enthusiasm for the craft. Honorary Pallbearers will be Don Bronson, Bill Mitchell, Jeff Kneemiller, Firefighters of Buffalo Township Fire Protection District, and Spud's cousins, Ben Reid, Jackie Reid, Janice Watts, Buck Reid, and Everett Reid. Active Pallbearers will be Edward Muff, Rick Shuford, Francis Wagner, Rick Greenwood, Billy Mitchell, and Karl Dewey, III. Memorials may be given to the donor's choice in care of Collier Funeral Homes, Inc., 117 Barnard Drive, Louisiana, Missouri 63353. On-line condolences may be sent at collierfuneral.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Curtis Reid*

November 08, 2022 at 10:35 AM



“ *Curtis Reid*

November 08, 2022 at 08:46 AM



“ *Nancy - we are thinking of you in this trying time. Let us know if there is anything we can do for you.*

Cindy Theissen - October 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Mary, Donald and I are so saddened to hear of Bud's passing. You have our love and deepest sympathy for your loss.*
We didn't get to visit near often enough, but when we did it was such fun!
Bud, Harry and Donald must have been the fearless "three musketeers", while growing up. What one didn't come up with, (in remeniscing) as kids, one of the other two would! It was just such fun listening to them. You don't imagine, just for a moment, that they were trying to "out-do" each other, do you?
We will miss Spud, just as we do Harry, but we will never forget him. You are in our thoughts and prayers.
God bless you and may He give you the strenght to move forward; remembering the happy times; knowing some day you will be re-united, not only with Spud, but with all your loved ones. Sincerely,
Donald and Dolly Bueneman

Donald & Dolly Bueneman - October 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ Dear Mary Louise,
My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Love,
Shirley

Shirley - October 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM

RH

“ My dear Mary Louise,

My prayers and thoughts are with you and your family as you grieve the loss of Spud. You gave him such loving care! He is rejoicing with his Maker and can suffer no more.

Much love and many prayers,
Roberta

Roberta and Errett Harding - October 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Each of you is in our thoughts and prayers during this time.

John and Heather Clemens - October 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM