



## Dale Spoonmore

August 31, 1931 - December 24, 2009

Dale Spoonmore 78, of Owensburg, lost a hard fought battle with cancer and passed away at home with family present at 1:45 a.m. Thursday, December 24, 2009.

Born August 31, 1931 in Avoca, he was the son of Elza and Ona (Harp) Spoonmore.

He was a retired Carpenter Foreman for J.L. Wilson and Weddle Brothers Construction. He was a member of the Avoca Baptist Church, the Bloomfield American Legion where he served on the Honor Guard, Worthington VFW, Past Patron of the Solsberry Order of Eastern Star, past Master of the Solsberry Masonic Lodge, Terre Haute Scottish Rite, Terre Haute Zorah Shrine, Greene County Shrine Club, Greene County F.O.P., Charter member of the Jackson Township Volunteer Fire Department, Former deputy sheriff and reserve officer in Greene County and was active in the Horseshoe club. Dale was an outstanding basketball player and played on the varsity all four years at Needmore High School. He enjoyed working on and collecting classic cars and loved to travel. He served his country in the 1st Calvary in the United States Army in the Korean War. Dale was a proud father and grandfather and took great pride in their accomplishments.

Surviving relatives include: his wife, Beverly (Chesnut) Spoonmore whom he married on August 28, 1954; one daughter, Dawnee` Small (Lee) of Newberry; grandchildren, Scott Small and Lori Beth Hudson (Brandt); great, grandchildren, Katie Small, Ashley Small, Jared Small, Julie Hudson, Gracie

Hudson, Brady Hudson and Zachary Dale Hudson; his aunt, Dorothy Hostetter of Worthington; several nieces, nephews and cousins; and one brother, Garold Spoonmore of Avoca.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Cecil Spoonmore. Funeral services will be conducted 2:00 p.m. Sunday, December 27, 2009 at Jenkins & Sons Funeral Home in Bloomfield, with Rev. Arlen Pope and Rev. Kenny Adams officiating. Interment will be in Owensburg cemetery. Solsberry Order of Eastern Star services will be at 1:00 p.m. on Sunday at the funeral home and Solsberry Masonic Lodge services will be at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. Bloomfield American Legion Post 196 will conduct military services.

Friends may call from 1 to 8 p.m. Saturday and from 12:00 noon until the hour of service Sunday at the funeral home.

Online condolences to the family are available at [www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com).

# Tribute Wall

LG

“ Dale Spoonmore

Lee & Libby Grider - January 19, 2010 at 05:16 PM

DP

“ Dear Beverly - I was sad to learn of Dale's passing. Please know you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. I remember what a happy person Dale always seem to be - always smiling; always taking time to say hello and ask about my folks whenever we might run into him in town. I see that you & Dale were also married on August 28, as were Alex and I in 1971. Take care. Sincerely, Darlene

Darlene Jones Pachyn - January 05, 2010 at 01:22 PM

SM

“ Beverly, We are so sorry for the loss of Dale. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Brad and Shanno McGinness

Shannon McGinness - December 31, 2009 at 07:53 PM

DB

“ My sympathy to Beverly and family on the passing of a wonderful friend. Dale & I spent a lot of time and fun together. God bless you all. Dean

Dean Brent - December 31, 2009 at 04:40 PM

NA

“ *The Needmore Alumni Association expresses its deepest sympathy in the loss of our friend and special alumnus Dale. Our Alumni Banquets will never be the same. Our prayers are with you Beverly and Dawnee.*

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**Needmore Alumni Association** - December 29, 2009 at 04:13 PM

SB

“ *Hello Sonny and I are very sorry to hear about the loss of Dale. Sonny didn't hear about his death until Monday. Sonny is very fond of Dale and has considered him a friend for many years. Sorry we didn't make it to the services for Dale. May God Bless You and help you deal with your loss.*

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**Sonny & Connie Byers** - December 29, 2009 at 11:26 AM

BZ

“ *I am so sorry for your loss, Bev. Thinking of you.*

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**Beverly Zell** - December 28, 2009 at 10:45 AM

DJ

“ *So sorry to hear about Dale's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Spec & Debbie Jackson*

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**Debbie Jackson** - December 27, 2009 at 09:56 PM

RS

“ To you Aunt Bev I am so thankful for all the memories that you and uncle Dale especially when you took me to the IN-KY all star game in 1990 when Damon Bailey was there. You both mean so much to me and words cannot express how much that Uncle Dale and you have made me the person I am today. I love you and Lori and I will be there for you in whatever way you need. Love you!  
Ricky

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**Ricky Spoonmore** - December 27, 2009 at 09:01 PM

TH

“ Beverly, Our thoughts and prayers are with you. We are very sorry for your loss.

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**Tim & Teri Hamilton** - December 27, 2009 at 07:44 PM

OH

“ Beverly, We are so sorry for your loss.

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**Ora & Ada Hamilton** - December 27, 2009 at 07:42 PM

GH

“ To the family of Dale Spoonmore, KB9PMN. I was sad to learn about Dale's passing. I will miss Dale's friendly smile and kind nature. Dale was a great friend.  
Gary Howell, WA9RZY

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**Gary Howell** - December 27, 2009 at 04:06 PM

CL

“ Sorry for your loss. You both were such basketball fans of Eastern when I was there many years ago. That was what I thought of when my wife read he had died. Owensburg has lost another of its men that made it a neat place. Charlie and Barb Lehman

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**CHARLIE LEHMAN** - December 27, 2009 at 03:59 PM

DP

“ *Dawnee, I am sorry about your dad, you and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

**Diana Chambers Phillips** - December 27, 2009 at 11:48 AM

MR

“ *Beverly and family-Our condolences and prayers are with you all. Dale was a great guy and Mack really enjoyed the time he spent with him at the Solsberry Lodge. He will be greatly missed by all.*

**Mack and Amy Rogers** - December 27, 2009 at 10:01 AM

CF

“ *Dawnee, I'm sorry to hear about your Dad. Your parents were so sweet to me when I would come stay the night when we were in high school. You and your Mom will be in my prayers. Love, Cheryl "Sherry"*

**Cheryl "Robertson" Ferguson** - December 26, 2009 at 11:47 PM

JW

“ *My deepest and sincerest condolences to the Spoonmore family. I have known Dale for many years, and he was as good man as one would ever find.. May God Bless you all in this time of mourning,,  
Joe*

**Joe Waskom** - December 26, 2009 at 06:34 PM

KW

“ *Beverly and family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time!! We will miss Dale being a part of the community. Virgil and Nelda Armstrong Larry, Karen and Sarah White*

**Karen White** - December 26, 2009 at 04:17 PM

RA

“ Dale was a friend and lodge brother. He always was a lot of fun and I enjoyed his company. We will remember him fondly.  
God bless all of his family.

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**Roger Axe** - December 26, 2009 at 12:00 PM

RM

“ Dear Family of Dale Spoonmore, we were so sorry to read about Dale this morning. He was a fighter. He is no longer in pain but with the Lord in his heavenly home.  
Our deepest sympathy to all of you.  
We are praying that God will help and comfort you through the next few days.  
Sincerely,  
Robert and Joyce Meadows

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**Robert and Joyce Meadows** - December 26, 2009 at 11:13 AM

BM

“ Dale will be missed by all around Owensburg. I remember Dale being at the gas station a lot when I work there, he was always the same each time I seen him, and always had a smile on his face.  
Sorry for your lost, at this time of year, and my heart goes out to the family. Betty

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**Betty (Carter) McGlocklin** - December 26, 2009 at 08:27 AM

TW

“ Beverly & family I am saddened to learn of the loss of Dale. I met Dale in 2007 after joinng the Masonic Lodge @ Oolitic. In the short time that I knew Dale, I came to consider him a friend and someone that I respected and looked up to. I will truely miss him. May God Bless you.

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**Tom Webb** - December 25, 2009 at 11:38 PM

DA

“ We were buddies all of our lives and he will be missed. Sorry for your loss.

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**Dean Anderson** - December 25, 2009 at 07:34 PM

BH

“ Beverly,so sorry for your loss. Dale was a good friend to me, if you need anything just let me know. Bill

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**Bill Harper** - December 25, 2009 at 05:25 PM

DW

“ May the Lord comfort you Beverly and family during this time of sadness. Dale was an incredible man and gave so much of himself unselfishly. God Bless.

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**Daniel & Amy Wilson** - December 24, 2009 at 10:57 PM

WH

“ Sorry to hear of Dale,s passing. You & family will be in our thoughts and prayers. Willis & Rhelda Horn

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**willis Horn** - December 24, 2009 at 09:41 PM

MG

“ I worked with Dale at J.L. Wilson & Weddle Bros. He showed me alot about const. & and some life lessons along the way. He was a very good person. He understood life. God bless him. Mike G

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**Mike Griffith** - December 24, 2009 at 09:20 PM

SP

“ *Bev, Daunee' and family, We are so sorry for your loss of a great husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. He always had a smile and always seemed to be a tower of strength. We will be praying for all of you, knowing that God will carry you through this. Love, Karlene and Sheridan*

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**Sheridan and Karlene Priest** - December 24, 2009 at 08:47 PM

LB

“ *Beverly, Dawnee and family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Dale was a very special man in our lives. He brought us together like no one else could have on our wedding day when he handcuffed us. It worked we are still together after all these years. Beverly if you need anything just give us a call. Larry, Beverly and family*

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**Larry and Beverly Burris** - December 24, 2009 at 05:11 PM