

Billy Arthur Cornish, son of Arthur and Marie (Smiley) Cornish was born in Pierce City, Missouri on November 27, 1930. He died at 8:10 a.m. on Sunday, November 20, 2005 at Barton County Memorial Hospital in Lamar, MO. Billy was preceded in death

by his parents, his wife Loretta Cornish, his half-sister Dorothy Felix, and half-brother Lou Cornish. **Billy** shared 74 years, 11 months and 23 days with us.

Billy spent all of his life in the Dudenville/Golden City area. He served in the Army from December 6, 1951 until November 13, 1953 in Germany. Billy married Loretta Faye Sorden on December 25, 1953 in Lockwood, MO. She preceded him in death on January 17, 1992. Billy had been a manager of MFA Fertilizer Plant since 1982 and retired in 2003. He had also been a farmer.

**Billy** was a member of the VFW Post 1850 and Hickman-Owen Post 473 American Legion. He was a member of the United Methodist Church in Golden City. **Billy** had been a member of the Golden City School Board for several years.

Billy is survived by his two sons, Dennis Cornish and wife Cindy, Lockwood, MO and Danny Cornish and wife Cean, Lamar, MO and his three grandchildren: Landon, Megan and Logan. Other family, friends, and neighbors will miss this caring and loving man.

Pugh Funeral Home
P.O. Box 145 Golden City, MO 64748 417-537-4412

Memorials may be given to the donor's choice in care of the funeral home.

In Memory of

## BILLY ARTHUR CORNISH

**BORN** 

November 27, 1930

DIED

November 20, 2005

Pierce City, MO

Lamar, Missouri

Age: 74 years 11 months 23 days

**FUNERAL SERVICES** 

Wednesday, November 23, 2005 10:00 a.m. Lockwood Christian Church, Lockwood, MO

OFFICIATING Rev. Ron Lake

MUSIC

Carol Patterson, Soloist Cheryl Queen, Organist

CASKET BEARERS

Landon Cornish Gerald Eggerman Logan Cornish Danny Young Robert Elliott Royce St. John

HONORARY CASKET BEARERS

Carl Glen Stansberry Kenneth Davis Norman Parker Mike Queen

Lloyd Gillen Lennis Queen

INTERMENT
Dudenville Cemetery
5 of Golden City, MO