



## Journal (Junior) Dove

May 29, 1920 - November 22, 2012

Journal (Junior) A. Dove passed away quietly with his loving wife Ruth by his side November 22, 2012 at his home in Coulee City.

Junior was born in Pittsville, Missouri on May 29, 1920 to the late Journal and Mary (Smith) Dove. He spent his early years in Missouri. Then he came to Washington. He served in the Army during World War II from 1942-1946. He was honorably discharged in 1946.

He farmed for awhile then he opened Dove Hay & Feed. For many years he bought and sold hay all over the basin. In 1970, he and his family moved to Coulee City and hauled for Almira Grain Growers and later Central Washington Grain Growers.

When he retired in 1985, he went into the cattle business. He loved animals, especially horses. He enjoyed fishing. He taught his kids, grandkids, and great grandkids to fish. Kids loved him, Perch feared him.

He is survived by his wife Ruth, his daughters Patricia Johnson of Roy, WA; Carol Jean (Dalton) Johnston of Roy, WA; Robin Seabold of Spokane, WA; Anita Cavar of Tacoma, WA; Roxanne (Matt) Neilan of Coulee City, WA; and Denise (Monty) Ludeman of Waterville, WA; his son Robert (Pam) of Coulee City, WA; 17 grandchildren, and 19 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son Charles, a daughter Rhonda Logg, and a granddaughter Haley May Ludman.

He will be greatly missed.

Please express your thoughts and memories for the family at

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