



## Gary M. Jones

September 5, 1947 - December 28, 2010

Gary Martin Jones passed away on Dec. 28, 2010 at LakeRidge Care Center in Moses Lake. Arrangements are in care of Kayser's Chapel & Crematory.

Please sign the book or leave a note for the family at [www.kayserschapel.com](http://www.kayserschapel.com)

Gary was born the second of six children in Yakima, WA on Sept. 5, 1947 to Elbridge M. (Bud) and Ethel (Carvo) Jones. The family was living in Outlook, WA and moved to Moses Lake in 1954. In 1957, they moved to Warden, WA where Gary finished his elementary education and graduated from Warden High School in 1966. He was involved in high school activities and sports, FFA, baseball, football and wrestling.

In 1966 Gary married Patricia Read, settled in Spokane, WA, and started their family. They had three boys, Mickey Shawn (Tana), Michael Shane (Melissa) and Matthew Shannon (Amber). Several years later, they moved to Troy, MT and Gary worked in the lumber mills. He loved the outdoors, hunting and fishing and passed on this love of Montana and the outdoors to his sons. Gary moved back to Moses Lake where he lived with a prolonged illness until his death.

Gary has twelve grandchildren, one great-grandchild and numerous nieces and nephews.

Gary's parents preceded him in death. He is survived by two sisters and three brothers, Sharma (Lew) McCullough, Ron (Cindy) Jones, Myrna (Mark) Tucker, Neil (Patricia) Jones and Casey (Charlotte) Jones.

In lieu of local services, Gary's sons and family will hold a memorial for him

this Spring after the snow melts at his favorite fishing hole in Montana.

# Tribute Wall



“ Uncle Gary it has truly been a blessing to have had you in my life. I will always cherish my childhood memories of you.  
Love and miss you Lyle##imported-begin##Lyle Forrest##imported-end##

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January 14, 2011 at 01:16 PM



“ Dear Uncle Gary ~ What a privilege it has been to be your niece. I have such wonderful childhood memories of time spent with you, Auntie Pat, Mick, Mike and Matt. I especially loved times like when you rode that little mini-bike! Everyone laughed so hard! You will be very missed. Love, Stacy Ann##imported-begin##Stacy Ann (Forrest) King##imported-end##

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January 12, 2011 at 12:01 AM



“ Gary, where can I begin, you were and always will be my brother and I love you. All of the memories of my youth have you in them. I know you are with your mom,dad and grandparents along with nana and papa. you will never be forgotten and alway hold a big part of my heart. I know that heaven just got a lot more fun with you there. Goodbye big brother.##imported-begin##Kelly Read Yamane##imported-end##

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January 11, 2011 at 05:45 PM



“ *May the Good Lord help Gary go forward in claiming the promise as he has not forsaken him nor will never leave him only love him more and those he has left behind. God Bless Gary and the Jones family.##imported-begin##Bobbe Webster and children##imported-end##*

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January 11, 2011 at 12:40 PM



“ *Dearest Gary,  
We know that you are with your mom & dad now and sharing times with our folks too. No more suffering and no more pain sweetheart. You'll never be forgotten Gary and the memories always cherished. Love and miss you always.  
Shirley & Mike##imported-begin##Shirley (Read) & Mike Mullen##imported-end##*

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January 11, 2011 at 09:25 AM



“ *We are very sorry to hear of Gary's passing,our thought's and prayer's go out to you all. God Bless, Betty & Family##imported-begin##Betty Wurzer & Family##imported-end##*

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January 10, 2011 at 10:29 PM



“ My deepest sympathy and love to Gary's Son's, to Pat the Mother of his Son's and to his sisters and brothers. Each of you had your own special relationship with Gary unique to only you, cherish it. Your grief and tears will never wash away the fond memories.

*I knew Gary when he was healthy, happy, young, and full of zest for life. He was a true gentleman to me. I thank you for that Gary. Knowing your above and in good hands, is comforting. You and I know that, where you are is "just over there", and that isn't very far away... and there you are NOW..healthy, happy, young, and full of zest for your new life..*

*Love, Wyn###imported-begin###wyn Shatto###imported-end###*

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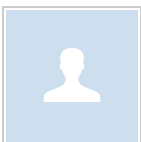
January 10, 2011 at 09:41 PM



“ We have many memories of Gary, his kindness, smile, athletic ability just to name a few. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family in this time of sorrow.###imported-begin###Bob and Kathy Trammell###imported-end###

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January 10, 2011 at 09:15 PM



“ We remember Gary with great fondness. We had many happy memories in high school with Verdene and Callie. God bless you Gary, you are out of pain and suffering now.###imported-begin###Karen & Jerry Kinder###imported-end###

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January 10, 2011 at 07:13 PM



“ Ron, please know friends are praying for you and your family at this difficult time. Memories are the legacy of love. My deepest sympathy.##imported-begin##Ila & Joe Simpson##imported-end##

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January 08, 2011 at 01:12 PM



“ Gary,

*Just a note to let your family know that i am thinking of them.It was a pleasure to know you in school, You were such a humble person. It was a pleasure to know all of your family. God Speed. A friend Jackie Cooper##imported-begin##Jackie Starr Cooper##imported-end##*

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January 08, 2011 at 09:55 AM



“ Dearest Gary,  
Everytime I think of you I remember how vibrant and full of life you were. You were the heart throb of all of my girlfriends when we were in school and my big, protective brother who had to come to my rescue more than once. I will never forget all of those stolen watermelons that appeared below my bedroom window nearly every weekend during the summer (Ron was a culprit in that too..)and that one exciting night when you and Tim let Sara and I (the little sisters) go watermelon "hunting" with you and we were assaulted by bee-bee guns! The look on your face when you had to drop that huge watermelon in the road to duck and run to the car...and in typical Gary fashion as we sped away, laughed so hard because you just enjoyed every single adventure, big or small. You were "Mr. Warden Hi", to your classmates but to me you will always be the big brother I loved and admired. I will always hold so many wonderful memories in my heart of you.

Love you always Gary...

Myrna###imported-begin###Myrna###imported-end##

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January 08, 2011 at 12:24 AM



“ Dear Gary, you are truly missed. I have so many memories in my heart, of our life together. We are proud parents of three great men.  
Thank you.

With Love Always,

Pat###imported-begin###Patricia Jones Guckenbergl###imported-end##

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January 07, 2011 at 02:00 PM



“ *Dad, You will always be missed, but never forgotten. You will remain alive in my memories of you and always with me in my heart. Love you Dad, Mickey*###imported-begin###mickey jones###imported-end##

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January 07, 2011 at 12:56 PM



“ *My dear brother, I will miss you and my heart is full of pain. I remember all the good times we had in Montana. I remember when you told me about Buck and how you tacked that deer at work and you did it with a knife. You were so proud, Believe me my brother I was proud of you too. My favorite story is of the midnight ride we took by moonlight and we all went rolling down the mountain side in the snow and the horses right along with us, I remember how hard we laughed that night and everytime we talked about.*

*I will miss Gary and I love you. Now your with Mom and Dad and it's a good place and one day I will see you again and we will take another midnight ride together. Neil*###imported-begin###Neil Jones###imported-end##

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January 07, 2011 at 11:11 AM