



Frank R. Simpson Jr.

February 23, 1939 - November 5, 2021

On Friday November 5, 2021, Frank R. Simpson 82 went to be with the Lord. Per his wishes he remained at home surrounded by family when he passed. Frank (Frankie) was born February 23, 1939 in Columbus KS to Frank and Nancy (Crabtree) Simpson. He graduated from Crawford County High School in 1957. He married Arelva Melton in 1958 and later divorced. Together they had 5 children:

Christopher Simpson (deceased)

Karen Almond (Randy) of Chanute KS

Brenda Younger (Dan) of Kansas City MO

Jeffrey Simpson of Cherokee KS

Michelle Rion (John) of Roseland KS.

In 1988 Frank married Kathryn Brynds. Kathryn passed away in 2019. Kathryn had one son Ted Joe Brynds of Greenfield MO.

Frank was a sheet metal worker with Union local #270 for over 25 years. In his retirement he worked for USD 247 as a custodian.

Frank was an excellent handyman and could fix or repair almost anything, always willing to lend a helping hand. Frank built his home in Weir from the ground up. He loved to read about history and enjoyed riding dune buggies and dirt bikes. He was his son Jeff's biggest fan and enjoyed listening to his musical talent at the various venues he played.

Frank had 11 grand children and 36 great grandchildren all of whom he was extremely proud of, always had pictures in his wallet ready to brag about them.

Frank was always very social, quick with a smile and conversation, Loved by family and friends alike Frank (Frankie) will be truly missed.

He leaves behind sisters Gail Goss and Sue Clark (Ray).

Frank was preceded in death by his parents Frank and Nancy Simpson His son Christopher Simpson, his sisters Amy Fisher , Bessie Kelley ,Thelma Whitley and Rosie Emerson, and one brother Richard Taft.

Tribute Wall



“ *Frank was a wonderful neighbor. He helped us so much after my stroke. We are deeply saddened by his passing.* ”

Bill Meyer - November 27, 2021 at 10:50 AM



“ *Frank was a wonderful neighbor. He helped us so much after my stroke. We are very saddened over his passage.* ”

Bill Meyer - November 11, 2021 at 09:35 AM



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