



Willard Brintnell

June 24, 1926 - December 24, 2003

Willard J. "Bill" Brintnell, 77, Bismarck, died December 24, 2003, in a local hospital. Services will be held at 11:00 AM, Monday at First Presbyterian Church, Bismarck, with the Rev. Jake Kincaid officiating. Burial will be Sunset Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be 2:00 PM to 9:00 PM Sunday at Eastgate Funeral Service where an Elks Memorial service will be held at 7:00 PM. Bill was born on June 24, 1926, in Grafton, ND, to William J. and Anne Mattson Brintnell. He was raised in Grafton and graduated from Gilby High School, Gilby, ND, in 1944. Bill joined the U.S. Army and served in Japan. On November 14, 1959, Bill and Doris Dirlam were married in Fargo. They lived temporarily in Grand Forks moving back to Bismarck in 1962. Bill was employed by Job Service North Dakota, retiring in 1989. At the time of his retirement he was Chief of Operations of the Job Insurance Division. He was very active in the Elks organizations serving as Exalted Ruler of the Bismarck Lodge in 1977-1978 and several terms on the Board of Trustees. Bill was a Past State President of the North Dakota Elks Association and currently State Secretary. He was appointed District Deputy, Grand Exalted Ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks in 1999-2000. His activities included numerous committees one of which was a member of the Elks Camp Grassick Committee. Bill is survived by one daughter and son-in-law, Deb and her husband Kevin Homewood of Columbus, MT; two sons and one daughter-in-law, David and his wife Peggy and John all of Bismarck; six grandchildren, Matthew and his wife Amber, Andrea Brintnell, Kayla, Nick, and Dan

Homewood, and Sarah Brintnell; one great-grandchild, Daisy Brintnell; one brother, Donald and his wife Rubie of Devils Lake, ND and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Doris, his parents, one sister, Ethel Norgart, and a granddaughter, Amy Homewood.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Bill was a kind and giving man. His death will leave a great void in many North Dakota Elk's Lodges. My thoughts are with your family*

Russell R. Murphy ER Dickinson Lodge 1137 - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Bill was a fine man who loved his wife and children. He also loved the children of Camp Grassick. He will be missed.*

Steve Vaughan - March 17, 2015 at 12:00 AM