



Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson

April 11, 1941 - June 11, 2016

Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson 75 of Poneto, Indiana passed away on Saturday June 11, 2016 at his residence.

He was born on April 11, 1941 in Wells County to Donald R. & Wanetta Mae (Gallimore) Thompson. He was a truck driver for many years, driving for Ryder Distribution, Phelps Dodge and retired driving for Wal-Mart in 2003. He was a former member of the Bluffton Moose Lodge and the Eagles.

On July 30, 1966 in Bluffton, Doc and Roxanna M. (Perry) Thompson were married. Doc always lovingly referred to her as "Wahoo" and she survives in Poneto. He is also survived by a son Tracy E. (Lori) Thompson of Bluffton and five granddaughters: Ashley Thompson of Fort Wayne, Amber Thompson, Kendra Thompson and Kristy Thompson all of Bluffton and Tara Disheaux of Fort Wayne along with 11 great-grandchildren: Tristen & Bentley Markley, Grant & Colin Nunley, Zach Jr., Alivia, Zavier and Aaliyah Chacon, Jane Azzara, Landon Lawhorn, Gianna Disheaux.

He is also survived by his brothers: Jerry W. Thompson, Edward D. Thompson, William E. Thompson, all of Bluffton.

Doc is preceded in death by his parents, and siblings: Donna M. Combs, Joy D. Thompson, Betty Ann Holland and Jean Perry.

A service to celebrate Doc's life will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday (June 16, 2016) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Pastor James L. Poling will officiate. Calling hours will be on Wednesday from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. and for one hour prior to the service. Burial will take place at Grove

Cemetery in Poneto. Memorials may be made to the family. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the family at www.thomarich.com.

Cemetery Details

Grove Cemetery

5136 South 100 East
Bluffton, IN 46714

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **15**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Visitation

JUN **16**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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Service

JUN 16. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson*



Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home - June 16, 2016 at 02:43 PM



“ *Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Tyler Lowe lit a candle in memory of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson*



Tyler Lowe - August 12, 2016 at 10:40 AM



“ *Brandi Brickley Bywater lit a candle in memory of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson*



Brandi Brickley Bywater - June 25, 2016 at 10:02 AM

TP

“Doc”, yes I will miss all his good will and humor, as I knew him best as we both drove truck, and sometimes together, and I will just say, he made it interesting, as with a couple of trips in particular. OI Doc was a good man of good will, willing to help anyone in need, at times, beyond himself.

Kenny will be remembered by all who ever had contact with him, and condolences to the family of Kenny "Doc" Thompson, as he was a doctor of good will, and will be missed.

Tom Plummer

Tom Plummer - June 18, 2016 at 09:38 AM

JN

“ Oh Uncle Kenny, So sad to hear of your passing and so flooded with memories. I wish I had made it a point to visit you and Annie in recent years. You both meant the world to me. So many wonderful and ridiculous memories. I remember when you asked everyone if they wanted to see your pride and joy, then you pulled out a picture from your wallet of "Joy" dishsoap and a can of "Pride" cleaning product. Typical uncle kenny. And the way you were always there for Grandma Donna- I may have been young but I noticed. No one had a bigger impact on my life than uncle kenny and aunt annie. You were the best uncle ever. I wish I would have told you that in person. I hope you knew. Sad I couldn't be there for the funeral. I love you.

-Jaime Newman

Jaime Newman - June 17, 2016 at 11:21 AM

RH

“ So sorry to hear of Kennnys passing. Sending thoughts and prayers

Rosalee Hockenberry - June 17, 2016 at 10:56 AM

JD

“ Kenny was a good friend and I send my condolences to his family. May he rest in peace.

Jerry Dillon - June 15, 2016 at 06:52 PM

PM

“ Doc you will be missed severely but never forgotten to his family I am sorry for your loss he was a great man with a heart of gold All of his stories and jokes and wobble water I'll keep forever in my memories it was a pleasure being your friend and neighbor for the last 30 years

Paul Miller - June 15, 2016 at 11:12 AM

AS

His presence is missed to this day ❤️


Ashley - February 07, 2025 at 10:48 PM

MS

“ Margaret Schwartz lit a candle in memory of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson



Margaret schwartz - June 15, 2016 at 05:57 AM


Adeline
Wengerd

“ Kenny was a very dear friend an a good hearted man....he done anything to help others if they were in need! I am so happy that we had him at our house for his last birthday!! Rest In Peace Dear Friend ♡♡



Adeline Wengerd - June 14, 2016 at 09:53 PM

AW

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Adeline wengerd - June 14, 2016 at 09:47 PM

AW

“ Kenny was a very dear friend....we loved him very much an I am so happy that we had him at our house for his last birthday :(he will be greatly missed..he always had a good heart an would do anything to help others in need!! Rest In Peace Dear Friend ♡♡



Adeline wengerd - June 14, 2016 at 09:35 PM

JK

“ Kenny and Dad had been friends forever... Boy did they have some stories to tell. Will really miss running into Kenny here and there :(



Jeff Kiser - June 14, 2016 at 08:03 PM

PC

“ My thoughts and prayers goes out to all the family. He was such a hoot to be around. He will be missed



patty campbell - June 14, 2016 at 05:51 PM

JH

“ Joyce Rothgeb Huss lit a candle in memory of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson



Joyce Rothgeb Huss - June 14, 2016 at 05:23 PM

LN

“ I've known Doc for many years. My condolences to the family. Larry Newnard

Larry Newnard - June 14, 2016 at 02:15 PM

JF

“ We will all remember him you will be greatly missed



Jordan daugherty and family - June 14, 2016 at 01:28 PM

LB

“ Larry Niblick And Meri Blinn lit a candle in memory of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson



Larry Niblick and Meri Blinn - June 14, 2016 at 12:38 PM

LB

Supposed to say Larry Niblick and Meri Blinn

Larry Niblick and Meri Blinn - June 14, 2016 at 12:40 PM

LB

“ *Larry Niblick And Meri Blinn lit a candle in memory of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson*



Larry Niblick and Meri Blinn - June 14, 2016 at 11:44 AM

TC

“ *Tammy & Shawn Connett lit a candle in memory of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson*



Tammy & Shawn Connett - June 14, 2016 at 09:42 AM

RG

“ *To the "Family of Kenny Thompson" Our Hearts and Prayers go out to each and everyone of you all,, " Kenny was a wonderful and caring gentleman," Who will be sadley missed by everyone,, He always had a smile on his face and laughter in his heart, and compassion for everyone that was around him... He was a "best friend to every person he saw,, and would do anything to help others,, may he rest in peace and god be with him and the family at this sad time,, god bless you all..*
ruth davis graham and gary davis.. and family..



ruth davis graham - June 14, 2016 at 09:19 AM

CH

“ Thinking about all of you during this time.
Prayers and condolences



cami hanlon - June 14, 2016 at 07:46 AM

JD

“ Jenni (Gavin) Dunnuck lit a candle in memory
of Kenny "Doc" E. Thompson



Jenni (Gavin) Dunnuck - June 14, 2016 at 12:32 AM

CZ

“ Cindy Zook lit a candle in memory of Kenny
"Doc" E. Thompson



Cindy Zook - June 13, 2016 at 07:05 PM



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