



## Sydney Kinsey

July 12, 2013

Sydney Kinsey 67, of Hot Springs passed away on Friday, July 12, 2013. He was born on March 20 1946 in Hot Springs to the late Dwight Edward and Maxine Reynolds Kinsey. Syd attended Trinity Church for over twenty years. Syd had many friends from different stages of his life, all were his friends to this day. He was a retired steelworker from Reynolds/General Cable in Jones Mill. Syd was a gifted mechanic, which he practiced at his shop in Malvern for over thirty-five years. This came in handy since Syd's favorite hobby was his ¼ mile drag boats, owning four over his lifetime and his last one he drove in his 60's. He made lifelong friends from that drag boat circuit from many surrounding states. They were a second family. "Fast Syd" as he was commonly called, will be missed by all his friends and family.

Survivors include his wife, Bessie Kinsey of Hot Springs, one son, Tracy (Sandra) Kinsey of Bentonville, AR, two daughters, Christian Kinsey of Malvern, AR and Jamie Williams of Hot Springs, one sister, Donna (Jim) Specker of Hanceville, Alabama, and five grandchildren, Jackson and Drew Kinsey, Kabrelle Matlock, Adrienne and Adin Walton. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5:00 until 7:00 P.M. at Hot Springs Funeral Home. Funeral services will be Wednesday at 10:00 A.M. in the Hot Springs Funeral Home Chapel with Brother Bob Thornton officiating. Burial will be in Oak Grove Cemetery.

# Tribute Wall

LF

“ 1 more of the good ones gone home. sid will be greatly missed by both family and friends. speechles; larry & diane frazier; malvern, arkansas

**larry and diane frazier** - July 17, 2013 at 07:31 PM

DG

“ Sidney was easy going with a genuine personality. He was a good football player for the Trojans. I met his lovely wife at reunion and send condolences.

**Dan Griffith** - July 17, 2013 at 06:52 PM

LO

“ To the family of Syd, you are all in my thoughts and prayers. Syd was a great man; I worked next door to his shop at Fred's for 10 years and he was a regular in the store. Later, after leaving Fred's, I started to sell Avon and he was a Black Suede cologne type of man. He never wanted to run out. He will be missed but not forgotten.

**Latasha Hart- Ollison** - July 17, 2013 at 03:49 PM

FC

“ Syd will be greatly missed, I loved this guy, I had known him for many years as my mechanic but very shortly after meeting him he became a great friend! Syd was someone who you could always depend on to tell you exactly how it was and he felt like a dad to me and everyone that knew him loved him. R.I.P Syd. Men like you will not be forgotten.

**Falon Carter-Doreau** - July 17, 2013 at 03:21 PM

DB

“ I think Sydnie and I were in the nursery together. We were both born on March 20, 1946 in Hot Springs. I was there at his funeral today. Much love to the family!Syd will be missed!

**Darmon Brizendine** - July 17, 2013 at 02:54 PM

TM

“ Syd was a good mechanic and a good guy. Our sympathies to the family.Terry & Cindy Matthews

**Terry & Cindy Matthews** - July 17, 2013 at 02:30 PM