



## Norman Samuels

June 19, 1925 - February 16, 2009

Norman Samuels, 83, of Red Star, Arkansas, died February 16, 2009 at his home. He was born June 19, 1925 at Red Star, Arkansas, the son of Cora Samuels Carroll. He retired from Beech Aircraft in Wichita after thirty-six years of service. He was a veteran of the Korean War, serving in the United States Army and attended the Venus Baptist Church. He not only served his country but was a great contributor to his community and friends as well. He loved the outdoors and thoroughly enjoyed gardening and camping. He will be greatly missed in his community. He was preceded in death by his mother, two brothers, Elvin Samuels and Junior Carroll and by an infant nephew, Brandon Samuels. Survivors include: one brother and sister-in-law, Bernie and Dorothy Samuels of Red Star, Arkansas; a special friend, Nellie Schurg of Fayetteville, Arkansas; two sisters-in-law, Cleetha Samuels of Jasper, Arkansas and Edith Carroll of Prairie Grove, Arkansas; two nephews, Ronnie Samuels and Brent Edgmon, both of Jasper, Arkansas; five nieces, Oletha Johnson and Lisa Carroll, both of Prairie Grove, Arkansas, Sherita Manen of Boxley, Arkansas, Carol Villines of Hindsville, Arkansas and Amanda Edgmon of Fayetteville, Arkansas; and a host of family and friends. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 A. M. Thursday, February 19, in the chapel of Brashears Funeral Home with The Reverends Jasper Hankins and Stacey Villines officiating. Interment will be in the Old Bethel Cemetery at Red Star under the direction of Brashears Funeral Home [www.brashearsfuneralhome.net](http://www.brashearsfuneralhome.net) of Huntsville, Arkansas. Pallbearers will be: Ron Eaton, Ronnie Samuels, Brent Edgmon,

Allen Manen, Stacey Villines and James Sparks. Honorary Pallbearers will be: Claude "Bug" Eaton, Arthur Haight, Layton Porter, Sonnie Lankford, Clarence Duncan and Bill Bertsy. The family will receive friends from 5:00 P. M. to 7:00 P. M. on Wednesday at the funeral home.

# Tribute Wall

AJ

“ Norman was a kind, friendly man who was a pleasure to know and be around. Visiting with Norman was always a positive and uplifting experience. Norman's zest for life and his love of the outdoors, camping and bluegrass were always discussed. Norman was a fine Christian man. Many occasions will not be the same without him there; we always knew we would see him at decorations. He will leave a great void in the lives of all who knew and loved him. We treasure our memories of Norman and his friendship.

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**Allan & Judy Jackson** - February 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Sorry we couldn't make it to the funeral.

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**Curtis and Rita Ficht** - February 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ Norman Samuels

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**Jack & Brenda Richardson** - February 19, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Nellie,

*I was shocked to hear about Norman. He was a very special person. My thoughts, prayers, and sympathy are with you.*

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**Jerry and Mary Birkhahn** - February 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Sorry to hear of Normans passing,  
I know he will be greatly missed by all who loved and knew him,  
He was a great american as well as a great neighbor and friend to  
all who knew him, Sory i will not be able to attend his services as i  
have other committments on Thursday,  
With Love to all his Family,  
Susie ( Collins ) Atchley

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**Susie( Collins ) Atchley** - February 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM