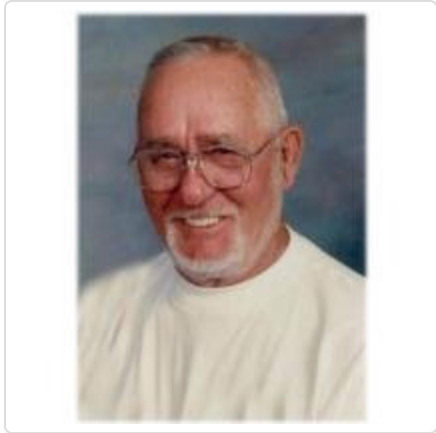




John Phillip Vogel

January 16, 1930 - November 21, 2010

John Phillip Vogel, 80, Bismarck, died suddenly on November 21, 2010. Mass of Christian burial will be held at 10:30 am Saturday, November 27, at Church of St. Anne, Bismarck, with Rev. Ed Wehner officiating. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery, Bismarck. Visitation will be held from 2:00 pm until 8:00pm Friday, November 26, at Eastgate Funeral Service, Bismarck, where a vigil will begin at 7:00 pm. Visitation will continue one hour prior to the service at the church. John was born January 16, 1930, in Solen, ND, the son of Stephen and Elizabeth Schwartz Vogel. He attended country school and worked on the family farm in Solen until the family moved to a farm southeast of Bismarck where he lived with his family until he moved to Bismarck at the age of 16. John spent a year in California where he tried surfing and deep sea fishing among other west coast activities. Prior to his trip to CA, John had met Monica A. Mosbrucker. When he returned to Bismarck, they became reacquainted and according to stories Monica told, he pursued her until she agreed to marry him. They were united in marriage on June 29, 1950, at Church of St. Mary, Bismarck. They celebrated their 25th and 50th wedding anniversaries with renewed vows, receptions and dances. John was notorious for his dancing. He was the first on the floor and the last to leave even after the music stopped. John held various positions with creameries, John Deere and local warehouses until he went to work for Merle Kenny Homes and Construction in the mid 1950s. John learned the art of carpentry and all aspects of building and construction. He worked for various developers and construction

companies until 1970 when he started JP Vogel and Sons Construction. John taught his three sons and daughter the construction business and that legacy continues today. Over the years, he trained many others in construction and worked with his sons in the construction field to the moment of his death. He has projects spread over the state of North Dakota bearing his mark of excellent workmanship. John loved people and people loved him. He had a broad smile and a conversation for anyone and everyone and many knew him as "Johnny." They would see him engaging in his favorite pastime of anything outdoors, camping, fishing, hunting and more. He spent summers on his boat, falls hunting, winters ice fishing, and the spring fishing from shore. Anything he could find to do outdoors, he loved. John is survived by his four children, Thomas J. Shirley, Bismarck, Kenneth A. Kay, Bismarck, Nancy K. Leroy Gross, Mandan, and Mark S. Stella, Bismarck; his grandchildren, Janelle Rick Scheett, Bismarck, Jeremiah Amanda Lund, Josh Vogel, Jason Vogel, and Bradley Vogel; his great-grandchildren, Thomas and Jacob Scheett, Kane Lund, and Sierra Kuntz. He is also survived by two sisters, Agnes, Phoenix, AZ, and Angeline, CA; one brother-in-law, Thomas Mosbrucker, Phoenix, AZ, one sister-in-law, Hildegard Babe Garross, Seattle, WA; and numerous nephews and nieces. He was preceded in death by his wife, Monica in 2004; three brothers and three sisters.

Tribute Wall

MM

“ I have great memories of fishing with Uncle Johnny. I remember his smile and laughter and easy going personality. I am grateful for his influence on my life.

marty mosbrucker - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ I'm sorry I didn't hear of John's passing until today. He will be greatly missed. I can remember the way John smiled as I arrived on one of his jobsites. I'm glad I got to know him.

DeLonce Synstegard - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LZ

“ Kay, Ken and Vogel family: So sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you during this time. Kay and Ken, we want to thank you for coming to Bob's funeral service. Love, Lorraine and Lori Zentner

Lorraine and Lori Zentner - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MZ

“ Kay and Ken, I am very sorry to hear about your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and I know exactly what you are going through. With God's grace and the help of family and friends, I know you will be comforted and helped during this difficult time.

Mark Zentner - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MS

“ Nancy and family Are thoughts are with you and your family I always ran in atoo Uncle Johny and talked all the time with him about how fishing is going and To be honest your dad loved Fishing as His Brother Vince Thoughts and Prayers Shelly Steve Brittney Sanderson \Vogel

Michelle Vogel Sanderson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CV

“ Dear family, Sorry hear of your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Carla Neary Vogel And family

Carla Neary Vogel - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ Tom, Kenny, Nancy & Mark, I am very sorry for your loss. Uncle John was a terrific guy and will be greatly missed! My work doesn't allow me to come to the funeral, but please know you will be in my prayers and thoughts as the days go by. It is never easy to lose a parent! Hugs to all of you. Lillian Bender

Lillian Bender - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ Im sorry of the news of Jonny's passing.our thoughts and prayers are with you.I will always remember him going hunting and fishing,and tring to teach me to dance.Jonny was a great uncle. Paul John Kuntz

paul john kuntz - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ We were so sorry to hear this news. I will treasure the memory of the dances that I was able & honored to share with Uncle Johnny. We will all miss running into him around town & seeing his immediate smile.

Sandy Bohe & family - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ To John's Family, Though we never actually got to know John outside of seeing him often at 8am mass at St Anne's, we'll miss his smiling face and bright and cheery good morning greeting. RIP John...you'll be missed.

Blaine and Toni Erhardt - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ MARK AND FAMILY MY THOUGHTS & PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU DURING THIS TIME.

Carol Thompson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MV

“ To the family, We are so sorry for the loss of your father, grandfather, & etc. You are in our thoughts & prayers. Marie Vogel Family Carla, Annette, & Craig

Marie A. Vogel - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ My prayers and thoughts are with you all. Sincerely , Beverly Locken

Beverly Locken - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JF

“ Ken & Kay and family ; So sorry about your loss, John will be deeply missed, let his memories keep you strong. Our deepest sympathy, Jason , Karen, Lucas , Jacob

jason farstad - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GW

“ Ken & Kay and Family; So sorry to hear of your loss. Our deepest sympathy, thoughts & prayers are with you all. We are here for you. God Bless You All With Sympathy; Tracy & Gloria West

Gloria West - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ To the Vogel Family Members and especially Ken, Kay, Jason and Joshua. Our deepest sympathies on your loss. Whenever we were in the presence of John we were always impressed by his grace, his patience and his humor. He was a fine and gentle man . . . our prayers and thoughts are with you during this difficult time.

Bill, Colette and Sarah Bartkowski - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM