

Raymond Spencer Sheely

Raymond was born on June 10, 1937, in Rapid City. He lived in Keystone for 17 years and went 1st through 10th grades there, and 11th and 12th in Hill City. He and his siblings and Mom and Dad moved to Sturgis, where he joined the National Guard from 1956 to 1964. He worked at the Saw Mill in Sturgis.

Raymond married his wife, Marlene, in 1960, and had two daughters, Darlene and Cheryl. He started work at Fort Meade in 1960, and worked there for 33 years. He retired and then took care of his parents and built a house from the ground up.

Raymond learned how to play the guitar and always enjoyed music. He was very dedicated to his family and took very good care of them through the years.

Raymond Spencer Sheely, 82, of Park City, MT, died Monday, March 2, 2020, Laurel, MT.

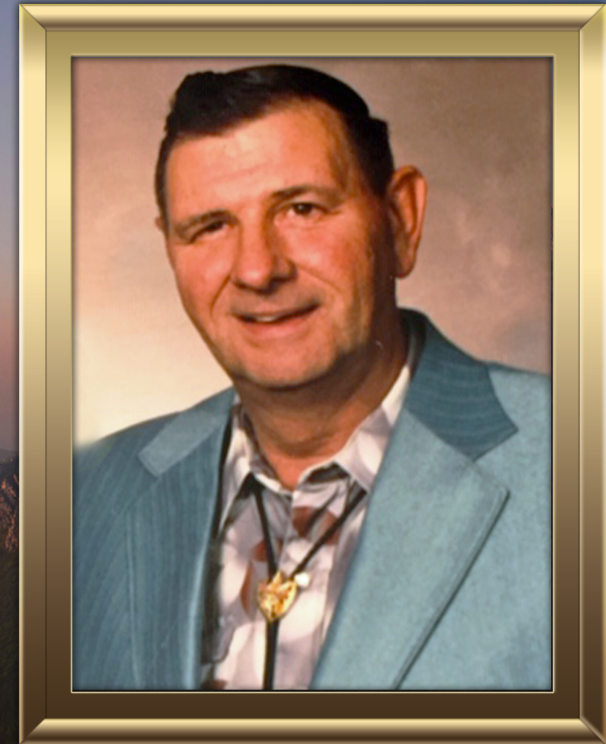
He is survived by his wife, Marlene Sheely; his sister, Hazel McRoberts; his brother, Wayne Sheely; his daughter, Cheryl Russell; grandkids, Bryan Russell, Steven (Tracy) Russell, Tamara (Patrick) Wilcox; and 9 great-grandkids.

Raymond is preceded in death by his parents, Chuck and Alma Sheely; his daughter, Darlene; his sister, Delona Frost; and two nephews, Lance Sheely and Wilbur McRoberts.

Memorial has been established to the Shriner's transportation fund.

Condolences can be sent to www.kinkadefunerals.com

The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch at the Sturgis Masonic Center at 3747 Old Whitewood road following the service and coffee and cookies following committal service in Keystone at the United Church of Christ. We thank you for your presence and condolences.




In Loving Memory

Raymond Spencer Sheely


June 10, 1937 ~ March 2, 2020

Footprints


One night I had a dream.



I was walking along the beach with the Lord, and across the skies flashed scenes from my life. In each scene I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand. One was mine, and one was the Lord's.



When the last scene of my life appeared before me, I looked back at the footprints in the sand, and to my surprise I noticed that there was only one set of footprints. And I noticed that it was at the lowest and saddest times in my life.



I asked the Lord about it. "Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you, you would walk with me all the way. But I notice that during the most troublesome times in my life there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why you left my side when I needed you most."

The Lord replied, "My precious child, I love you and would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, where you see only one set of footprints, I was carrying you."

In Memory Of ***Raymond Spencer Sheely***

Date of Birth

June 10, 1937
Rapid City, South Dakota

Date of Death

March 2, 2020
Laurel, Montana

Service

Saturday, March 7, 2020, at 11:00 a.m.
Kinkade Funeral Chapel
Sturgis, South Dakota

Speaker

Chip Dye

Musicians

John Culbertson Rick Metz

Songs

"One Day At A Time" "Grandpa"
"John Culbertson Medley"

Pallbearers

Bryan Russell ~ Steven Russell ~ Rick Metz
Kevin Werlinger ~ Kevin Clem ~ Pat Wilcox

Honorary Pallbearers

All Ray's Family and Friends

Graveside Rites

Masonic Lodge Olive Branch #47 A.F. & A.M.

Final Resting Place

Keystone Mountain View Cemetery
Keystone, South Dakota