



## Leon Feifer

July 6, 1918 - October 15, 2017

Leon Feifer, age 99 of Fort Collins passed away October 15, 2017 from heart failure. He was born in Liberty, New York on July 6, 1918. He married Earlene Hain in 1943 who remained the love of his life for 74 years. Together they had three children, Lannis Feifer, Monte Feifer, and Marsha Schmidt. They were blessed with a granddaughter, Kimberlee Carlson and a great granddaughter, Ava Carlson.

Leon served with honor in the U. S. Army in Europe during WWII. He had a career with the U. S. Forest Service for thirty years.

He will be remembered for his great sense of humor, gentle nature, and compassionate spirit. He will live in our hearts forever.

A service honoring his life will be held at Bohlender Funeral Chapel, Friday, October 20, at 2 p.m.

# Events

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**OCT**   **Memorial Service**   02:00PM  
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Bohlender Funeral Chapel

121 W. Olive Street, Fort Collins, CO, US, 80524

# Comments

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“ Sorry for your loss. May you find peace and hope in this difficult days ahead by trusting in God. ( Romans 15:13)  
A friend

Hines family - December 01, 2017 at 09:43 PM

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“ I am lucky to have had someone so kind and funny in my life, as a constant presence when I was young; a steadfast family friend. Leon was the sort of adult I wanted my parents to hang out with. As a kid I knew nothing about his career or his military service. I only knew that in the presence of Earlene and Leon, I felt loved and accepted. And that never ended. As an adult, there were years-long gaps where I would not see them. But when I did, the warm connection was instantaneous.

My heart is with the Feifer family today. I truly feel your loss — our loss.

Ted Johnson - October 20, 2017 at 04:21 PM

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“ Leon and my father, Morty Spitz, were the best of friends from 1943-46, during the years they spent together in the army during WWII. My dad died quite suddenly in 1965 when I was thirteen and over the years I often wondered about the war years which he never spoke about, except for his "best buddies Leon, Nate, and Lloyd". In 1985 I began an independent research and managed to find both Leon and Nate. I corresponded with and spoke with Leon on a number of occasions and he could not have been more kind, his great sense of humor so evident! I offer my sincere condolences to Leon's family and pray for them. He was indeed a great friend to my dad during such difficult times and a great comfort to me while searching to understand a difficult time for my dad!

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