



Woodrow Simpson Scroggins

February 9, 1916 - October 25, 2009

Woodrow Simpson Scroggins, age 93, of Bolivar, Missouri passed away on Sunday, October 25, 2009 at St. Johns Hospital in Springfield, Missouri.

He was born February 9, 1916 in Bolivar, Missouri to John Scroggins and N. Narnie Elizabeth Chilton Scroggins.

He was a Farmer all his life and enjoyed gardening, family and friends. He lived on that farm all his life. On April 9, 1938 he married Lois Helena Harris in Polk County, Missouri. He was a member of the Rural Hill Missionary Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Clyde Scroggins, two sisters, Golden Brakebill and her husband Willie, Mae Cline and her husband Alvane, a niece, Ruth Brakebill and a nephew, Terry Alley, a sister-in-law, Lina Serls and her husband Ralph, two brother-in-laws, Oby Harris and his wife Beryl, Delmore Harris and his wife Ruth.

Woodrow is survived by his wife of 71 years, Helen Scroggins of the home, a son, Dale Scroggins of Bolivar, Missouri, a daughter, Beverly Rovenstine of Bolivar, Missouri, three grandchildren, Ted Rovenstine, Chuck Rovenstine, Zella Simpson, and seven great grandchildren, Devon Rovenstine, Justin Rovenstine, Jarrett Rovenstine, Hallie Jo Rovenstine, Shelia Simpson, Daliah

Simpson and Alexie Simpson. Two nephews, R.J. Serls, Jr., Charles Serls, four nieces, Neta Jenkins, Johnnie Bays, Connie Good, Barbara Glendenning and her husband Bud, a great nephew, Scott Glendenning and a great great nephew, Nick Glendenning.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00pm, Wednesday, October 28, 2009 at the Butler Funeral Home in Bolivar, Missouri with Bro. Joe Sprague officiating. Musical selections will be How Great Thou Art, Amazing Grace and Peace In The Valley all by Elvis Presley. Burial will follow at Slagle Cemetery south of Bolivar, Missouri under the care and direction of the Butler Funeral Home of Bolivar. A visitation will be from 5-7pm, Tuesday evening at the Butler Funeral Home. Pallbearers will be Ted Rovenstine, Chuck Rovenstine, Billy Simpson, Danny Hubbert, Billy Fieth and Dean Altic. Honorary Pallbearers will be Jim Watson, Danny Kates, Johnny Jackson, Rocky Altic, Terry Altic and Shawn Altic.

Friends and family may sign the guest book or send private condolences at www.butlerfuneralhome.com

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Tribute Wall



“ *Woodrow Simpson Scroggins*

October 05, 2023 at 05:18 AM



“ *Woodrow Simpson Scroggins*

January 26, 2023 at 04:15 PM



“ *Helen, Beverly, and Dale,*

My thought and prayers are with you at this time. What wonderful memories I have of Woodrow and your family! My parents loved all of you and we were blessed to have been your neighbors!

Sharon Whitman Easter - October 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Christine just called me with the sad news. I am out of town and will not be able to attend any services, but will be thinking of all of you. With Sympathy,
Nancy (Fisher) Crowell*

Nancy (Fisher) Crowell - October 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ Helen, Dale & Beverly:

I received a call from Clara this afternoon telling me of Woodrow's passing. She is visiting in New Mexico but normally lives here in South Carolina too. Anyway she asked me to call Mary Jo and Joyce and let them know also.

I think I speak for us all when I tell you that Woodrow was a wonderful human being. I always loved him and your whole family. I admired him in so many ways. I used to love going to visit at your house and listen to all the stories Woodrow could tell. He seemed to know everything, everyone and always had an opinion to express. But he was kind and gentle in everything he did.

When I went home from the army, my work, etc., to visit the folks, it just wasn't a visit without stopping to visit with Woodrow and Helen. I have many happy memories to recall as I reflect upon those times.

Yes, Woodrow Scroggins was a special and unique person. You can be so very proud that he was your husband, father, grandfather, etc. The world was made much richer by the man living down the road. And I'll always be appreciative of the help and support he always gave my wonderful parents. Thank You for the memories Woodrow! I will miss you.

Bob Stanek

Robert E. Stanek - October 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM