



## Samuel Edward Salmon

January 19, 2014

Samuel Edward Salmon, 80, of Thebes, IL died Sunday, January 19, 2014 at St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau, MO. He was born February 21, 1933 in Cairo, IL to Paul and Ouida Fults Salmon. He first married Patsy Trexler in 1952. She preceded him in death in 2000. He then married Earlene Fisher on May 24, 2005 at Wickliffe, Kentucky. Mr. Salmon was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Mounds City, IL. He received a Bachelor's Degree in teaching from Southeast Missouri State University and a Master's Degree in Industrial Arts Education from Southern Illinois University. Survivors include : Wife - Earlene Salmon, Thebes, IL Son - Bruce E. Salmon, Cape Girardeau, MO Son - Paul A. (Denise) Salmon, Cape Girardeau, MO Sister - Sydney Heggood, Jacksonville, FL Six grandchildren One great grandchild He was preceded in death by his parents and first wife. Friends may call 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Thursday, January 23, 2014 at Ford & Sons Sprigg St. Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau. Funeral service will be at 11:00 AM Friday, January 24, 2014 at the funeral home with the Rev. Bobby Manso officiating. Burial will be at Mt. Zion Cemetery near Olive Branch, IL. Ford & Sons Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

TP

“ *Good Friend and Neighbor*

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**Tim and Ilene Pierce** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ *Dr. Salmon, I am very sorry for your loss. Angels are taking care of him now.*

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**Pat Wilcox** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GB

“ *So sorry to learn of Ed's death. We enjoyed many happy experiences over the years. Especialy, we are grateful for the excellent work he did for the Cairo School District and after retirement as a carpenter in the Cairo community. He will be missed.*

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**Geneva Elaine Bonifield** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *Samuel Edward Salmon*

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**Jeri Wallis** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *He was not only a good friend but the best teacher I ever had in all my school days.*

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**Jimmy White** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ Please accept my deepest sympathy for I too know the pain of losing someone you love. May your family find comfort as I have in knowing that our loving heavenly Father promises us that very soon he will 'wipe out every tear from our eyes, and death will be no more.' (Revelation 21:4) What a wonderful day that will be!

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**K. Jackson** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Mr. Ed Salmon, a dear friend and teacher at Cairo High School in the 1960's. Thank you Mr. Salmon for the education and encouragement you gave us in the Industrial Arts classes. I followed yours and Mr. Paul Qualls' footsteps in working my whole career as an Industrial Arts Teacher at Freeburg Community High School from 1970 to 2003 when I retired from teaching. I spent my whole career at Freeburg with a very enjoyable time as it seems you had at Cairo High School. I still have my projects I made in your classes with my spiral lamp and walnut keyhole desk. I also made a night stand which I used for many years and passed it on to my kids. A dear friend and neighbor in Cairo will be dearly missed. Jim Milford

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**Jim Milford** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ ..."MR SALMON"...as we addressed him in Shop & Driver;s Ed...He was a great teacher...I still have the Cedar Chest...& Writing Desk I made under his direction..from Shop...I always looked forward to his class...I remember the Car Wash that he had built across from Dejarnet's... it's still there.

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**Bob Sullivan** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ our thoughts and prayers for the family.

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**Rickey and Dianne Shackles** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GP

“ *Mr. Salmon had the patience of Job. Being taught to parallel park sure came in handy in Chicago. Thank You, Mr.Salmon. A wonderful, kind person.*

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**Gail Pang-Jefferson** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AK

“ *He was such a nice teacher when Art & I were in school. He was the first young teacher we had had growing up. Everyone loved and respected him as a teacher and person. He will be missed.*

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**Art & Gerri Kaha** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ *MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH THE FAMILY OF MR SALMON-MR SALMON WAS A TEACHER AT CAIRO H/S WHERE I WAS A STUDENT. I ALSO WENT TO SCHOOL WITH BRUCE AND PAUL AND HAVE KNOWN THE FAMILY FOR YEARS. ED SALMON WAS SUCH A CARING AND HELPFUL PERSON AND ALWAYS HAD A SMILE ON HIS FACE WHEN YOU SAW HIM IN THE HALLS OF CAIRO HIGH SCHOOL---WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY*

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**PAMELA CHAMBLISS** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WH

“ *Ed was one of my Teachers in High School I did not know he was only 6 yrs older than me he was also a good friend for many years*

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**william Harrell** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ *Great Man and Great Teacher.*

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**Bobby Walker** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ *I thought of Mr Salmon often, he taught me to drive and took me and several others to get our license in 1962.*

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**Carla (THOMPSON) Lenerd** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RK

“ *Ed was a fantastic Teacher and a true friend, he will sure be missed. our prayers are with the family.*

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**Richard T. Kearney** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM