



Clifford George Williams

August 24, 1915 - June 4, 2015

Clifford George Williams was born August 24, 1915 to Thomas and Phoebe Williams. Clifford was five when the family moved from Canada to Wheeler, Oregon. He was twelve when they bought land in Cottage Grove and started farming there. After growing up fast, he and his father farmed and logged. Clifford high climbed for other loggers, topped and helped rig the trees to log with. He also ran a wood yard before getting injured in 1951. The loss of his lower left leg didnt seem to slow him down. Cliff had a love of horses and in 1948, helped start Cottage Groves Rodeo & Riding Club. He belonged to the Oregon Pleasure Walking Horse Club, and was one of the trial bosses. After moving to Redmond in 1953 he farmed, logged, worked construction and rode often. During retirement, horses took center stage. He enjoyed spending time attending and participating in Cutting Horse & Showmanship shows. He won many of those events, despite only having one leg. Cliff and Irene were married in 1955. He has a son, Harvey, and a daughter, Vivian. A son, George Williams, passed away 1987. Irene passed away in 1993. Cliff has five grandchildren, six great grandchildren and eight great-great grandchildren. With Irene and friends he fished the lakes and spent many weeks rigin the many trails during many seasons for many years. Doing what he loved most with who he liked best.

Funeral Home:

Redmond Memorial Chapel

717 SW 6th Street
Redmond, OR
US 97756

Tribute Wall

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“Cliff was a good friends to my parents, having gone to grade school with my dad, Roy Geer at London, and visiting often at my moms parents when he was still a boy and before Geers were married. In later years, the folks went to Redmond to visit and he came to see them. Dad couldnt hear well by then, and neither could Cliff, but Mom helped keep the conversation going. My dad is gone now, too, but Mom, at 93 still remembers and smiles when she thinks of their friendships. I have their old photos of him topping trees, with his dogs at my grandparents and some of him riding his horse. Would be glad to share. He will always be remembered. Cliff (Will) was my Step Grandfather. We had many wonderful times and rides as I grew up. I still have the many arrow heads that we found on the place on Hwy 97. R.I.P. to Will and the Bar C ranch. I would love to have a few photos for my memories, Paul & Barbara Funk & Marie Geer. Thank you very much.

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