



## Carl Knutson

April 8, 1928 - January 16, 2014

Carl John Knutson, age 85, of Billings, Montana formerly of Glendive, Montana passed away on Friday, January 10, 2014 at St. Vincent's Healthcare in Billings. At Carl's request, cremation has taken place and a graveside service with military honors will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Thursday, January 16, 2014 at the Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive with Father Francis Schreiber officiating. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements. Carl was born on April 8, 1928, in Glendive, the son of Ragnvold and Frances (Piesik) Knutson. He was raised and educated in Glendive, graduating from Dawson County High School with the class of 1947 and from Dawson County Junior College in 1955. Carl was employed with the Northern Pacific Railroad until he entered the United States Army in April of 1951. He served in Korea, and was honorably discharged from the military in April of 1953. He served in the US Army Reserve for the next five years. After returning to Glendive, Carl resumed work with the railroad as Section Foreman with the track department. During that time, Carl served as local chairman and state lobbyist for the Maintenance of Way Employees. Carl retired in 1990. Carl married Lorraine Wieglanda on August 23, 1949, in Glendive. Carl enjoyed hunting, fishing, gardening, traveling, playing Bridge, and attending sporting events. He served on the city council for 8 years. He was a lifetime member of the VFW. He was preceded in death by his parents, his twin sister, and one brother. Survivors include his wife of 64 years, Lorraine of Billings; and five sons, Randall (Andrea) of Arvada,

Colorado, Kreig (Bonnie) of Spokane, Washington, Wayne (Barb) and Cory (Sheila) both of Billings, and Dale of Midland, Texas; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; one sister, Theresa Bouley of Grand Junction, Colorado; one brother, Ralph (Pat) of Spokane; and numerous nieces and nephews. Memorials may be directed in Carl's memory to Sagebrush Senior Citizens Center at 604 East Grant Avenue, Glendive, Montana 59330 or the Babe Ruth Association at 801 North Sargent Avenue, Glendive, Montana 59330. Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: [www.silvernale-silhafuneralhome.com](http://www.silvernale-silhafuneralhome.com).

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