



## Showman Kenneth

March 2, 2012

Kenneth L. Showman May 28, 1938-March 2, 2012 Kenneth L. Showman, 73, of Napoleon, Ohio died Friday March 2, 2012 at his residence. He was born May 28, 1938 in Napoleon to the late Raymond and Edna (Gaede) Showman. On February 5, 1961 he married Marlene (Sonnenberg) Showman at St. John Lutheran Church - Freedom Twp. Ken owned and operated "Ken's Friendly Service" for 50 plus years. He loved his favorite hobby, "working" as an expert auto mechanic. He will always be remembered by his great smile and laughter which brought him many customers and friends that have remained a part of his happiness in life. He also loved spending time with his children and grandchildren supporting them in their lives and their many activities. Ken is survived by his wife of 51 years, Marlene of Napoleon, and children, Denise and Duane Sholl, Dennis and Robin Showman, and Douglas and Karla Showman all of Napoleon, and his grandchildren, Ashley, Alyssa, Jared, Kyle, Zach and Derek, brothers, Robert Showman of Napoleon, Ron (Barb) Showman of Fremont, and sisters, Arlene (Lee) Miller of McClure, Marlene (George) Downey of Toledo, and Barb (Duane) Haselman of Deshler. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Teresa Ann Showman, and brothers and sisters, Burdette Showman, Larry Showman, and Carolyn Talmadge. Funeral Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 6 at St. John Lutheran Church Freedom Twp officiating Pastor Peter Marcis. Interment will follow at the church cemetery. Visitation will be held on Monday from 2-8 p.m. at Rodenberger Funeral Home in Napoleon, and on Tuesday 1 hour prior to

services at the church. The family suggests memorials to St. John Freedom Lutheran Church Building Fund, St. John's School Memorial Fund, or to a charity of the donors choice.

# Tribute Wall



“ Sorry about the loss of your Husband, Father and Grandfather. Tom enjoyed talking to Ken at the station and at Walmart. I also enjoyed talking to him at Walmart.##imported-begin##Thomas & Barbara Clymer##imported-end##

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March 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ My prayers are with Kenny's family.##imported-begin##Jim Leonard##imported-end##

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March 07, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Aunt Marlene, Dennis, Denise, Doug, and their families. I will miss Uncle Kenny and sorry I was unable to attend the services!Love you all,LaRae##imported-begin##Larae Bryant##imported-end##

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March 06, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ You have my deepest sympathies##imported-begin##Linda##imported-end##

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March 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Marlene & family, You have our deepest sympathy!Norbert & Linda Sonnenberg##imported-begin##Norbert Sonnenberg##imported-end##

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March 05, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Showman Family, We are sorry to hear of the death of Kenny. He was our Napoleon school classmate for 12 years. Our sympathy to all of you. Ben and Graceann Reese##imported-begin##John B Reese##imported-end##

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March 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM