



Adolph E. Lauf

October 23, 1922 - April 21, 2018

Adolph Lauf, age 95, passed away on Saturday, April 21, 2018 at his home in Wibaux, Montana surrounded by his family. Visitation will be held from 2:00 PM until 5:00 PM and 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM on Wednesday, April 25, 2018 at the Silha Funeral Home in Wibaux and one hour prior to services on Thursday, April 26, 2018 at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Wibaux. A Funeral Service will be held at 2:00 PM on Thursday, April 26, 2018 at the Trinity Lutheran Church with Reverend Dana Holter officiating. Silha Funeral Home of Wibaux has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Adolph was born on October 23, 1922 in Bismarck, North Dakota to August and Melita Lauf. He was raised on the family farm north of Golden Valley, North Dakota. Adolph was the youngest in a family of four brothers and two sisters. He attended school in Mercer County, North Dakota and graduated from Golden Valley High School in 1942. Adolph left the farm to work in the ship building areas of Portland, Oregon and Tacoma, Washington during World War II. After the war, he returned home to North Dakota. Adolph then met and married Lois Johnson from Werner, North Dakota in March of 1949. The couple moved to Wibaux after his oldest brother, Albert, and he bought Jack's Supper Club east of Wibaux. They operated the nightclub for twenty-eight years. Over the years, Adolph and Albert were able to meet and know many people from eastern Montana and the western North Dakota region. To the very end of his life, Dad liked to reminisce about past patrons; he still remembered customer's favorite beverages.

In retirement he ran errands for his wife, Lois, and shuttled grandchildren to school and sporting events. He enjoyed watching the grandkids play sports, especially baseball and basketball. In his later years, the car headed out of town to family reunions, weddings and senior citizen dance classes.

Adolph was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Lois who passed in 1997; six siblings, Albert, Otto, Reinhold, Alma, Herman and Erna; his brothers-in-law, Stanley Schossow and Chester Schossow and sister-in-law, Caroline Johnson.

Adolph is survived by five sons, Jim of Wibaux, Jerome of Wibaux, Jack (Carolyn) of Pullman, Washington, Don (Debbie) of Wibaux and Mark (Janet) of Helena, Montana; nine grandchildren, Shanna (Cole) Siegle, Sunni Beeler, Chelsea (Benjamin) Shors, Casey (Jodi) Lauf, Carson (Rachel) Lauf, Dion (Amber) Lauf, Dana (Brian) Kingsley, Rachel Lauf and Jenna Lauf; twelve great-grandchildren, Alexia Siegle, Boden Siegle, Jenna Beeler, Devon Beeler, Daxon Beeler, Annie Shors, Owen Shors, Brady Lauf, Lanie Lauf, Cambrie Lauf, Kaleb Kingsley and Kaylee Kingsley; brothers-in-law, Wilbur Johnson; sisters-in-law, Audrey Schossow and Agatha Schossow and numerous nieces and nephews.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: www.silhafuneralhomes.com. Memorials may be given to Glendive Medical Center's Hospice and Home Health Care program, Trinity Lutheran Church or a charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Wibaux Cemetery

Wibaux, MT 59353

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 25. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Wibaux, Montana
204 South Wibaux Street
Wibaux, MT 59353
(406) 796-2421
silha@midrivers.com

Visitation

APR 25. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

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Funeral Service

APR **26**. 2:00 PM (MT)

Trinity Lutheran Church
123 E Street North
Wibaux, MT 59353

Tribute Wall



“ *Adolph E. Lauf*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *So sorry for the loss of your father, Jim and Jack. It's so difficult when you lose someone impossible to replace. Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Craig and Dea Hostetler*

Dea Hostetler - April 28, 2018 at 04:02 PM



“ *Carole J. Diede lit a candle in memory of Adolph E. Lauf*



Carole J. Diede - April 24, 2018 at 05:57 PM



“ *Entire Sletten shop team. purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Adolph E. Lauf.*



Entire Sletten shop team. - April 24, 2018 at 12:33 PM

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“ *Linda Deines lit a candle in memory of Adolph E. Lauf*



linda deines - April 24, 2018 at 10:33 AM

CH

“ *Carol Hanson lit a candle in memory of Adolph E. Lauf*



Carol Hanson - April 23, 2018 at 04:12 PM

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To the family of Adolph, sorry to hear of his passing. I worked with him and his brother at Jack's Club. Take care and remember all the good memories of him. RIP and God Speed

Carol Hanson - April 23, 2018 at 04:15 PM