



Jack F Zentner

July 1, 1922 - December 21, 2010

Jack F. Zentner, 88, died December 21, 2010, at Elm Crest Manor in New Salem, ND. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 am Tuesday at Church of Corpus Christi, Bismarck, with Rev. Paul Becker officiating. Burial will be in the North Dakota Veteran's Cemetery, Mandan. Visitation will be held from 3:00 pm until 8:00 pm Monday at Parkway Funeral Service, 2330 Tyler Parkway, Bismarck, where a rosary will begin at 4:00 pm. Jack was born on July 1, 1922, in Timmer, ND, the son of George and Elizabeth Wetzstein Zentner. He was raised and educated in Bismarck and graduated from Bismarck High School in 1942. Jack enlisted in the U.S. Navy in September 1942 and served in WWII. He was honorably discharged in 1945. Jack returned to Bismarck and started working at Davis Chevrolet, later Stan Puklich Chevrolet, as a parts manager. He married Marion Reff in 1947 at Church of St. Mary in Bismarck. Marion died in 1952. Jack married Dorothy Hager on August 13, 1964, at Church of St. Mary in Bismarck. He retired from Stan Puklich Chevrolet in 1986. He was a member of the Bismarck Elks Club, Knights of Columbus, American Legion, and the Serra Club. Jack is survived by his wife, Dorothy, Bismarck; his daughter and son-in-law, Mary Jo and Bill Wocken, Bismarck; three grandsons, John Zentner, Michael Sara Zentner, and Daniel Katie Zentner; two granddaughters, Jill Scott McGregor and Traci Jim Johnson; four great-grandsons, Benjamin and Zachary Johnson and Connor and Gannon McGregor; his brother and sister-in-law, Michael and Dorothy Zentner, Bismarck; sister, Ann Zentner, Bismarck; sister-in-law, Vi Zentner, Sacramento, CA; brothers-in-law, Jerry and Katherine Schlickemyer, Lewistown, MT, and John Vogel, Billings, MT; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Marion; his son, Gerald; his brothers, Joseph and Frank; his sisters, Magdelina, Minnie, Eva, Betty, and Rose; and his parents.

Tribute Wall

LN

“ Dorothy and Mary Jo, Please know of the prayers of my mother and myself during this time of loss. I do understand how hard this is and yet I also understand that when the memory fades the person becomes a little less of the person you know and loved. The greatest comfort is that he now has his full memory and will be there to help you "from the other side" You had many good years which doesn't lessen the pain of loss but it does offer you wonderful memories to enjoy and laugh and smile and feel his presence. Many blessings, Ann Nagel and Lee Nagel

Lee Nagel - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HK

“ Hello Mary Jo and family, Sorry for your the loss of your father, my own memories of him were of his calm demeanor and he truly was a "role model". How Jack Zentner "carried himself" will be the legacy of love and caring that he has already passed onto his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Thanks to Marv for passing this onto me. Your cousin and classmate.. Harv J. Kuntz

Harv J Kuntz - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ I always appreciated Jack's gentle presence and support as a member of the Serra Club. My prayers are with the entire family.

Sister Kathleen Atkinson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ OUR CONDOLENCES FROM BILL AND JUDY KOPP JACK HIRED ME TO WORK FOR HIM AT TIERNEY CHEVROLET IN SEPT OF 1975. HE WAS A VERY GOOD MANAGER AND A NICE PERSON TO WORK FOR. WE GOT ALONG VERY WELL AND WILL BE MISSED BY ALL THAT WORK WITH HIM.

BILL KOPP - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ Sorry about Jack's passing but He is in a better place considering His situation. I'm not sure if Deb or I will make it to the funeral as I might be taking care of Henry. Will be thinking of everyone at this time.

James & Deborah Jorde - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ *Mary Jo and Bill and girls: We are so sorry for your loss especially at this time. I can remember your dad AND Dorothy walking along Century many times. He was very fit and never seemed to age. Again, you have our sympathy. George and Mary*

mary dinyer - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ *MARY JO, BILL, AND DOROTHY, I'M SAD TO HEAR ABOUT THE PASSING OF YOUR DAD, FATHER-IN-LAW AND HUSBAND. MY PRAYERS WILL BE WITH YOU AND THE WHOLE FAMILY. I WILL OFFER UP CHRISTMAS MASS FOR HIM.*

TOM Berger - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ *Dear Mary Jo, Am so very sorry to hear about your Dad. Rec'd the news from Marv Heinert. I only remember meeting him a few times but always so nice to us. I lost my Dad 7 years ago this Christmas right after we moved to Missouri. It is a difficult time. You and your family are in my prayers. May God bless and hold you, Mary Anne*

Mary Anne Schulz Snyder - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ *Dear Mary Jo and Bill: Marcy and I are saddened to read of Jack's passing. Please, accept our deepest sympathies at this time. We will keep you both, and Jack in our prayers. Marv Heinert - SMCHS Class of 67*

Marv Heinert - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GA

“ *Condolences to the Family of Jack, May God Bless you at this time. We worked many years with Jack at Davis Chev and Teirney Chev in Bismarck. Jack was a good person who never had a bad word for anyone. Gary*

Gary Anderson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KE

“ *Jill, Scott and family, So sorry to hear about Grandpa Zentner's passing. May you find comfort in your memories. Love you, Kelly Scott's sister*

Kelly - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM