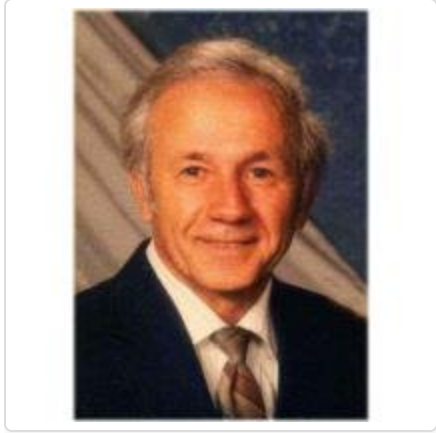




Ervin Darrel Schulte

October 18, 1932 - January 13, 2013

Ervin Darrel Schulte, 80, Bismarck, ND, passed away on January 13, 2013, at Sanford Health. Services will be held at 10:00 AM, Thursday, January 17, 2013, at First Lutheran Church, 800 North 7th Street, Bismarck, with The Reverend Marvin Mutzenberger officiating. Burial will follow at Center Community Cemetery, Center, ND. Visitation will be held from 3:00 – 7:00 PM on Wednesday, January 16, at Parkway Funeral Service, 2330 Tyler Parkway, Bismarck, ND, and will continue Thursday one hour prior to the service at the church. Ervin was born October 18, 1932, in Hanover, ND, to Carl and Anna Rabe Schulte. On January 30, 1955, Ervin married Thelma Ogden in Hanover. They lived north of Center and farmed with his brother, Gordon. They moved to Hanover in 1959 while Ervin worked for the Oliver County Road Department. In 1963, he was elected county auditor and they built a home in Center. In 1969, Ervin started working for Baukol Noonan Coal Co. and in 1977 also served as mayor of Center. In September of 1983, he and his three sons, Kevin, Joel, and Jon opened a coal processing plant. In 1990, Ervin married Joann Japel Jacobs, in Deadwood, SD. Ervin retired in 1992. Surviving family members include his daughters, Cheryl Schulte, Bismarck, ND, and Kathy Kolbo, Coralville, IA; his sons, Kevin Nettie Schulte, Hensler, ND, Joel Schulte, Center, ND, and Jon Sherrie Schulte, Ramona, CA; grandchildren, Cari Kramer, Brandon Alyssa Kramer, Paul, Philip, and Peter Kolbo, Ashley Kevin Rocha and Amanda Schulte, and Kaden Schulte; great-grandson, Colter Rocha; brother, Wallace Schulte, Almont, ND; sisters,

Delores Van Brocklin, Groveland, CA, and Ellen Lang, Center, ND; and many nieces, nephews, and friends. He is preceded in death by his wife, JoAnn; parents, Carl and Anna; brothers, Gordon, Delmer, and Kenneth; and sister, Dorene. Suggested memorials in lieu of flowers can be sent to the University of Mary Booster Club in the name of the Ervin Schulte memorial and can be made online at www.ervinschultememorial.com.

Tribute Wall

PO

“ Our sincerest sympathy in the passing of Ervin. I got to know Ervin when I rented an apartment for him at Lakewood. I always enjoyed our visits and he always had a smile on his face and a positive remark to say. Skip's family has know Ervin for a long time from getting coal from him in years past. Cheryl it has been a long time since I have seen you. May God help all of you now and in the upcoming days with his love and strength. Skip & Pam Oberg & family

Pam & Skip Oberg - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ My mother and I were very surprised and saddened to hear of Ervin's passing. He was friends with my father and mother since he was in high school and was always very support of them over the many years they new each other. He was one of Dad's favorite students. He was always very gracious to me when I got to know him and I know he will be missed. Please accept our deepest sympathies. Raleigh and Selma Moore

Raleigh and Selma Moore - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SC

“ My deepest sympathies to the Schulte family. Erwin was a kind man. May you be blessed by the memories that you hold in your heart. You are in my thoughts and prayers.

Shannon Schow Cone - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ We got to know Erv through JoAnn. Most recently we saw Erv on New Years Day and had a nice visit with him. My wife and I always enjoyed Erv's company when our paths crossed. Our sincerest sympathies to the family.

Dean and Josie Glatt - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PE

“ To the Schulte Family: Have not seen Erwin in a lot of years, Became friends while I attended my last two years of high school in Center. Spent week-ends with he and Kenny at their farm north of Center playing basketball in the "hay-mow" of their barn, weather was never a problem. My wife Jan and I send our deepest sympathy to the Family. Pat and Jan Eng, Mission Texas

pat eng - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ To the Schulte Family; My name is Gene Scherer, having lived in Center in my youth, I knew the Schulte Family. Starting with Father Carl, I thought he was the best. I did not participate in baseball while in Center but knew that Irvin did. We always knew each other as friends. In our later years, Irvin would come down to the Kirkwood Mall and have coffee with us at Arbys. Irvin was quiet but when he spoke he spoke intelligently. As a friend I admired Irvin very much and am very proud to have know him. Sorry I cannot be at the funeral, I have a Doctors appointment at 10:30 AM with Dr. K at St. Alexius Clinic.

Gene Scherer - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ Ervin taught everyone how to enjoy life!! He was an inspiration to me, and I am so happy you shared him with me, Cheryl. He lived each day as though it was a gift, and he enjoyed every one to the max! He's someone that I will never forget, it was an honor to call him my friend.

Barb Jacobs - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ We are very sorry to hear of Ervin's passing, he was a great guy, will miss visiting with him.

Lowell & Molly Flowers - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CL

“ What a great man God got on Sunday, he is going to be missed by lots and lots of people, he always gave us a laugh or two every time we saw him.

Carol & Wayne Leidholm - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM