



## Lawrence E. Neal

November 27, 2011

Lawrence E. Neal, 79, of Cape Girardeau, MO, died Sunday, November 27, 2011 at Missouri Veteran's Home in Cape Girardeau, MO. He was born September 17, 1932 in Sturgeon, MO to Russell and Alice Ott Neal. Lawrence first married Esther Ott May 14, 1953 at Sturgeon, Missouri. She preceded him in death December 3, 1990. He then married Claudia Vogt June 29, 1991 at Ste. Genevieve, Missouri. He served his country in the U.S. Air Force. He retired from Gilster Mary Lee in 1994 after 18 years. He also had been manager of the Bartle's Farm in St. Mary, MO over 7 years. In 1975 his family was awarded as the Missouri State Farm Family of the year at the Missouri State Fair. He was a member of Trinity Gospel Church in Sikeston, MO. Survivors include : Wife - Claudia Neal, Cape Girardeau, MO Son - Edward P. Neal (Gloria), Lexington, SC Son - Russell D. Neal (Peggy), Cape Girardeau, MO Son - Shawn W. Vogt (Jennifer), St. Mary, MO Daughter, Alice Chandler (Daniel), Jackson, MO Daughter - Deborah Smith (Steve), St. Mary, MO Brother - Richard Neal of the state of Texas Sister - Laverne Jennings, Sturgeon, MO Sister - Myrtle Ritchie, Centralia, MO Sister - Carol Maxine Bowen, Sturgeon, MO Sister - Geraldine Tinker, Sturgeon, MO and 10 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, 2 great-great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, first wife, 2 brothers and 1 sister. Visitation will be from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Wednesday, November 30, 2011 at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau. Funeral will be at 10:00 AM Thursday, December 01, 2011 at the funeral home with the Rev. Larry

Davis officiating. Burial will follow at Bloomfield Veteran's Cemetery in Bloomfield with full military rites by Missouri Honor Guard.. Memorial contributions may be given to the Missouri Veteran's Home 2400 Veteran's Memorial Drive, Cape Girardeau, MO 63701.

# Tribute Wall

RW

“ *My thoughts & prayers are with you today. I know this is not easy. GOd bless you.*

Robin Worley - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. May God hold each and every one of you in his heart and comfort you during your loss. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

Nickie (Taylor) Ditch - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *The family members are in our thoughts and prayers.*

Cindy Stone - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *May God watch over you and the family at this time. That He gives you peace & assurance that he is now - 'Home'- in the presence of the Lord. He has been made whole-no pain or suffering. May your days ahead be fulfilled with precious memories that you shared and strength to carry on. In His Love*

Sheila White - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

VA

“ *I would like to express my deepest sympathy for the loss of your loved one. I hope that your wonderful memories of him will bring you peace at this difficult time. I am thinking of you and praying for you every day. May God comfort and bless you and surround you with the love of all of us who know you.*

Vicki Adams - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ My heartfelt sympathies to the family in the loss of a father. May it help you to know that the hearts of others are deeply touched by your loss. Even though our hearts ache, we can find comfort in the God of all comfort whose is near to us with a broken heart. (Psalms 34:18)

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**A. Jackson** - April 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM