



Thomas H. Tupling

October 8, 1928 - September 7, 2010

Thomas H. "T.H." Tupling

T.H. was born October 8, 1928 in Yakima, WA. He moved to Mansfield when he was 10. He attended Mansfield School, graduating in 1947. He worked many odd jobs including bartending at the Mansfield Town Tavern, truck driving for Mumma Trucking, snowplow operator for Washington State Transportation Department, scrap metal/antique collector and owner/operator of T.H. Tupling Farms. T.H. left this world September 7, 2010 at his home in Mansfield, WA after battling a courageous fight with cancer for the past 18 years. T.H. was a school board member, volunteer firefighter, fire commissioner, and member of the Eagles and Grange. He had a fondness for his cats and a great love for his family. He will be greatly missed. T.H. is survived by his beloved wife of 40 years, Inez; children Cassandra Padron, Wayne Tupling (Tracy), Mike (Jackie) Tupling, and Patti (Ken) Peters; grandchildren Zachary, Adam, Aaron, Amanda, T.J., Cassidy, Mikia, Mikki, Mishell, Kimber, Cortney and Cameron; great-grandchildren Starr, Tommy, Tabby, Carter and Evalee; mother Naoma Matthiesen; siblings Bob Tupling, Raymond Tupling, Norman Tupling, and Phyllis Massey; and many nieces, nephews and cousins. T.H. was preceded in death by his first wife, Malpha Tupling; father Ernest Tupling; stepfather Lewis Matthiesen; brother Jerry Tupling; and grandson Caleb Powers. Special thanks to friends, family and caregivers Bud and Sandy Martin, Dr. Notter, Dr. Hanson, Karen, Marcy and Genie of Hospice, and many others who touched his life throughout his 81

years. A graveside service for family and friends will be held Saturday, September 18 at the Mansfield cemetery at 2 p.m. with a dinner following at the Mansfield Grange. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Caleb Powers Memorial Scholarship Fund, PO Box 66, Mansfield, WA 98830 or at any branch of North Cascades National Bank. Please express your thoughts and memories on the on line guest book at jonesjonesbetts.com. The arrangements have been entrusted to the Waterville Funeral Home. service Sat September 18th at 2:00 P.M. at Mansfield Cemetery

Cemetery Details

Mansfield Cemetery

Mansfield, WA

Previous Events

Service

SEP 18. 2:00 PM (PT)

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Mansfield, WA