



Robert W. Brostrom

July 5, 1916 - January 6, 2009

Robert W. Brostrom, 92, of Wilton, died January 6, 2009 at Marian Manor in Glen Ullin. Memorial services will be held 1:00 pm Saturday at First Presbyterian Church, Wilton. Cremation has taken place and burial will be in the spring at Riverview Cemetery, Wilton. Bob was born on July 5, 1916, in Devil's Lake, ND, the only child of Edna Peterson and Oscar Brostrom. They returned to Wilton in 1917, and farmed in the Wilton area. Bob attended rural schools and high school in Wilton. Bob married Edna Stenquist on June 12, 1942. They lived in Wilton, and farmed the Brostrom homestead until 1976, when they retired. Bob was active in Farmer's Union, and served on the Board of Directors of the Wilton Farmer's Union Elevator and Oil Company. He held leadership positions on the Wilton School Board, Rural Firemen Board, the Community Progress Board, and the Wilton Senior Center. For many years he was an elder of the First Presbyterian Church. His hobbies were hunting, fishing, golf, playing pool and cards. He is survived by three children, Carolyn Ted Kueppers, Fridley, MN, Judy Lynn Redington, Huntsville, AL, and Bob Cassie Cowles Brostrom, Lake Park, MN; grandchildren, Michelle Kueppers Oliver, Jeff Kueppers, Steve Jodie Kueppers, Kent Lisa Redington, Sara Redington and Ashley Elledge, Matthew Brostrom and Patrick Brostrom; and great-grandchildren, Tyler and Evan Kueppers, and James Elledge. Bob was preceded in death by his wife, in 1997. In lieu of flowers, the family prefers memorials to the Wilton Senior Center or First Presbyterian Church, Wilton.

Tribute Wall

AC

“ How I will miss my beloved neighbor! I loved living across the street from Bob and going to church and lunch with him every Sunday. I loved his jokes and his willingness to help anyone and everyone. Depending on the weather, I may not make it to the service. But Judy, Caroline and Bob...thanks for sharing your dad with me! I loved him very much!!!!

Annie White Carlson - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ Bob and his entire family have always been great people, fun to visit with. My daughter, Janice, used to call him her second father--so he joked to me that I must be his second wife. Bob had a great sense of fun and he was also the kind of man who was always ready to help out. My sympathy goes to Carolyn, Judy, Bobby and the rest of his family. Lenora Juhala

Lenora Juhala - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ Bob Brostrom was like a second father and I often spent overnights with my best pal, Judy, when she and I were in high school. During those wonderful time, I helped pick potatoes at the Brostrom farm and helped Judy paint the garage at their home in Wilton. The whole family was made up of truly wonderful people. I am sorry to hear of Bob's illness and death. He will always have a warm and loving place in my heart. All my sympathy to Carolyn, Judy and Bobby. Janice

Janice Juhala Marko - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

FW

“ We are sorry for the loss of your father and grandfather. Bob was a wonderful person. We meet Bob golfing in Washburn so many years ago. He always had a smile on his face, and a joke to tell. Our sympathy. Fred & Colleen Wahl

Fred & Colleen Wahl - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM