



## Lester A. Leith

February 7, 1921 - December 8, 2008

Mr. Lester Austin Leith, 87, Bolivar, died Monday, December 8, 2008 in Citizens Memorial Hospital. The son of Joseph Francis and Nellie (Austin) Leith, he was born February 7, 1921 in Polk County, near Eudora. He and Kathryn Christian were married June 27, 1946. They moved from Missouri to California where he was employed as a ranch worker. They had lived in Bolivar for the past 24 years. His parents, a son, Michael Leith, 3 brothers, Tom, George and Marshall Leith, and a sister, Louise Hook, preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Kathryn, of the home; 4 children, June Leith and David Leith, both of Bolivar, Joe Leith and wife, Joan E., Republic and Keven Leith and wife, Brenda, Chandler, AZ; 3 grandchildren, Jason Tanner, Kaitlyn Leith and Ian Leith; 5 step-grandsons, George, David, Jeffrey, Jason and Matthew Kucirka; 5 great-grandchildren, Rhyan, Rhylee, Lorelai, Mikey and Hailey; 1 brother, Joe Frank Leith, Eudora; and 1 sister, Gertrude ElKouri, Ft. Worth, TX; 2 sisters-in-law, Anna Belle Leith and Juanita Leith; and several nieces and nephews. Memorial services will be 10:00 AM Saturday, December 13, 2008 in Murray Funeral Home, Bolivar. Interment will be in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday, from 7:00 to 8:00 PM.

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lester A. Leith*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Lester A. Leith*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Uncle Bugs always brought a certain degree of sanity to our family get togethers. Sorry we can't be there, hugs from Nebraska.*

**Rob Christian** - December 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Aunt Katherine and family, We will miss Bugs very much. Please know we are thinking of you and wish we could be with you. Take care, John and Colleen Sutton and family*

**Colleen Sutton** - December 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Bugs, I will miss you! One of the kindest most gentle men I have ever known. I love you, you will forever be in my heart. Loving family, my prayers are for your comfort and peace.*

**Rose Christian** - December 10, 2008 at 12:00 AM