



Loren N. Slinkard

January 4, 1927 - June 21, 2016

Loren N. Slinkard, age 89, of Cape Girardeau died Tuesday, June 21, 2016 at Chateau Girardeau.

He was born on January 4, 1927 in Marble Hill, Missouri to Marion J. and Blanche V. (Pair) Slinkard. He married Mary N. Lewis on October 10, 1958. She preceded him in death on June 22, 2014.

Loren was a member of the First Baptist Church where he taught Sunday School for many years. He was a graduate of Southeast Missouri State University.

After retiring October 13, 1982, Loren and Mary traveled the world for the next 20 years, visiting nearly every country in the world. They were fond of cruising and were on 61 ships sailing the oceans and seas. They crossed the Atlantic Ocean 37 times and the Pacific 23 times. They also traveled to the Arctic and had 4 landings in Antarctica. They made 6 trips around the world and went on 9 safaris (7 in Africa and 2 in India). They had been to all 50 States and all Canadian provinces.

Loren is survived by his daughter, Sharon Cortelyou (Carol Seithel) of St. Louis, Missouri; 1 grandson, Gary (Melinda) Pope of Flint, Michigan; 6 great grandchildren and 1 great-great grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his wife, all of his siblings and 1 daughter, Diane L. Pope.

Visitation will be held from 10:00 AM until the time of service Thursday, June 23, 2016 at Crain Funeral Home in Cape Girardeau.

Funeral services for Loren N. Slinkard will be held at noon Thursday at the funeral home with Rev. Stan Hargis officiating. Interment with military honors will follow at 2:00 PM at the Missouri Veteran's Cemetery in Bloomfield.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **23**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Cape Girardeau
829 N. West End Blvd
(4 blocks north of Southeast Hospital)
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
(573) 335-3223
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Interment with Military Honors

JUN **23**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Mo State Veteran Cemetery
17357 Stars and Stripes Way
Bloomfield, MO 63825-8487
(573) 568-3871

Tribute Wall



“ *Loren N. Slinkard*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *So sorry about your loss, Loren was my youngest uncle but never got to see him very often, In fact it had been years, thanks for pictures and some pleasant memories.*

Do remember a few stories about his wartime experiences.

Marion Green

Marion Green - June 23, 2016 at 10:58 AM



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Gale Slinkard - June 22, 2016 at 12:22 PM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. Prayers to you and your family and a big hug to you Sharon. May the peace of the Lord be with you.*

Julia Bowen - June 22, 2016 at 08:39 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Loren N. Slinkard.



June 22, 2016 at 08:05 AM



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melinda pope - June 21, 2016 at 07:02 PM



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