



Walter Hoff

September 19, 1921 - September 12, 2004

Walter E. Hoff, 82, passed away on September 12, 2004, at a Mandan care center. Funeral services will be Thursday at 1:00 PM at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Bismarck with the Rev. Scott Fredrickson officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Memorial Gardens in Bismarck. Visitation will be Wednesday from 12:00 - 9:00 PM at Boelter-Eastgate Funeral Service, 200 W. Turnpike Ave., Bismarck, and will continue Thursday one hour prior to the service at the church. Walter was born on September 19, 1921, in Washburn, North Dakota, the son of Jacob and Katie Hoff. He was raised and attended school in Washburn. After his father passed away, Walter ran the family farm until moving to Bismarck. Walter worked for Adam Brown as a farm laborer, for Northern Improvement, and for the City of Bismarck before retiring in 1987. He married Helen Maas on October 14, 1988 in Bismarck. Walter and Helen were great friends and companions that were able to enjoy their marriage of sixteen years together. Walter greatly enjoyed being with Helen, his step-family, relatives and friends; and horseback riding, playing cards, and fishing. Walter will be dearly missed by his wife, Helen Hoff of Bismarck; his step-children, Carol Lee Mitchell of Bismarck and Curtis Tina Maas of Mandan; his step-grandchildren, Caralee Jim Erhardt of Mandan and Kory Mitchell of Bismarck; his daughter, Pam Cumings of Pine City, Minnesota; four sisters, Alvina Jungling, Amanda Paulson, and Clara Baker, all of Bismarck, and Eleanora Stengel of Underwood; one brother, LeRoy Hoff of Underwood; and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents;

four sisters, Rose Weisz, Lydia Schell, Edna Rodgers, and Katie Hoff; and three brothers, Jack, Emanuel, and Jake Hoff.