



## Raymond L. Lewis

May 13, 1921 - April 26, 2016

Raymond L. Lewis, 94, of Mentone, Indiana passed at 10:25 am, Tuesday, April 26, 2016 at Mason Health Care of Warsaw, Ind.

He was born on May 13, 1921 in Argos, Marshall County, Ind. to Ernest H. and Cloie (Biddinger) Lewis.

He was married on November 25, 1945 in Mentone, Ind. Grace Alice Rans, who preceded on August 12, 2015.

Raymond and his wife owned and operated Lewis Motors of Mentone for 42 years retiring in 1993. He and his wife also owned and operated Lewis Auto Sales of Mentone.

He was a graduate of Argos High School in 1939. He proudly served his country for 3 and half years in the Pacific Islands in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers during WWII and was honorably discharged on Nov. 20, 1945. He was an over 70-year member of the Mentone Baptist Church where he taught Sunday School and was a longtime Deacon. He was a charter member of the Mentone Chamber of Commerce and an over 75-year member of the Mentone Lions Club where he was very active. He and his wife were previously honored as Grand Marshall of the Mentone Egg Festival Parade. He will always be remembered as a gentle, quiet man of dignity, integrity, and a

community leader.

Survivors and place of residence:

Son - Steve and wife Lenore Lewis – Mentone, Indiana

Daughter – Sharon and husband Gary Creviston – Xenia, Ohio

5 Grandchildren – Stephanie and husband Shawn Collins – Etna Green, Ind.,

Gennifer and husband Troy Eaton – Walnut Creek, Ohio, Carey and wife

Melissa Lewis – Mentone, Ind., Miranda and husband Marc Motter –

Worthington, Ohio, Rachel Creviston and husband Simon Ibrahimy -

Washington, D.C.

8 Great Grandchildren – Ryan Castle, Hallie Doberstein, Taylor and Kara

Eaton, Tristyn and Kaitlyn Lewis, and Emily Grace and Samuel Motter

Step Grandchild – Lillie Collins

Many Nieces and Nephews

Preceded in Death By:

Parents - Ernest H. and Cloie Lewis

Wife - Grace Alice Lewis

Sister - Dorothy B. Bach

Brothers – Richard and Dean Lewis

Time and Date of Services: 2:00 pm, Friday, April 29, 2016

Place of Services: King Memorial Home, 101 North Tucker Street, Mentone, Ind.

Minister: Pastor Michael Wilhite and Pastor George Shoemaker

Place of Burial: Mentone Cemetery, Mentone, Indiana with graveside military rites being preformed by Warsaw American Legion and VFW

Visitation Hours: 5 pm to 8 pm, Thursday, April 28, 2016 at King Memorial Home, Mentone, Indiana

Memorial Contributions to: Mentone Lions Club or the Kosciusko County Home Care and Hospice or the Mentone Baptist Church



# Cemetery Details

## Mentone Cemetery

Morgan St Jefferson Street  
Mentone, IN 46539

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**APR 28.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

King Memorial Home  
101 North Tucker Street  
P.O. Box 56  
Mentone, IN 46539  
(574) 353-7975  
info@hartzlerfuneralservices.com  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Raymond L. Lewis



Hartzler Funeral Services - April 27, 2016 at 07:45 PM



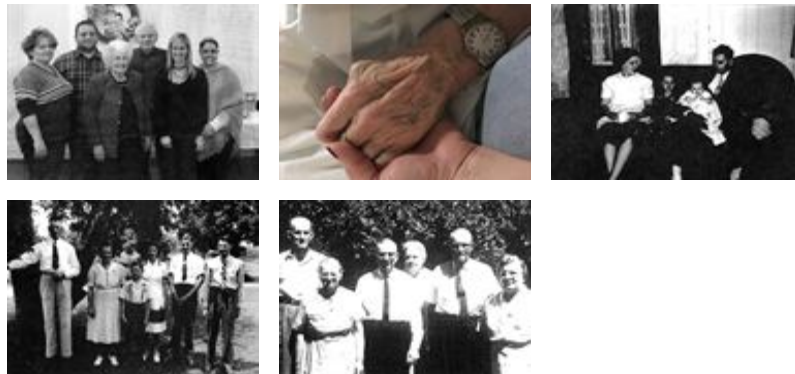
“ You have our sincere sympathy in your loss Richard & Patricia Goshert



Richard & Patricia Goshert - May 11, 2016 at 11:00 PM



“ 9 files added to the album LifeTributes



Hartzler Funeral Services - April 29, 2016 at 08:44 AM

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“ *Aj & Angela (Earl) Himes And Kids lit a candle in memory of Raymond L. Lewis*



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**Aj & Angela (Earl) Himes and kids** - April 28, 2016 at 03:07 PM

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*Our thoughts and prayers to you all during this difficult time. May God wrap His arms around you all!!*

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**Aj & Angela (Earl) Himes & kids** - April 28, 2016 at 03:09 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Raymond L. Lewis.*



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April 28, 2016 at 09:29 AM

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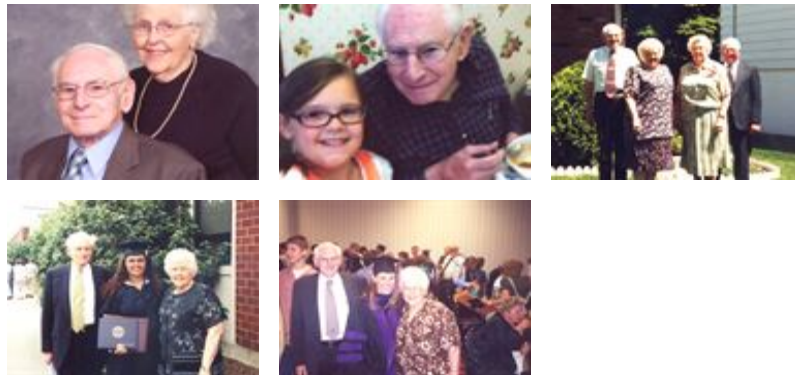
“ I am so sorry for your loss! I pray that you will find peace and comfort in the hope of Jesus. My name is Angela Amstutz Troyer and my dad, Ron Amstutz, worked for Raymond and Grace at Lewis Motors. I have many fond memories of Raymond. He and Grace treated us like family. One memory I have is sitting on one of the stools at the counter at Lewis Motors and Raymond pulling out his pliers and asking if he could help me pull a loose tooth with a twinkle in his eye and a smile on his face. May the sharing of memories and stories help know you to how much he was loved and respected and bring you comfort. May God bless you during this difficult time!

Angela Amstutz Troyer

Angela Troyer - April 28, 2016 at 06:33 AM



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Hartzler Funeral Services - April 27, 2016 at 07:34 PM

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“ A gentle, quiet man of dignity and integrity. Yes, a spiritual giant for his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. God called him to his Heavenly home. Friends and family were blessed to have him here for 94 years. So grateful for wonderful memories and the awesome legacy he left us. Humbly anticipating a Heavenly reunion with Raymond and Grace when it is our turn to be called "Home".

*May God wrap His everlasting arms of peace and comfort around each of you, Steve & Lenore, Shari & Gary, and grandchildren. May He grant you strength, good health, and joyful memories as you say "good-bye" to your father and grandfather, Raymond.*

*Gary and Joyce (Lewis) Spears  
Indianapolis, Indiana*

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**Joyce Lewis Spears** - April 27, 2016 at 04:46 PM

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“ Joyce Lewis Spears lit a candle in memory of Raymond L. Lewis



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**Joyce Lewis Spears** - April 27, 2016 at 04:28 PM