

## Lloyd O'Driscoll Wilde "Ducky"



Lloyd O'Driscoll Wilde, passed away on Sunday, February 27, 2011 at the age of 96, to once again "dance and hold hands" with his eternal companion and sweetheart, Mary Edna Ovard Wilde. Lloyd "Ducky" was born in Coalville, Utah on September 24, 1914 to Joseph Edward and Susie O'Driscoll Wilde.

Lloyd is survived by his daughters: Sharon (Gary) Pace, of Hoytsville; DiAnn (Bill) Staples, of Coalville; Pamela (Dave) Robbins, of Henefer; a son-in-law, Vernal Carter, of Porterville; and a sister-in-law, Wilma Wilde, of Bountiful; 19 grandchildren, 60 great-grandchildren and 5 great-great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary; Daughter, Connie Lu Carter; great grandson, Justin Andersen; brothers; Lee, Fred, Jesse, and Albert; Sisters; Ellen, Annie, and Hazel.

He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and loved doing Temple work with his wife. Lloyd and Mary were married on June 22, 1935 and were later sealed in the Salt Lake LDS Temple on April 14, 1958. They happily shared 69 years together prior to her death on August 28, 2004. He was a Scout leader and talked often of the scouts in his care. He and his wife helped with numerous Cub Scout projects over the years and assisted with projects for the Primary children. He was a dedicated Home Teacher.

Lloyd attended school in Coalville. He could often be found working on the family farm as well as lending a helping hand to other farmers in the area. He loved sharing stories concerning his childhood, farm work, experience working in the coal-mines, his railroad and cement plant employment, and the many changes he had seen in life. He enjoyed spending time with his children and his grandchildren were his pride and joy. He loved working with "wood" and family members have many items created by him, especially the little wooden fences. He loved being outdoors in his yard.

"Ducky" gave many hours of service to the Henefer Camp Daughters of Utah Pioneers and served as a member of the Henefer Town Council.

Special thanks to grandchildren and neighbors who pitched in to assist. A niece, Arvilla Fawcett, and a nephew/neighbor, Doyle and Karen Ovard. Also to Alpine Hospice "angels," Kathy, Elsie, Corey Ann, Justin and Tonya.

Not one to call attention to himself, "Ducky" was a "gentle giant" to his family and appreciated all acts of kindness expressed in his behalf. He took great care of his "Mary" and loved his family dearly. He had a wonderful sense of humor and loved to laugh. We will all miss him greatly—till we meet again.

Funeral services will be held at the Henefer Ward LDS Meeting House on Thursday, March 3, 2011 at Noon. A viewing will be held at the church from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday evening and from 10:45 to 11:45 on Thursday. Interment will be at the Henefer Cemetery. Services directed by Goff Mortuary.