



Willis Thompson

May 27, 1925 - July 27, 2010

BLISSFIELD – On Thursday, July 29, 2010, Willis Charles Thompson, age 85, went to be with the Lord at his home surrounded by his family.

Willis was born on May 27, 1925, in Ogden Township, to Charles and Tillie (Wapshall) Thompson. He married Ruth King on June 15, 1946, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. Willis was a lifetime cattleman and farmer and a charter member of Faith Lutheran Church.

He is survived by his high school sweetheart of 64 years, two sons, Ron (Joyce) Thompson and Alan "Sammy" Thompson, both of Blissfield; two daughters, Nancy Stucker of Eaton Rapids and Debra Thompson of Spring Arbor. Willis was very proud of his ten grandchildren and five great grandchildren. He is also survived by a brother, Melvin (Teresa) Thompson of Blissfield.

Preceding him in death are his parents; two sisters, Marie Thompson, in infancy and Marian Hadesh; daughter, Sharon Marie; and son-in-law, Steve Stucker.

The funeral service will be at Faith Lutheran Church in Metamora, Ohio at 11:00 a .m. on Monday, August 2, 2010, with the Rev. Glen Stadler officiating. Burial will follow at Riga Township Cemetery. Visitation will be held Sunday

from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. at Wagley Funeral Home Tagsold Chapel in Blissfield. You may also send condolences to the family at www.wagleyfuneralhome.com.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to Hospice of Lenawee or Faith Lutheran Church Elevator Fund. Envelopes are available at Wagley Funeral Home Tagsold Chapel.

Previous Events

Service

AUG 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

Faith Lutheran Church
124 West Main Street
Metamora, OH

Tribute Wall



“ Willis Thompson

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you. May the words in Isaiah 25:8 be of hope and comfort to you.##imported-begin##Barb & Tom Layton##imported-end##

August 04, 2010 at 10:43 AM



“ For Ruth: Bob Rau told me that Willy had passed. I am sorry for your loss, but 64 years together is a fantastic record. I wish I could have attended the funeral service. We are still living in The Villages, south of Ocala, FL and love it here. This is a retirement golf community of 80,000 people that is very lively and fun. No snow!!! We last saw you at Mathew Raus wedding when my son's were with me on a visit to Adrian. We don't make that trip too often any more. But, I sure have fond memories of growing up in Lenawee Co. I hope that the good Lord keeps you in good health. May God bless. Sincerely, Bruce Knisel##imported-begin##Bruce Knisel##imported-end##

August 03, 2010 at 10:10 PM



“ Chuck & Justin, so sorry to hear of the loss of your grandfather. You are in our thoughts and prayers through this difficult time.##imported-begin## Tonya & Mandy Carr##imported-end##

August 02, 2010 at 01:31 PM



“ Dearest Thompson Family...our hearts are breaking for you and we wish that we could be with you at this time. Your family is among our favorite memories of our time in Metamora because of the love and generosity that you extended to us. To this day, Travis and Amanda lovingly refer to Ruth and Willy as "Grandma and Grandpa Thompson." We love you, we miss you, and you are in our prayers as you mourn the passing of one of the most wonderful men I've ever met.##imported-begin##Rev. Karen Torrez##imported-end##

August 02, 2010 at 01:01 PM



“ Willis will be missed at Faith. He and Ruth sat one row back to the my right. He was always kind, funny, caring, supportive in bad times and shared our joys in good. Ruth, love you and miss you. I am deeply sorry for your loss. My friends Ron and Joyce, Kevin and Rachel, my heart is sad for you and your family. May you find peace in the lord.##imported-begin##Geni Boerger##imported-end##

August 01, 2010 at 09:21 PM



“ Thompson Family,
Will always remember Willie's smile and all the good times our families had together. At the lake, on the farm learning to drive on ice. Willie laughing on the time at us kids. He was always willing to give a helping hand. Will be missed. Larry & Judy Simon##imported-begin##Larry & Judy Simon##imported-end##

August 01, 2010 at 06:59 PM



“ Alan and Ron sorry for your loss. It is hard to loose a parent. May God Bless you both.
Jill "Kerentoff" Hartley###imported-begin##Jill Hartley###imported-end##

August 01, 2010 at 06:02 PM



“ Ruth and family, may GOD be with you and your wonderful family in your loss of Willis. You have Carolyn and my deepest sympathy for you and family. We pray that knowing Willie is in a better place now with his LORD will some how help you as time goes on. You and your family will always be in our prayers. CAROLYN & MICKEY FASHBAUGH.###imported-begin##MICKEY FASHBAUGH###imported-end##

August 01, 2010 at 10:52 AM



“ Deb & family,
I am so sorry to hear of your loss. So many memories come to mind & how awesome your parents were supporting Spring Arbor & all of our softball ventures! What a positive sweet man you were blessed to have as a father. See you Monday.###imported-begin##Sheila Bragg###imported-end##

August 01, 2010 at 09:42 AM



“ Ruth and family
Sorry to hear about Willie, he was a good one. I will always remember him as smiling and cracking a joke, he sure enjoyed life. Sam and Kathryn Krouse###imported-begin##Sam Krouse###imported-end##

August 01, 2010 at 07:42 AM



“ We send our sympathies to Ruth, Ron & Joyce and Alan. We will certainly be missing Willie at the Thompson reunion this year, as you will be every day. God Bless You all.##imported-begin##Richard \$ Margie Barrett##imported-end##

July 31, 2010 at 06:18 PM



“ Ruth and Family,
Willie was a fun loving guy and touch the lives of many. How lucky I am to have him as my parents best friend . His smile and laugh will always be remembered.
With Heartfelt Sympathy,
Shelley Simon-Miller##imported-begin##Shelley Simon Miller and Family##imported-end##

July 31, 2010 at 02:12 PM



“ We sure will miss Willie especialy at reuion time. Our LOVE & PRAYERS are with you.##imported-begin##John & Mary Jane Thompson##imported-end##

July 31, 2010 at 01:24 PM



“ Willie will be deeply missed by my family. He always was very special to my children, especially Jason. Jason looked up to Willie as a grandfather. He will always hold a special place in our hearts. He is at eternal peace. Our sincere sympathy to Ruth and family.

The Schwinds##imported-begin##Michelle Schwind##imported-end##

July 31, 2010 at 01:20 PM



“ A dear friend we will miss you. Thank you for all the great times and memories we shared. Now you are with the rest of our gang in heaven. My love to all.

Phyllis `###imported-begin###` *Phyllis Simon* `###imported-end###`

July 31, 2010 at 12:13 PM



“ Will always remember Willie and your family and the good times shared over the years. Deepest sympathy to all the family. He will be missed by all. *Cindy Simon Ricica* `###imported-begin###` *Cindy Simon Ricica* `###imported-end###`

July 31, 2010 at 12:04 PM