



## Curtis Ridgway

November 17, 2011

Curtis Lawrence "Larry" Ridgway of Hot Springs passed away Thursday, November 17, 2011. He was born March 13, 1933 to the late Curtis & Gladys Ridgway in Hot Springs. Mr. Ridgway was a member of First United Methodist Church; a United States Army Veteran; a member of the Elks Lodge, Arkansas Bar Association, Jaycees; a Mason; a Boy Scout Leader and was elected in 1960 as Hot Springs City Attorney which he served for 20 years. He is survived by his wife Nita Ridgway; two sons, Curtis (Sharon) Ridgway III and Stephen Adkins Ridgway; one daughter, Nita Kay Mitchell; five grandchildren, Sacha, Melissa, Bobby, Jessie and Amber; two great grandchildren, Peyton Clare and Harper; his nieces and nephews and many loving family members. Honorary pallbearers are Hot Springs High Class of 1951 and his many closest and dearest friends. Memorial Services will be 2:00 P.M. Sunday at Hot Springs Funeral Home Chapel with Reverend Bud Reeves officiating. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to First United Methodist Church.

# Tribute Wall

JK

“ Dear Ones, Our thoughts are with you. Jimmie and Earline

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**Jimmie and Earline Knoll** - November 21, 2011 at 05:56 PM

JS

“ I played with Larry in my neighborhood. He was a member of our Kenwood gang. I loved to go to Teague's fishpond and help him find tadpoles. I was amazed at his memory powers when he recited word for word Gen. Patton's address to troupes at our Dance club's costume party. Remember, Nita? Please know I care and have lots of good memories from both your friendships. Love you both forever..Josie

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**Josie Selig Smith** - November 20, 2011 at 04:13 PM

MM

“ Dearest Nita, My deepest sympathy to you and your family in the loss of your handsome, loving Larry. So regret that I am unable to be there for memorial services today, but you will be in my thoughts and prayers. Love to you and warmest regards, Marlys

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**Marlys Moodie** - November 20, 2011 at 02:20 PM

BC

“ I know how much he will be missed... Please accept my humble condolences on the loss of your Father, Husband, Grandfather, friend; for he was this and much, more... Love and Prayers XO

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**Brande Poe Coy** - November 20, 2011 at 08:59 AM

JP

“ Hi Nita we graduated together @ HSHS class of 82. I just wanted to let you know I will be praying for the strength of your family... Bless You All.. Jerriah Surratt Pree

Jerriah Surratt Pree - November 20, 2011 at 08:31 AM

SR

“ He was a great man and will be missed by many.

skarlett roberts - November 19, 2011 at 03:29 PM

SA

“ One of my earliest memories of Curtis was seeing him in one of his antique cars, in this case a Lincoln Mark. He pulled over for dad and me to get a good look. It may have started my love for old cars. He was greatly respected among his peers and those of us that came after. Will be thinking of your family during this celebration of his life.

Sam Anderson - November 19, 2011 at 02:10 PM

NI

“ Dear Ones~Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Curtis was so kind in helping my family during our hard, difficult times. He will always be remembered and greatly missed.God bless you~

Nancy Vanette Ivey-Frank - November 19, 2011 at 01:47 PM

JS

“ Nita, i am so sorry to hear of Larry's passing. He and you both are such super people. Best regards to you and family. Love, Peggy

Jack & Peggy Stevens - November 18, 2011 at 08:38 AM