



## Grant Edward Gose

August 8, 1934 - June 16, 2015

Grant “Bud” Gose, 80, passed away June 16, 2015 at home. He was born August 8, 1934 to Grant and Minerva Gose in Toledo. He attended Toledo Public Schools until moving into the Washington Local District beginning with his eighth grade year. He quickly made many friends, some of whom still meet monthly for breakfast. They like to be referred to as the “ROMEOS”, which stands for Retired Old Men Eating Out. Bud graduated from Whitmer high school, class of 1952. He excelled on the football field, earning the moniker “Galloping Gose”. He served as President of his class each of his four years. After graduating from high school, Bud and his friends spent time on the rodeo circuit before he entered the Army where he served his Country from 1955-1957.

He returned home from the Service and began working in the family business, Gose & Son Market, until it was sold in 1993. During that time, Bud also coached the Shoreland Firebirds Football team for 25 years, touching the lives of many young players. Bud then went to work for Washington Local Schools, starting as a Safety Aide and then moved into custodial work at various schools. He was known to whistle constantly while he worked; therefore anyone needing him knew exactly where to find him. Due to health issues, Bud retired from the school system in 2006 and, after a brief time away he returned to Shoreland School to volunteer. There he became affectionately known as “Kernel Bud” for his practice of making popcorn for the students

every Friday, where he dressed in crazy hats and shirts to coordinate with holidays and other special events.

Bud was an avid Buckeye fan, to the extent of purchasing and decorating his red truck to show his pride. You knew he was close by when you heard his horn loudly playing the Ohio State fight song. Bud enjoyed attending Whitmer football and basketball games, as well as many other school functions. However, his real pride and joy came from supporting his two granddaughters at their gymnastics and track and field meets. His two trips to Las Vegas on Amtrak were also high on his list, along with the Mudhens, movies, horseraces, bowling and playing cards.

Bud is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Sharon; Son, Tim Gose; Daughter, Jami (Scott) Sievers; Granddaughters Megan and Erin Sievers; Sister, Pat (Don) Smith and many Nieces and Nephews.

Friends are invited to visit from 11:00am to 8:00pm Monday June 29, 2015 at Ansberg-West Funeral Home, 3000 Sylvania Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43613 where services will commence at 7:00pm . Family only interment at Toledo Memorial Park. Donations made to Whitmer Athletic Boosters or Donor's Choice. Condolences for Bud's family may be expressed online at [www.ansberg-west.com](http://www.ansberg-west.com)

# Tribute Wall

LA

“ 1973 Champion Shoreland Firebirds - Lande Adams

Lande Adams - July 02, 2020 at 12:15 AM

CP

“ Sharon,  
I am so sorry for your loss. I will keep you and your family in my prayers.

Caroline phillips - July 06, 2015 at 12:53 AM

JW

“ Condolences to you, Sharon, and your Family.....Julie and Eric Worstell

Julie Worstell - June 30, 2015 at 03:28 PM

JH

“ Our sympathy and love to you, Sharon, and your family. We always enjoyed talking with you and Bud at Whitmer football and basketball games. He will be greatly missed by many people - but never forgotten. Thinking of you.

Julie and Dave Hogan - June 30, 2015 at 10:58 AM

BF

“ Bud was truly a one in a kind guy. We truly appreciate his contribution to the youth and sports program. He always had a smile and kind words for my family. He will truly be missed.

Sincerely,  
The Beale Family

Beale Family - June 29, 2015 at 05:32 PM

RM

“ CONDOLENCES TO YOU AND FAMILY. I AM SO VERY PROUD TO SAY BUDMAN IS MY VERY VERY SPECIAL FRIEND. RIP BUD

RAY MORELLI - June 28, 2015 at 10:19 PM

ST

“ So sorry for your loss. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.q

Sandy Traczyk - June 27, 2015 at 10:57 AM

WS

“ Thoughts and prayers to The Gose family. So sorry for your loss. Bud was such a nice and friendly man. We'll miss seeing him at the Washington Local/Whitmer basketball games.

Wendy Syroka - June 27, 2015 at 10:36 AM

JT

“ Aunt Sharon n family, I am so sorry to hear of uncle Buds passing.... My thoughts are with you and the family....ill miss running into him at miejes....

John....

John Truax - June 25, 2015 at 05:05 PM

BM

“ Truly a blessing to have this man as part of my childhood. Always a friendly smile and a hearty handshake, the world is a much bleaker place now you are gone.

Godspeed, Bud, and thank you.

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**Brian Maxson** - June 25, 2015 at 05:52 AM

CW

“ Although I haven't seen him in years, the name is always thought of more often than you think...the family was a staple to us North End kids, and Mrs. goes made the best ham spread ever. Thanks for being a friend, rest in heaven Bud -

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**Cari Turner Wood** - June 24, 2015 at 09:57 PM

CT

“ Sharon,

*I grew up patronizing both of your stores. Bud was always there for us neighborhood kids, giving us advice, guidance and at times a little bit of credit. We all loved Grant, Minerva, and Bud. You have an amazing family and its my deepest regret that I will be unable to attend services living in California. Please pass my condolences along to your family.*

*Thanks for all the great times and childhood memories.*

*Love you all,*

*Cj Turner*

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**Cj Turner** - June 24, 2015 at 09:55 PM

SK

“ I knew bud and his mother and father when they had the market down on Summit St whee we use to live. then they moved . all the family was so very nice. His mother's ham spread was the best. bud was a great man and will be missed but will be looking over his family in heaven.RIP BUD

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**SUSAN KNAGGS** - June 24, 2015 at 12:16 PM

MB

“ It was a privilege to have known and worked with Bud. Sharon and family, our thoughts and prayers are with you!

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**Mark and Carol Barton** - June 24, 2015 at 07:53 AM

DR

“ Jami,  
You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Hold on to all those memories and know that you have an angel watching over you! Love, DeNeen

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**DeNeen Russo** - June 24, 2015 at 07:52 AM

CU

“ Sharon,

*There are no words that can possibly take away your pain as you deal with the loss of your soul-mate. Bud was a very special man that touched so many lives over the years. He will be missed by many.*

*Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. You and Bud have had so many good times over the years and have built so many wonderful memories. Cherish those memories, reflect on them often and let the love and support of your family and many, many friends that love you to help you get through this time. I know that Bud will forever be your "guardian angel" watching over you and although he will not be here physically, his spirit will be by your side and in your heart always.*

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**Conni Urbanski-Brown** - June 24, 2015 at 07:27 AM

BC

“ Sharon, I was heartbroken upon hearing of Bud's passing. He will certainly be missed. Loved seeing him come into Meijer so I could tease him about his truck. He was a huge figure in my life growing up. My love to you and the family.

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**Becky Crye** - June 24, 2015 at 06:01 AM