



## Harris Ludden

October 26, 1934 - August 16, 2011

TORRINGTON, WYOMING.....Grave side services for HARRIS L. LUDDEN, 76, will be held at 2pm Friday, August 19, 2011 at the Valley View Cemetery with Pastor Fred Voltmer officiating. Harris died at his home on August 16, 2011. Visitation will be Thursday from 5pm to 7pm at the funeral home. Arrangements are under the direction of the Colyer Funeral Home and friends may send condolences to the family at [www.colyerfuneralhome.com](http://www.colyerfuneralhome.com). Harris was born October 26, 1934 on a farm north of Morrill, Nebraska in Sioux County the sixth of eight children of Chauncey and Eunice (Harris) Ludden. While growing up he lived in Morrill and Henry Nebraska, and Torrington, Wyoming. In 1953 he moved to Lander, Wyoming and in October of 1975 he returned to Torrington to work at DSI. He worked in the recycling center. He liked to bowl and knew almost everyone in Goshen County and rarely forgot a name. He knew people's vehicles because he memorized license plate numbers. His favorite sibling was his brother Chris. Harris is survived by his special friend and companion Cindy Wagaman; three sisters Jacqueline Anderson of Henry, Nebraska, Patricia Croft of Copeland, Kansas, and Sharon Hocksprung of Warrensburg, Missouri; two brothers Harley Ludden and his wife Nancy of Shipshewana, Indiana, and Chris Ludden of Redfield, South Dakota; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; and two sisters Tressa Arnold and Glenna Knopfle.

# Tribute Wall

LH

“ Chris and family, what a special person Harris was!! And all of us at happy hour and on the street just loved having Harris in our presence. He was so fun to visit with, but his most important question ALWAYS, was, “..seen Chris?” And of course, pretty soon, here comes Harris' little brother which always put a smile on his face. I just loved Harris, I'm sure he is sadly missed.

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**Laurie Hager** - August 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FM

“ Having grown up in Torrington, I came to know Harris from my early youth. He was a kind and gentle man and effected many people in Torrington, including my large family. I am truly sorry about his death, but please rest in the peace that Heavenly Father has prepared a special Place for him in Heaven.

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**Freeman Mark** - August 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FM

“ Having grown up in Torrington and living there until '65 I was honored to know Harris and had contact with him many times. I knew his as a kind and gentle soul who touched the lives of my whole family and many more in Torrington. I am truly sorry for the loss of this good man, and still think of him frequently. Heavenly Father has prepared a special place for Harris in Heaven.

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**Freeman Mark** - August 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ I am so sorry for your loss. May "the God of all comfort" (2 Corinthians 1:3,4) comfort and soothe your heart. His promises, found in the Holy Scriptures, can offer much hope. It assures us at John 5:28,29 that our loved ones will be remembered and brought back to life in the resurrection. Please allow God's Word to strengthen you and help you to endure this most difficult time.

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**S Ford** - August 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ I am Lennie Grapes Sandlian, daughter of Leroy and Dorothy Grapes of Jay Em. I have many fond memories of Harris and especially Chauncey and Eunice. And I remember you, too, Chris. One of the memories I have is my dad laughing at Chauncey's joke about the race--good day for a race--the human race. Oh me! Many years of togetherness on the ranch which we sold 10 years ago. So sorry to hear of Harris passing--he always amazed me that he would know Craig and I, even after not seeing us for a long time.

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**Lennie Sandlian** - August 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BR

“ Harris and I grew up together in Henry, Nebraska. He was such a joy to be around and I certainly had a lot of fights protecting him. My wife, Judy, really loved Harris as well. He was always welcome in our home. He was really quite a guy and I hope people really appreciated the knowledge he had and also a large heart filled with love for everyone. We will miss Harris and I know he is making everyone in Heaven very happy. He was a very happy person that was filled with many virtue's that God gave him.

*Bob Rowe and Judy Rowe*

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**Bob Rowe** - August 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Our Blessings to you 5, Jacque, Pat, Sharon, Harley & Chris and your families at the loss of Harris. He was a great teacher for all of us. Letting us understand better of what the world is given through his kind heart and love he had for so many. His Blessing has come to him.

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**Marion Harris Weickum** - August 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ Jacque, Pat, Sharon, Harley, Chris and families: What a road we all traveled through our lives with Harris. He was a teacher for all of us. We were blessed with him in our lives. we love you. His Blessing has now come to him.

*Marion (Harris) & Stan Weickum*

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**Marion Harris Weickum** - August 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM