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James Burel Littlefield

BIRTH 13 Sep 1941

DEATH 24 Jul 2004 (aged 62)

BURIAL Morris Hill Cemetery

Boise, Ada County, Idaho, USA

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James B. Littlefield, 62, passed away Saturday, July 24, 2004 in Boise, Idaho peacefully at his home from cancer. A funeral service held Wednesday, July 28, 2004 at Summers Funeral Homes, Ustick Chapel. He was born September 13, 1941 in Salt Lake City, Utah to Burel John Littlefield and Beth Louise (Bennion) Littlefield. Jim was the first graduating class at Borah High School in 1959. He was very involved in sports and his top favorites he participated in were track, football, and wrestling. Jim was a jack-of-alltrades. He was self-employed and very happy and successful with it, but no matter what he had going on that day, it would all start off with his morning cup of coffee at Denny's. In 1973, Jim married Janine K. Olney. They had two daughters who survive him, Jodie L. Chandler and Jamie A. Ballard, both of Meridian, Idaho; and his longtime friend/employee Barry Luko was like an adopted son to him. Jim and Janine divorced in 1978. He has four grandchildren, Kayla Losee. Preston Chandler, Brian and Kyle Ballard, and Jodie Chandler is expecting another child in August. Jim is also survived by his two sisters, Evonne Davis of Meridian, Idaho and Sue Hammer of Salt Lake City, Utah; one brother, Ray Littlefield of Boise, Idaho; his girlfriend, Deborah Buckner of 1½ years. She got him to do things we never thought were possible. Like this past Christmas, he dressed up as Santa Claus. Jim was a one-ofa-kind person that when you met him for the first time you would never forget him. He knew people everywhere he went and if he didn't, he would by the time he left. He

loved to collect "beads and trinkets" and give them to family and friends. When Jim acquired his little piece of heaven known as his "cabin" outside of Idaho City, he was on cloud nine. He loved to watch the wildlife, fill his hummingbird feeders, and listen to the sound of the creek that runs right in his backyard. He enjoyed his family and friends to come up so he could share the beauty of "His Mountain." Jim had a wonderful, simple life that he enjoyed so much. His life was full with close family and wonderful lifetime friends. He had such a great impact on so many people's lives. He was a wonderful father, brother, grandfather, and uncle. He will be deeply missed by all of us. We love you and we all will see you again someday.

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