



## Thomas Shinaul

April 22, 2011

Thomas Shinaul, Jr., 83, of Toledo, passed away peacefully at Arbors of Sylvania on Friday morning, April 22, 2011. He was a dedicated husband, father and friend. During his lifetime, he had many special interests including short-wave radio broadcasting (his “handle” was Grey Wolf), leading Boy Scout troops and hunting. Perhaps his greatest passion was his responsibilities as a Deacon and Trustee at Bethlehem Baptist Church. In fact, this commitment increased upon his retirement from Ford Motor Company. Left to cherish his memory are his loving wife of sixty-one years, Evelena Shinaul (Holden); seven children, Beverly (Alfred) Baker, Carol Shinaul, Raymond (Faye) Shinaul, Vickie Williams, Thomas (Regina) Shinaul, Jeffrey Shinaul, Teresa (Ronald) Johnson; eighteen grandchildren; twenty-seven great-grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends. Thomas was preceded in death by his parents, Thomas, Sr. and Savana Shinaul (Parker) and his brother, Joseph Shinaul. Family and friends will be received on Wednesday, April 27, 2011 from 4 – 7 P.M. at Dale-Riggs Funeral Home, 572 Nebraska Avenue. Family Hour will be at 10:00 A.M. on Thursday, April 28, 2011 at Bethlehem Baptist Church followed by funeral services at 11:00 A.M. with Rev. Dr. Derek Arnold officiating. Interment will follow at Willow Cemetery in Oregon, Ohio. His family would also like to thank the staffs at Arbors of Sylvania and ABC Health Care, Inc. as well as Hobbs Barber Shop for their kind and compassionate care. Online condolences may be made at [www.dalefh.com](http://www.dalefh.com).



# Tribute Wall

DC

“ Dear Vickie, My condolences on the passing of your father. I did not have the privilege of meeting him, but I see that God blessed him with many children and grandchildren. His memory will live on through them and the lives he touched while here on earth. God be with you and your family at this sorrowful time.

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**Debbie Chimahusky** - April 28, 2011 at 05:42 PM

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“ My deepest sympathy goes to the entire Shinual family. Deacon Shinual has had an impact on our family lives since I can dare to remember. He was there stopping by getting advice from my grandma Vicie so he said but I think it was her Sweet Potatoe pie. He was there to help me and my sisters thru the death of our daddy. He was there with our family even with his heavy heart to console us thru the death of our grandmother Vicie. My sisters and I considered ourselves lucky because we did not have to be disciplined all the time by dea. but he scolded us but not bad. He just showed us that he loved and cared for us like we were one of his own. This is a man who loved God and God's people it is sad that he is gone. He is in Heaven now. Thank you God for allow me to have Deacon Thomas Shinual in my life.

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**VERONICA DOUGLAS** - April 27, 2011 at 04:01 PM

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“ Dear Family,I would like to express my condolence to your family.I never met Mr.or Mrs.Thomas or any of family that I know of and yet, the enemy that has over reached your Family is no stranger.The Bible calls death an enemy, none of us can out run it or fight it off. However the Bible does teach “As the last enemy Death is to be brought to nothing” (1Corinthians 15:26) That Is Good news. May The True God Jehovah Reveal himself to your Family, and May He Comfort All of you.

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**Bj Daniels** - April 27, 2011 at 02:49 PM

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“ The Caring Ministry of Bethlehem Baptist Church wish to extend our smpathies to the entire Shinaul Family. Knowing and trusting that our God will indeed grant you his perfect peace and comfort, not only this day but everyday.

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**Caring Ministry** - April 27, 2011 at 08:28 AM