



Roland Kimber

April 30, 1943 - December 5, 2010

Funeral services for Roland Roger Kimber of Hewitt were held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, December 8, 2010 at the New Life Church of God in Bertha with Pastor Mark Brown presiding. Roland passed away at the age of 67 years on Sunday, December 5, 2010 at the Douglas County Hospital in Alexandria. Roland was born on April 30, 1943 at Fergus Falls, MN to Irvin and Wilma (Dunker) Kimber. He was united in marriage with Shanda Bernadette Anderson on August 15, 1964 at the Faith United Church of Christ in Bertha. Roland recently retired from DMS Imaging where he worked as a driver and tech assistant. Roland was a lifetime resident of Hewitt. He enjoyed hunting, tinkering, horseback riding, yardwork, playing fetch with his German Shepherd, Callie and spending time with his family. Roland was preceded in death by his loving wife, Shanda on July 31, 1995; parents Irvin and Wilma; and in-laws A.I. (Swede) and Nora Anderson. He is survived by his children Todd (Nikki Gesme) of Clarissa, Scott (Carrie) of Quincy IL, Cory (Jodi) of Hewitt and Amanda (Matt Fischer) of Glenwood; 11 grandchildren; brothers Wendell (Harriet) Kimber of Bertha and Dennis (Judy) Kimber of Hewitt; and sisters Lois (Joe) Stelflug of Wadena and Avis (Robert) Lenz of Jordan, MN. Honorary pallbearers were Tyler Gesme, Tanner Kimber, Tayton Kimber, Kate Kimber, Madelyn Kimber, Cameron Kimber, Clayton Kimber, Brittany Kimber, Ethan Kimber, Cayden Kimber and Benjamin Fischer. Pallbearers were Wayne Kimber, Mark Kimber, Steve Kimber, David Lenz, Aaron Anderson and Carl Amundson. Interment was in the Zion Cemetery at Bertha.

Tribute Wall

MP

“ So sorry about Roland. He was a wonderful cousin and have many memories when all were younger!

My condolences to the family.

Marlene Pixler - December 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *To the Kimber Family
It is with great sorrow hearing about Roland. My first reaction when I heard the news is that he is finally reunited with Shanda. He was so dedicated to her and loved her deeply.
We shared a lot of time together, working on the mobile mri/ct units and developed a good friendship. Roland was always so dependable and a great co-worker. His feelings for his family carried over to his work. He always spoke so highly of you all.
I will remember you in my prayers.*

Linda

Linda Busing - December 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DC

“ *My condolences to the kimber family, Roland was a friend and he will be greatly missed. We spent many long hours together on the mobile MRI, We laughed alot and he had a great sence of humor. My family will keep you in hour prayers. In the words of Roland " GetErDone".*

Dan Crose - December 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JA

“ Sorry for your loss.
Roland will be missed.

John Allen - December 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ To the Family of Roland.

I am so very sorry to hear about your loss. Cancer is such a devastating disease. Your father, grandfather, uncle and brother is no longer in pain.

I can see him in heaven sitting with Shanda. I pray for you all during this difficult time. God's Blessing to you.

*Sincerely,
Sandy and Ray*

Ray and Sandy South - December 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ Roland was always the most reliable driver I have had the honor to work with over my years with DMS and his dedication to job was second to none. All of us in the transportation department at DMS have missed him this past year since his retirement.

Jerry Erickson - December 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ It was a pleasure and an honor to work with Roland. Because of his dedication to his job and his commitment to patient care on his MRI route; assisting with his annual evaluation was an easy task. Good-bye and God speed.

*Monty L. Heller
Transportation Assistant DMS*

Monty Heller - December 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KK

“ Dear Kimber Family:

I am so sad for your loss. I worked with Roland on the operations side of things through the DMS Maple Grove, MN office. I put the tech/route schedule together each month and talked with and visited Roland on a regular basis out on his route. Always could rely on him to share stories and chat about all his years working for DMS. He was a great man and he will be missed. I send you my deepest condolences.

Wishing you peace as you mourn the loss of Roland's presence in your lives but know he will always be with you in spirit. Kris Klindt

Kris Klindt - December 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM