



## Loren "Bud" Sheeks

September 17, 1938 - July 18, 2015

Loren "Bud" Sheeks, 76, of Bowling Green, died Saturday night, July 18, 2015.

He was born September 17, 1938 in Wood County, Ohio to the late Melvin and Charlotte (Nickols) Sheeks. On June 1, 1956 he married Ellen Ducat and she preceded him in death. On April 13, 2002 he married Leona (Wachter) Boyer.

Bud was a welder for over 19 years at Daybrook, Bowling Green. In the mid 70's he started the family business, Sheeks Farm Drainage.

He was a member of Dayspring Assembly of God, Bowling Green. Bud was an avid coon hunter, loved blue grass country music, old western movies, camping and making his own folk art instruments. He will be remembered as an ornery, fun-loving man, cherished by his family.

Bud is survived by wife, Leona; children, Timothy (Susan) Sheeks; Matthew (Katherine) Sheeks; Karen (Dean) Smith; daughter-in-law, Lori Sheeks; 8 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; sister, Phyllis (John) Seibert; step children, Terri (Larry) Bonham; Jerry Boyer; Jim (Melanie) Boyer; Sue (Robert) Miller; 9 step grandchildren and 4 step great grandchildren.

He was also preceded in death by son, Alan "Punch" Sheeks and sister, Dora Leimgruber.

Services are 11:00 a.m., Wednesday at Dayspring Assembly of God, Bowling Green.

Interment will follow in Milton Township Cemetery, Custar, Ohio.

Visitation is 2-8 p.m., Tuesday at Rodenberger Funeral Home, Deshler and 10-11 a.m.

Wednesday at church.

Memorials are suggested to Dayspring Assembly of God; Hope Lutheran Church or Bridge Hospice.

[www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com](http://www.rodenbergerfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Milton Township Cemetery

Custar, OH

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUL 21.** 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Napoleon Funeral Home  
1010 Westmoreland Avenue  
Napoleon, OH 43545  
(419) 592-2333  
[help@rodenbergergray.com](mailto:help@rodenbergergray.com)

# Tribute Wall

GD

“ Bud came into the lives of the Ducat family at an early age when his family (Melvin and Charlotte) moved to the farm up the road from us on Rt 295. As teenagers he and my sister, Ellen had an attraction to each other that really took hold. As they say: “The rest is history”. My introduction to the Sheeks family was full of surprise. I never saw so much musical talent in one family. This explains Bud’s love of music to the very end. He will be missed. Glenn Ducat (Brother-in-law)



Glenn Ducat - July 24, 2015 at 09:11 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Loren "Bud" Sheeks.



July 23, 2015 at 05:17 PM

BF

“ Thinking of you during this time of your loss. In deepest sympathy, keep your memories near you heart. God Bless you all and you all are in our prayers.

Becky Wells-Freeman and Mark

Becky J Freeman - July 21, 2015 at 07:00 PM

SW

“ Leona and family - thinking of you during this difficult time. He was truly one of a kind. I'm sure he's singing some Bluegrass with the angels! Keeping you in my prayers.

Sandy Wiechman - July 21, 2015 at 08:24 AM

BC

“ My deepest condolences to Leona , Phyllis & family May your memories give you strength in the coming days.

*I will always remember the great time we had at the campsite a few years ago when my brother Melvin & sis Julia brought us by to visit. Bud was quite a character and liked to tease a little but he sure could sing some Bluegrass tunes...Until we meet again Bud may you Rest In Peace.*

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**Barbara & Don Coon** - July 20, 2015 at 08:38 PM



“ Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Loren "Bud" Sheeks.



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July 20, 2015 at 08:30 PM

RA

“ We remember Bud having a sense of humor and liking to tease. Also we have a CD of him singing Blue Grass music, which we know he really liked. Our Sympathy goes out to Leona and all of Bud & Leon's families. May Our loving Savior, Jesus comfort to all of you.

*Love,  
Ralph & Miriam Aufdenkamp*

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**Ralph & Miriam Aufdenkamp** - July 20, 2015 at 07:57 AM