



## Gerald 'Buddy' Shields

April 1, 1939 - March 18, 2012

Gerald "Buddy" Shields age 72 of Athens, passed away Sunday, March 18, 2012 at Limestone Health Facility. Mr. Shields was born April 1, 1939 in Limestone County to Pat Shields and Esther Kennemer Shields. Graveside services will be Tuesday, March 20, 2012 2:00 p.m., at Roselawn Cemetery with Mike Davis officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday from 11:30 a.m. until 1:45 p.m. at Limestone Chapel Funeral Home. Mr. Shields helped start the first Volunteer Fire Department in the City of Athens. He was County Commissioner of district 2 for 2 years, and was a member of the Elk Lodge. Preceded in death by his wife Linda Shields and parents, Pat and Esther Shields. Survived by a son, Jerry Shields of Rogersville; daughter, Lisa Shields of Athens; grandson, Patrick Shields of Athens; sister, Joyce Cage (Louis) of Nashville, TN; several nieces and nephews and many good friends. In lieu of flowers please make memorials to Birdie Thornton Center.

# Tribute Wall

DB

“ So sorry for your loss. Buddy was a very good friend.

Doris Black - April 24, 2012 at 08:44 AM

RB

“ Hey Lisa Jerry sorry for your loss Lisa i am Sylvia mom

Rosa Dugger Bozarth - March 31, 2012 at 12:54 AM

SH

“ My good friend R.I.P.

Susan Holt - March 26, 2012 at 11:38 AM

GB

“ Lisa & Jerry may you both find comfort from God in the coming days ahead. It will be hard the first few months but it will get better in time. My thoughts and prayers are with you both.

Gayla Barnes - March 21, 2012 at 06:39 PM

JH

“ sorry to hear about buddy.

jimmy hargrove - March 20, 2012 at 07:42 PM

PH

“ Lisa, I am so sorry for your loss. My prayers and love are sent to you. Hugs sweetie! RIP Buddy, you're work has been done here on earth.

Patsy Hacker - March 20, 2012 at 03:26 PM

TC

“ I am sorry to hear about your father. I know how hard this and if there is anything you might need please don't hesitate to ask. Prayers and Much Love to you and Lisa. Please take care of you both.

Theresa M. Compton - March 20, 2012 at 03:08 PM

JB

“ We are so sorry. thinking of all of you, especially lisa.

judy & bradley brown - March 20, 2012 at 02:19 PM

PA

“ Sorry for your lost,hav'nt saw buddy in awhile.i worked with him back in the sixthy,athens elec.dept.

Paul Abernathy - March 20, 2012 at 10:30 AM

MP

“ Your family is in our thoughts and prayers

Marvin & Irene Putman - March 19, 2012 at 11:33 PM

ML

“ Love and prayer for the family in the days and months ahead.

Michael & Marilyn Laxson - March 19, 2012 at 09:23 PM

TM

“ Thinking of you Jerry.  
Tim

Tim Manus - March 19, 2012 at 04:49 PM

WB

“ *With Sympathy*

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**Wayne & Betty Bolton** - March 19, 2012 at 04:04 PM

LM

“ *your family is in our prayers*

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**Larry & Peggy Mitchell** - March 19, 2012 at 04:02 PM