



Wallace Zerr

July 23, 1940 - March 18, 2009

Wallace John Zerr, 68, Arena, passed away Wednesday, March 18, 2009, at Triumph Hospital, Mandan. Services will be held at 11:00 am Saturday, at Tuttle United Methodist Church, with Rev. Perry Schnabel officiating. Spring burial will be held in Tuttle Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 1:00 pm until 9:00 pm Friday at Eastgate Funeral Service, Bismarck, and will continue one hour prior to the service at the church. Wallace was born July 23, 1940, the son of Emil and Martha Scherbenske Zerr. He grew up on the family farm near Arena, attended elementary school in Arena, and graduated from Tuttle High School in 1958. After graduation, Wallace worked in construction in Jamestown until the spring of 1961 when he moved to Montana and worked in a lumber mill. In the fall of 1961 he returned home to the family farm to farm with his brother, Dallas; they farmed together for 47 years. Wallace enjoyed hunting, fishing, and pinochle. Every year he looked forward to the spring fish fry at the farm and to the sausage-making day in the fall. Wallace is survived by his brothers and sisters, Fred Zerr, Tuttle; Alice Irvine, Bismarck; Melvin Pearl Zerr, Mandan; Dallas Zerr, Arena; Margie Jansen, Valley City; Allan Dianne Zerr, Jamestown; and Janice Zerr, Albuquerque, NM; his sisters-in-law, Edna Zerr, Bismarck; Colleen Zerr, Pick City; and Gladys Zerr, Mandan; and brother-in-law, Art Lachenmeier, Tappen. He is also survived by nieces and nephews, Connie Tim Pankow and their children, Adam, Christopher, and Benjamin, West Fargo; Ryan Jessica Zerr and their son, Eli, Grand Forks; Tami Travis Werts and their children, Arianna and Ethan, Rochester, MN; and

88 other nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; his brothers, Ray, Robert, James, and Ronald; and his sisters, Ruby, Denelda, and Gladys.

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“ Our Sympathy goes out to all of Wallys family from ours, we to feel the loss, whenever i think of Tuttle i think of the Zerr farm and memories of the Family, sort of a connection as Ronald was our great brother-in-law.....life used to be simpler back then but life changes for us all and we ask for Gods strength to live on and enjoy life as much as can be.....I wanted to come but plans interfer and Kevin said he was going fishing Fridaytoday, and that Wally would apove of that , he will think about him while he's doing what Wally enjoyed doing, and so remember the good times you've shared with Wally and he will remain in your hearts while life goes on as do new memories to make.....in our thoughts and prayers.....Kwasniewski's

Kevin & Diana Kwasniewski - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Our thoughts & prayers are with the Zerr family at this time.

dennis & elaine berger - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Wally will surely be missed especially at the ice derby on lake were he told me to sit down and we'll teach you how to play roust. I knew I was in trouble. I never won a game but sure had a good time. The Good Friday fish fry out on the farm won't be the same with out him, and I always looked for Wally and Delly at the Eagles in Mandan when they came to town, we always had a good visit. Gonna miss you, Stokes Keith Stolz.

Keith Stolz - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM