



Randy Alan Simpson

November 14, 1950 - June 10, 2019

Randy Allen Simpson, age 68, passed away on June 10, 2019 at NMRMC in Chanute, KS. He was born November 14, 1950 in Chanute, the son of Carl and Evelyn (Venus) Simpson. He graduated from Chanute High School. On September 23, 1994, he married Mary Perkins in Bartlesville, OK. Randy was a friend to all and will be greatly missed.

Randy is survived by his

Wife:

Mary Simpson

Step Dad:

Forest Matlock

Children:

Matthew Simpson and wife Laurie of Arkansas

Ryan Simpson of Chanute, KS

Mark Simpson

Melissa Catterson

Sister:

Tish Bejanpour

2 Grandchildren

Cremation has been requested. The family will hold a visitation on Saturday, June 22, 2019 from 6:30 – 8 p.m. at the Central Park Pavilion in Chanute, KS.

Online condolences may be left at: www.countrysidefh.com. Memorials can be given to the family to help with expenses. Arrangements have been entrusted to Countryside Funeral Home, 101 N. Highland, Chanute, KS 66720.

Tribute Wall

TB

“ Dear Family, Mary, Matthew, Laurie, Ryan, Mark, Melissa & Grandkids,

It is with deep sorrow that I send my sympathy with the passing of a close friend. While our lives took separate paths and I left Chanute years ago, I will always remember Randy.

Randy and I graduated from CHS in '68, but we go way back to Hutton Elementary. We grew up together in Chanute and I have so many fond memories of my childhood days with Randy. We were your typical boys in a small Kansas town. We celebrated the 4th shooting bottle rockets at each other, made our own firecracker pipe guns, hunted and fished together, threw snowballs at trucks passing through town, and rode our bikes all over the city. Randy would hang out at my 11 East 8th home when we weren't on the move. It was fun times. But the most memorable adventure in our youth was when we made the front page of the Chanute Tribune in the 60's. I can't remember what grade we were in but I still recall the trick we pulled off.

While at recess at Hutton School we noticed a stray dog wondering the playground and decided to take it in. What we didn't realize was the Chanute dog catcher was on the hunt as well trying to catch the poor animal. Randy and I decided to hide the animal to prevent the local animal control officer from impounding it. Well, somehow our humane exploit made it to the local news reporter and we were interviewed. We named the dog, Chopper, and we were featured with photos and an article, as I recall. Now, I may have gotten some of the facts incorrect since so many years have passed, but I clearly remember Chopper and us teaming up to give the Dog Catcher a real challenge. Just thought I'd share my relationship with this great guy, a friend, your husband, father and grandfather with all of you.

Randy was a dear friend and I will miss him!

Sincerely,

Tom Blancett
Chesapeake, VA

Tom Blancett - June 19, 2019 at 02:07 PM

TI

Thank you Tom Blancett for such a beautiful memory. When I remember Randy in our youth your name is very familiar to me and you were well respected by my brother Randy. Thank you again...tisha

tisha - June 19, 2019 at 08:06 PM

PV

“ *Paula Venus lit a candle in memory of Randy Alan Simpson*



Paula Venus - June 17, 2019 at 07:14 PM

BB

“ *Brenda Burt lit a candle in memory of Randy Alan Simpson*



Brenda Burt - June 17, 2019 at 05:13 PM

TI

“ *There's a new world somewhere
They call the promised land
And I'll be there someday
If you could hold my hand
I still need you there beside me
No matter what I do
For I know I'll never find another you
There is always someone
For each of us, they say
And you'll be my someone
Forever and a day
I could search the whole world over
Until my life is through
But I know I'll never find another you
It's a long, long journey
So stay by my side
When I walk through the storm
You'll be my guide, be my guide
If they gave me a fortune
My pleasure would be small
I could lose it all tomorrow
And never mind at all
But if I should lose your love, dear
I don't know what I'd do
For I know I'll never find another you
But if I should lose your love, dear
I don't know what I'd do
For I know I'll never find another you
Another you, another you*

tisha - June 15, 2019 at 10:59 AM

SS

“ Randy was so nice to us when we had service done on our vehicles at Ranz. He was always friendly and very helpful. He will be missed by many. Prayers for the family.

Stan & Fran Simmons - June 14, 2019 at 10:08 PM



“ N Ancy Bryant lit a candle in memory of Randy Alan Simpson



N Ancy Bryant - June 14, 2019 at 04:54 PM

TF

“ Randy was the nicest guy I ever meet. We meet thru his work at Ranz Motors. He always went out if his way to be helpful. We became friends from then on out. RIP Randy. You will try be missed.



Tammy Fiscus - June 14, 2019 at 12:28 AM

LM

“ So sorry to hear about Randy passing. He was a great friend. Prayers to Matthew, he loved you so much.

Laura Mallett - June 13, 2019 at 11:13 PM

PC

“ Pam Catterson lit a candle in memory of Randy Alan Simpson



Pam Catterson - June 13, 2019 at 08:23 PM

ST

“ I am so sorry to hear of Randy's passing. I got to know him in 2004. He always told me my beans and chicken and noodles were good. I also got several rides from him when I was having my car serviced when he still worked at Ranz's. We kept in touch after he officially retired and I just fb posted to him last week. RIP dear man. My condolences to his family.



Sandy Thompson - June 13, 2019 at 07:26 PM

CH

“ So sorry to hear about Randy passing, I worked with him at Ranz Motors about 20 years ago. He was always so sweet and nice to me.

Carman Huse - June 13, 2019 at 01:21 PM

DJ

“ Debbie Johnson lit a candle in memory of Randy Alan Simpson



Debbie Johnson - June 13, 2019 at 07:04 AM

RB

“ *Richard Billbe lit a candle in memory of Randy Alan Simpson*



Richard Billbe - June 13, 2019 at 01:48 AM

TI

Thanks Richard Tisha

tisha - June 13, 2019 at 05:40 PM

RM

“ *I don't know how many snickers bars I bought you over the years, when you came and got my vehicle for service. But you deserve them all my friend. You always ask about my mom, she thought the world of you, as did I.*

Rose Mitchell - June 12, 2019 at 11:22 PM

JJ

“ I’m sadden to loss a dear friend as you Randy we’ve been friends since Junior High. You’re always so fun, kind and thoughtful to everyone you know. I’ve prayed for you so many times these past few years as I know you’ve not had it easy but you always kept a positive attitude about your situation even last Monday, June 10th when I stopped by to see you for a short visit. We talked about my sister, Pattie McMurtray, that you also called your sister too. Randy you have been so supporting to her with her kidney disease, always so thoughtful during her hospital stays too. We discussed your kids & mine too as well as fun memories of our younger years. As I was leaving your room that Monday evening i said to you, “God Bless you Randy, I love you.” Then you said to me, “God Bless you too, Janice I love you too.” I said “See you tomorrow.” So my dear Friend I will see you again sometime with our dear Lord. Rest In Peace Randy. I’m so sorry for his family that he loved & was so proud of for your loss of a great father & Grandpa too. I pray God Bless everyone of you during the days ahead of your life through Eternity.

Janice Haynes Jones - June 12, 2019 at 10:10 PM

SB

“ Randy and I attended Hutton School together and enjoyed reminiscing about our grade school days. In later years didn't see him that much but kept up and enjoyed his postings about the weather and such. So many people will miss him. Thinking of the family and friends.

Stu Butcher - June 12, 2019 at 03:59 PM

JH

“ Years ago when we were all younger he'd come over just to go cruising. We had reconnected on Facebook a few years ago. Randy was a good friend. He will be missed by many.

Jeanne Harles - June 12, 2019 at 03:51 PM

PE

“ Prayers for Randy’s family during this difficult time and the times ahead. He was a great guy. Enjoyed corresponding with him over the last few years. We lived in Chanute for several years and Randy always apprised me of the local news there. May he Rest In Peace and be free from pain.

Pam Ballard Evans - June 12, 2019 at 02:28 PM

HW

“ I'll always remember when randy dragged main st. With me and my sister we sure had alot of good times I will dearly miss him R.I.P. my dear friend

Helen weese - June 12, 2019 at 08:01 AM

MS

Thank you so much Helen.

Mary Simpson - June 12, 2019 at 11:18 AM

PB

“ I am so sorry about the loss of Randy, I have known him since childhood. Beside that, we would meet Saturday mornings at the Wal-Mart 5 dollar DVD display sorting through movie's and sharing life's ups and downs!! I love you my friend, see you on the other side!!

Pat Barnhart - June 11, 2019 at 09:12 PM

MS

Thank u so much Pat .he will truly be missed.

Mary Simpson - June 12, 2019 at 11:26 AM

TI

“ *Tisha lit a candle in memory of Randy Alan Simpson*



tisha - June 11, 2019 at 07:40 PM