



## Raymond J. Fortier

December 16, 1939 - May 25, 2009

AUBURN - Raymond J. Fortier, 69, a resident of 6 Rosewood Road, Auburn died unexpectedly Monday at his residence. He was born in Ludlow, December 16, 1939, the son of James and Viola (Jameson) Fortier. He attended Houlton Schools, and was a graduate of Houlton High School. He also served briefly in the Army National Guard. His life's occupation was being a car salesman. He was an avid fisherman whether on the ocean or on the lake. He also loved his John Deere Tractor which was his pride and joy. Survivors include his companion of 18 years, Shirley Poliquin of Auburn; three sons, Charles E. Fortier of New Jersey; Michael R. Fortier and wife , Mary of New Hampshire; and Brian A. Fortier and wife, Leila of Okinawa; one brother, Charles Fortier of San Diego, CA; two sisters Muriel Powers and Jeannie Merritt both of Houlton. Also surviving are three grandchildren, Samuel J. Fortier, Sarah J. Fortier, and Tyler Poliquin. Memorial services honoring Raymond's life will be held Saturday, May 30th 2:00PM at Dillingham & Son Memorial Chapel with Reverend Richard Cullen presiding. Burial will be private. Arrangements by Dillingham & Son Memorial Chapel 62 Spring St., Auburn.

# Tribute Wall

RP

“ We are very sorry for your loss. I remember being at his camp outside of Houlton, he did so love Charlie Pride and fishing. I have spent many hours fishing with Ray while I was growing up. One time at Nickerson Lake I almost flipped him out of his small boat while we were fishing, he got a little wet, and we all laughed. We hope that the good Lord looks with favor on Raymond and all of his extended family. Rellon and Wanda

Rellon and Wanda Powers - May 26, 2009 at 04:44 PM

PN

“ Sorry for your loss.

Paul Nason - May 26, 2009 at 04:44 PM

JR

“ Please accept our sincere condolences to Charles, Michael and Brian. We will always remember the good times! Love, Karen and Jim

James and Karen Rochford - May 26, 2009 at 04:44 PM

DW

“ So sorry to hear of Ray's passing. I will always remember the times we spent at his camp on Grand Lake listening to Charlie Pride! Several times when Dana and I have been down by Casco Bay Motors we had stopped in to see Ray, but he was always out! We left a couple of notes to let him know we had been by. He was up to our home a few years back while visiting with Mom for an overnight. It was good seeing him after all the years. He is in our thoughts and prayers as is the entire family. Love, Dana and Mary (Beth)

Dana and Mary Williamson - May 26, 2009 at 04:44 PM

DB

“ I enjoyed talking with Ray and hearing his oppinions. He was very common sense in his approach to his job and life. It did not take long to realize that his common sense approach to selling vehicles, was due to his extreme knowledge of the inventory and peoples buying habits. Ray's dedication to his customers and caring for his co-workers, really showed how much he cared about people. I will miss him.

Debra Bly - May 26, 2009 at 04:44 PM

JM

“ I would like to tell you all your're in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless you all. I am sorry I can't make it down.Love Jeannie and family

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**Jean Merritt** - May 26, 2009 at 04:44 PM

RS

“ Hi Shirley, richard & sharon from arizona sorry to see and hear of your lost, got the news of the computer, might come to maine this summer take care and god bless.

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**richard dufresne & sharon** - May 26, 2009 at 04:44 PM

DB

“ Raymond was a good friend and a great neighbor. He surely will be missed! He was always there for us, especially when Doug was deployed. He always watched over the house and family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Shirley and family.

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**Doug and Nancy Bartlett** - May 26, 2009 at 04:44 PM