



Leon Payton

February 22, 1930 - December 23, 2014

Leon R. Payton

Payton, Leon R., of Dittmer, Missouri, was born February 22, 1930, in Kennett, Missouri, to Rufus and Lois (nee Hogan) Payton and entered into rest, Tuesday, December 23, 2014, in Crystal City, Missouri, at the age of 84 years, 10 months and 1 day.

He is preceded in death by his parents, two (2) Siblings, L.C. Jewell and Francis Blanton

He is survived by,

Seven (7) children, Gene (Sheila) Payton, of Cedar Hill, Missouri, Barbara (Wally) Clark, of Oregon, Carolyn (Ronald) Read, of Barnhart, Missouri, Ray (Joanie) Payton, of Hillsboro, Missouri, Steve (Amy) Payton, of Oregon, Terri (Curtis) Spires, of Oakville, Missouri and Tim (Tammy) Payton, of Ware, Missouri.

Several grandchildren, great grandchildren, sister in law: Katherine Jewell of Sacramento, California, and numerous nieces and nephews

and many other relatives and friends.

He was a United States Army veteran who served his country in the Korean War. He was a member of Teamsters Local 610. He was a family man who enjoyed camping and traveling. He will be fondly remembered and dearly missed by all who knew and loved him.

Visitation Sunday, December 28, 2014, from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m., at CHAPEL HILL MORTUARY, 6300 Highway 30, Cedar Hill, Missouri. Service Monday, 10:00 a.m. at Chapel Hill Mortuary, Cedar Hill, Missouri. Interment Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens. Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association. Family and friends can review and share stories, photos and condolences online at www.stlfuneral.com and follow details of this event and others in the community at www.facebook.com/stlchapelhill.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Leon Payton*

January 06, 2023 at 10:46 PM



“ *Mr. Payton, you raised a great family, and it has been my joy to know and love several of your children...Barb and Carol especially. My heartfelt prayers and support go out to your family, knowing you are always in the hearts of those that knew and loved you.*

Pat Radford - December 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time of your loss. Leon was a great a co-driver in the days we drove. I will cherish the memories of those days. RIP my old friend and mentor. I know you'll be watching over me as I continue to drive down the road.*

William Umbdenstock - December 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *We love you to all of the Payton clan. Uncle Leon you are sorely missed. Love Jeanette Oldenburg and family Jeanette*

jeanette oldenburg - December 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *What a great legacy of happy memories Leon left for us all. He was lucky to have Rosie at his side and I envy his life. What a great guy!*

Jerry Jewell - December 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM