



Floyd McDermed, Jr.

March 18, 1924 - June 29, 2016

Floyd McDermed, Jr. went to be with the Lord on June 29, 2016. He was born near Hepler, KS on March 18, 1924, the son of Floyd Franklin and Etta Mae (Lewis) McDermed.

Floyd grew up in the Walnut, KS area where he graduated from Walnut High School. He moved with his parents near Erie, KS in 1944 where he farmed with his parents and later started working for the Neosho Valley Creamery as a route driver for 16 years. Later, he moved to Chanute, KS and there entered the insurance business. He completed his Life Underwriters Training Council Fellow Designation in 1987. He served clients over much of Southeast Kansas for 55 years before retiring. He was a member of the SEK Life Underwriters Association and served all offices of the association. As an agent he won many awards and trips.

Floyd was a member of the Living Word Assembly Church in Chanute. He enjoyed reading, traveling, gardening and telling jokes.

Floyd married Nona Yarnell on March 18, 1947. They later divorced. He married Madge McGaugh on December 20, 1995. She preceded him in death on July 23, 2004. He was also preceded in death by five brothers: Lawrence, Virgil, Lewis, Mehrle and Raymond; and two sisters: Lola and Maude; three granddaughters and one great granddaughter.

Survivors include his daughter, Dorothy LaRue and husband John of Chanute, KS; 2 grandchildren, 5 great grandchildren, and 3 step great grandchildren.

Funeral Services will be held on Friday, July 1, 2016 at 10 a.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, Gibson Chapel in Chanute. Online condolences may be left at: www.countrysidefh.com. Families request memorials to The Living Word Assembly or Cherry Street Youth Center and may be left with or mailed to the funeral home. Services have been entrusted to: Countryside Funeral Home 16 N. Forest, Chanute, KS 66720.

Cemetery Details

Shaw Cemetery

Shaw, KS

Previous Events

Service

JUL 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Gibson Chapel

16 N. Forest

Chanute, KS 66720

(620) 431-2660

<https://www.countrysidefh.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ Dorothy and Family,
I was very sorry to learn of Floyds passing. I met Floyd the first day my Father became a resident at Guest Home. Come to find out after visiting with him, my Father and him worked for the same milk company for awhile. Then when Floyd went to Diversacare Nursing Facility, him and my Father were room mates. I always enjoyed visiting with Floyd as he always had a interesting story or joke to share. I even saved a few to share with him. Floyd was a very kind man, appreciative of any help I offered. He lived a good long life and had many experiences to share. Again, I'm very sorry for your loss as I too know how difficult it can be. I too experienced the loss of my Father just 9 days before Floyds.
May he rest in peace.



Sandy Redburn-Curtis - July 06, 2016 at 05:31 PM

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“ We want to say how sorry we are that Floyd has left you all. He was a nice man and easy to talk to. Tom's parents enjoyed visiting with him when they went to get their insurance done.
We want to let you know we have been through this and it's never easy. Please know that you are in our hearts and thoughts.

Tom and Anita Harvey McDaniel

PS. Dorothy, you need to come to our class reunion. We would love to see you. Sonny Bohrer came this year. He graduated in Texas.
So come on down.

Tom & Anita McDaniel - July 04, 2016 at 10:02 PM

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“ Floyd was Ross and Cleo McDaniel's insurance man. They always felt they were going to a friend when they went to Floyd to have their insurance changed. He was a sweet man and Ross and he exchanged jokes every time they saw him.

Tom McDaniel

Tom & Anita McDaniel - July 04, 2016 at 09:58 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Floyd McDermed, Jr..



June 30, 2016 at 01:22 PM

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“ *I have know Floyd for over 30 years. In the late 80's I worked with Floyd as an insurance agent and shared an office with him in Neodesha. I worked with Floyd for only around 2 years but got to know him quite well. I have never known a person who demonstrated more integrity than Floyd. Whenever Floyd told an insured something, you knew that he was being honest and forthright. He also demonstrated a genuine interest in keeping his insureds informed and looked out for their best interest.*

Ron Olinger - June 29, 2016 at 09:12 PM