

**Jesse Homer Copeland**

89, a resident of Lincoln, Arkansas passed away July 29, 2008 at his home near Lincoln, Arkansas He was born October 20, 1918 at Orr, Oklahoma the son of James Lee and Jennie Dickey Copeland.

Jesse was a member of the New Sulphur Freewill Baptist Church. He participated in the CC Camps in early 1930's. He was the Scout Master for Troop 316 in Cement, Oklahoma for seven years and was head of construction for 18 1/2 years for Stanley-Barber Company in Fort Smith before retiring to become a farmer.

Survivors include his wife of 67 years, Audra Fay Perkins Copeland of the home; four sons, James Copeland of Muldrow, Oklahoma, Kenneth Copeland of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, Greg Copeland of Prairie Grove, Arkansas and Jack Copeland of Moultrie, Georgia; two daughters, Darlene Copeland of Lincoln, Arkansas and Patricia Tilson of Bakersfield, Missouri; one sister, Christine Norton of Hugoton, Kansas; seventeen grandchildren, twenty three great grandchildren, six great great grandchildren.

**APPRECIATION**

On behalf of the Copeland family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many acts of kindness, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

**Luginbuel Funeral Home**  
**Prairie Grove, Arkansas**

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**Jesse H. Copeland**

October 20, 1918 - July 29, 2008

### "I'm Free"

Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free,  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took his hand when I heard Him call,  
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day,  
To laugh, to love, to work or play.  
Task left undone must stay that way,  
I've found that peace at the close of day.

If my parting has left a void,  
Fill it now with remembered joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
Ah yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow,  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I've savored much,  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free.



### CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF

Jesse H. Copeland

### DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

Friday, August 1, 2008 2:00 P.M.  
New Sulphur Freewill Baptist Church - Prairie Grove, Arkansas

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### ORDER OF SERVICE

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#### Prelude Music

"What I Leave Behind"

Jimmy Bartholomew

#### Obituary

Paul Woodhouse

Chaplain - Washington Regional Medical Center

#### Scripture

#### Prayer

#### Eulogy

Dennis Piearcy

"Go Rest High On That Mountain"

Words of Comfort & Victory

Glen Faulkner

#### Prayer

"I Want Us To Be Together in Heaven"

Glen Faulkner

#### Family Memories Video

"Instrumental Selection"

"Just Want To Go Home"

#### Postlude Music

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GRAVE SIDE SERVICES WILL FOLLOW IN THE PRAIRIE GROVE CEMETERY PAVILION

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### FINAL RESTING PLACE

Prairie Grove Cemetery  
Prairie Grove, Arkansas

### PALLBEARERS

Brad Copeland - Greg Tilson - Casey Copeland  
Shane Copeland - John Copeland - Alex Copeland

### HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Jesse Piearcy - Eugene Piearcy - Sam Sorensen - Les Jones