



Clyde (Bill) William Rader

September 27, 1917 - September 28, 2008

Clyde William son of Mabel Jane (Bosworth) and Clyde William Rader Sr. was born near Whitehorse on September 27, 1917. He passed away at the Alva Share Medical Center on the 28th of September at the age of 91 years and 1 day.

He attended the Pleasant Ridge and Mound Ridge rural Grade Schools. On January 28, 1942 he joined the U.S. Army and worked on the Alcan (Alaska Canada) Highway. He then went to the European Theatre and received four Bronze Stars in Normandy, Rhineland, Northern France and Central Europe. He was discharged on November 14, 1945.

On August 15, 1946 in Dodge City, Kansas he was married to Lela Olive Nokes. Following their marriage they made their home on the farm his grandfather, Harvey G. Bosworth, homesteaded and in January 2008 received the hundred year plaque. In November of 1975 they came to Alva to make their home.

Mr. Rader was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, Ada Lawson and Margaret Collings, and a brother, Leonard.

Bill is survived by his wife Olive, of the home, his step mother Gussie Rader, of Alva and a sister, Thelma Curry of San Diego, California. A nephew and his

wife Ernest and Millie Rader, who purchased the homestead and make their home there. A number of other nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

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Previous Events

Funeral Service

OCT 1. 10:00 AM (CT)

Wharton's Funeral Chapel

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Tribute Wall

GE

“ *What a Great person ,and freind, I'll miss you Bill, Thanks for the pleasure of your presence in my life.*

Gene Eads - October 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ *Dear Olive, You and Bill were so lucky to have each other for 62 years! I know you lived it to the fullest and enjoyed each other's company. God bless you and keep you in his comforting arms.*

Trooper Jimmy & Julie (Davison) Helm - October 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ *I am so sorry for your lose, you are in our prayers. We used to live on the old Eckels place across the highway from Bill and You and see you at all the family reunions in Alva. God Bless and be with you. One of the twins, living in Pampa, Tx.*

Dale & Alma Lewis - September 30, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DR

“ *Aunt Olive, I'm so sorry to hear of Uncle Bill's passing. I have always smiled and chuckled when I've thought of him, over the years. I have tried many many times to retell some of the stories he has told, but I could never tell them as good as he. I loved hearing him laugh.*

Darrin Rader - September 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Olive I was sorry to hear about Bill passing. You and Bill were so good to me when I was working for you and I always enjoyed seeing and visiting with you in town. Bill was very special and I will miss him. Always Jim.

Jim & Marilyn Davison - September 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MR

“ I have lots of good memories of uncle bill mostly harvest times. Sorry I could not make it.

Michael W. Rader - September 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ Aunt Olive, I'm so sorry to hear of Uncle Bill's passing. He lived a good, clean, long life but it's never enough for those left behind. Our thoughts & prayers are with you. God bless you.

Jeanne & Dudley Winn - September 29, 2008 at 12:00 AM