

Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston

July 9, 1937 - April 17, 2013

Gordon Meston passed away at the High River Hospital on April 17, 2013 at the age of 75 years. Gordon is survived by his loving wife Frances; children Randy (Kirby), Colleen (Ron) Slavik, Scott (Nola); grandchildren Keylan Meston, Ria Meston, Casey (Travis) Mytz, Kyle Slavik, Krista Slavik, Curtis Slavik, Levi Meston, Brodie Meston, Chet Meston and Peyton Meston and one great-granddaughter Leighton Mytz; brother Allen (Sylvia) Meston as well as numerous nieces, nephews, brothers and sisters-in-law. Gordon was predeceased by his parents Alexander and Georgina Meston and brother Grant.

Born on a small farm near Lestock Saskatchewan on July 9, 1937, Gordon Elliot Meston began his journey through life. Gordon was the eldest son of Alex and Georgina Meston.

Gordon's first job was with the Department of Highways in the Lestock/Leross districts. He then went on to work in Regina as a welder. Needing a change, he purchased a semi and this started his trucking career

Gordon married Frances Faye on November 29, 1958 in Regina Sask. They started their family having three children Randy, Colleen and Scott . In 1971, he moved his family to Calgary where he sold his semi and starting working as a welder in many remote locations including the Queen Charlotte Islands, Northwest Territories and United States building some of the first service

stations, pipelines and tank farms. Still trucking in his heart, in 1982, Gord, Fran and the boys purchased a trucking company which became Meston Livestock Transport, and is still owned by the family today. With many years of hauling livestock, Gord made many friends in the agricultural industry. Gord always loved the farming and ranching life style. He made this dream come true by purchasing seven quarters of land near Stettler spending the summer haying and tending to the cows. Not one to sit idle, another goal was to own a team of horses. Gord and Fran joined the Alberta Miniature Chuckwagon Racing Association. They would travel the country doing parades with his stage coach and racing his beautiful team of whites that were a force to be reckoned with. During the winter, Gord and Fran would pack up and head south, soaking up the sun and enjoying time with family.

If desired memorial donations may be made to the Alberta Heart and Stroke Foundation www.heartandstroke.ab.ca .

A Celebration of Gordon's Life will be held on Saturday, April 27th at 2:00 p.m. at the High River Full Gospel Church (1802 9 Ave. SE, High River). To send condolences and view Gordon's Tribute Page please visit www.lylereeves.com . Caring for the family is Lyle Reeves Funerals of High River (Craig Snodgrass) 403.652.4242.

Previous Events

Service

APR **27**. 2:00 PM (MT)

High River Full Gospel Tabernacle

1802 9 Avenue SE

High River, AB T1V 2A6 (CA)

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Tribute Wall

PB

“ *Paul & Judy Brears lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston*



Paul & Judy Brears - April 28, 2013 at 10:50 AM

NM

“ *Norm Meyers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston*



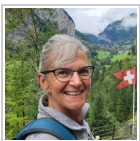
norm meyers - April 27, 2013 at 08:40 AM

IA

“ *Irene & Roy , Helen & Andy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston*



Irene & Roy , Helen & Andy - April 25, 2013 at 10:37 PM



“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Kirby Meston - April 25, 2013 at 07:38 PM



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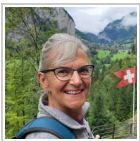
Kirby Meston - April 25, 2013 at 10:34 AM



“ 5 files added to the tribute wall



Kirby Meston - April 25, 2013 at 10:04 AM



“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Kirby Meston - April 25, 2013 at 09:49 AM

HR

“ *Helen Andy Rene Roy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston*



helen andy rene roy - April 23, 2013 at 10:11 PM

DN

“ *Fran and Family, Gordie will certainly be missed. Our hearts ache for you. Dwayne & Gloria, Daniel & Kim, Shawna & Derek*



Dwayne & Gloria Noble - April 23, 2013 at 11:40 AM

CM

“ *Fran and Family
We send our deepest sympathies. In our brief meetings at some of the mini chuck events you sure could tell Gord was a country gentleman.
Charles & Connie Money
Crossfield*

charles money - April 23, 2013 at 09:07 AM

LM

“ *Fran and family, We are so sorry for your loss. May your memories and the love of family and friends ease your sorrow during this time and always.*

Loretta & Gillis MacDonald - April 23, 2013 at 08:20 AM

DM

“ *Scott, Nola and family*
I'm sorry to hear about your dad. Thinking about the happy memories will help you through this sad time. My thoughts and prayers are with you.
Dan Meier

Dan Meier - April 22, 2013 at 08:24 PM

JS

“ *Jim & Shirley Stirling lit a candle in memory of*
Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston



Jim & Shirley Stirling - April 22, 2013 at 10:23 AM

IA

“ *Irene Roy Helen Andy lit a candle in memory*
of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston



irene roy helen andy - April 21, 2013 at 10:30 PM

TF

“ *Dearest Scott (and Nola), We are so sorry to hear about your dad's passing. No words can make the ache in your heart any lighter, just know that we are here for you whenever you need. Lots of Love*
Tracy and Stephane Fortin

Tracy Fortin - April 21, 2013 at 04:59 PM

DO

“ Dear Scott and Nola
My deepest sympathies to you and your family. I understand the feeling of deep loss that you are going through. It is a time for memories and reflection which will help you and your family through these sad days. Thank you for being there for me and my family this past week.
Diane

Diane Osberg - April 21, 2013 at 04:52 PM

DO

“ Diane Osberg lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston



Diane Osberg - April 21, 2013 at 04:45 PM

HR

“ Helen Andy Irene Roy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston



helen andy irene roy - April 20, 2013 at 12:43 PM

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“ Helen Andy Irene Roy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston



helen andy irene roy - April 20, 2013 at 12:42 PM

HE

“ Although no words can ease the pain you feel, just know that you are very close in our thoughts and prayers. Gord will be greatly missed. With Deepest Sympathy Irene & Roy Dodd, Helen & Andy Hordos. With Love and Hugs.

helen - April 20, 2013 at 12:39 PM

WS

“ Wendy & Ken Stadlwiser lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston



wendy & ken stadlwiser - April 20, 2013 at 12:19 PM

KS

“ Kelly & Heather Sehn lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gordon Elliott Meston



Kelly & Heather Sehn - April 18, 2013 at 10:03 PM