



## Wesley G. Payne

April 14, 2007

Wesley Grant Payne, 75, of 405 S. Goodbread St., Nevada, OH died on Saturday April 14, 2007 at 7:00PM at the Blanchard Valley Hospital, Findlay. He was born on August 13, 1931 in Tiffin, OH to the late William & Belle (Bailey) Payne.

He married Bernice Straub on July 8, 1950 in Tiffin and she survives. Mr. Payne is survived by three sons, Ronald, Fremont, Steve (Deb), Sycamore, and Chris (Sandy) Tiffin and 10 Grandchildren and 19 Great Grandchildren. He is also survived by 5 brothers, George of Pandora, OH, Richard of Frindlay, Ralph (Rosalie), South Carolina, Patrick of Texas, and Thomas of Tiffin, and 7 sisters, Kate (Jim) Hile, Florida, Carolyn (Roger) Sandlin, Nancy (Golden) Sandlin, Jane (Doc) Sandlin all of Kentucky, Marilyn (Phillip) Omlor, Washington, Mary Lou (Wayne) Wentz, Illinois and Martha (David) Busse, Tiffin. One brother, Jack is deceased.

He was a member of the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness, Upper Sandusky. Mr. Payne loved hunting, fishing, clogging and woodworking, but especially spending time with his life long companion and love, Bernice. He was a member of Carpenter's Union Local 1296 and retired as head custodian of St. Augustine School in San Diego, CA.

A Memorial Service will be held in the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness

10819 St Rt 53 West, Upper Sandusky, OH on Saturday April 21, 2007 at 2:00PM. Visitation will be held at the BRINGMAN-CLARK Funeral Home on Tuesday April 17, 2007 from 5:00-8:00PM. Memorials may be made to the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness in care of BRINGMAN-CLARK Funeral Home, 226 E. Wyandot Ave., Upper Sandusky, OH 43351. To leave a condolence and to view the Life Tribute video visit [www.bringmanclark.com](http://www.bringmanclark.com)

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# Tribute Wall



“ hi bernice,ron,steve,chriss. i am so sorry for your loss. just know my heart aches with you. we all had alot of good times together years back,didn't we? amy and lynda said it was good to see you and other family. just too sad it had to be this way. i know the hurt is so heavy right now but it will ease as time goes on. just remember one day at a time, one step at a time. one of my favorite quotes comes to my mind, the golden chain of friendship is a strong and blessed tie,binding kindred hearts together as the years go passing by. and another is today polish your chain of friendship, keep it tarnish free. gentle hugs to you all,sharon lee.###imported-begin##sharon holt###imported-end##

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April 18, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Berniece, Ron, Steve and Chris

*I'm sorry I can't be there with all the family. You have my deepest sympathy. My tears, thoughts and prayers are with all of you. I know I haven't kept in touch but we all grow and go in different directions, but we all remember where we came from and who helped shape us as we grew up.*

*I remember, being the shortest of the Dirty Dozen plus 2, I learned to ride a bike later than the rest; because I couldn't reach the peddles, Wesley helped to steady me. OK, it was also along with anyone else who could help me get on the bikes!*

*I remember even in my twenties he tried to teach me to roller skate backwards. I think we were at the old Tiffin Roller Rink, that sticks in my mind for some reason. I also remember telling him I didn't know how, but he twirled me around anyway and we both fell on our cans! In San Diego I can still taste his home canned fish, I want to say it was salmon. As I recall he was a good cook.*

*MaryLou always tries to keep me up on what everyone is doing, she's a good sister/friend that way, and I knew through her you guys moved back to Ohio to be closer to the boys. Wes and Berniece were busy people so even our New Year's Eve catch up phone calls dropped by the wayside it happens, what can you say.*

*Berniece, the picture tribute Bringman-Clark put on-line was beautiful I watched it at work that morning I called you, one of the doctors watched it with me and she was also crying, she has older borthers too. By the time they all told me to go home 2 others were crying. So, I watched it again at home this time with the sound, so I'm crying again. That was so well done. You look good Berniece. Stay well everyone, tell the people close to you you love them often. My love to you all,*

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