



Clayton J. Lee

October 5, 1935 - July 11, 2003

Clayton J. Lee, age 67, of Billings and formerly of Richey, Montana, died on Saturday, June 28, 2003 in Billings, Montana. Graveside services will be held at 11:00 A.M., Friday, July 11, 2003 at the Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive with Pastor James Hageman officiating. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive is entrusted with arrangements. Clayton was born on October 5, 1935 in Kansas City, Kansas, the son of John and Irene (Bourget) Lee. Clayton attended schools in Kansas City, Kansas. He moved with his family to Worland, Wyoming and attended schools there. He moved to the Glendive, Montana area in the late 1950's. Clayton enlisted in the U.S. Navy until his honorable discharge on December 22, 1958. He married Myrna Smith in June of 1960 in Glendive. He returned to Glendive where he was employed by various jobs until moving to Richey where he was employed by West Crude Oil. He became an employee for Dawson County with the Road Department where he worked for 21 years until his retirement in 1997. He met the love of his life, Kathleen Price Kronmiller and they were united in marriage on August 26, 1989 in Billings, Montana. After his retirement, Clayton and his wife traveled south in their motorhome for two years until finally settling down in Billings. Clayton then found a new love - driving school bus. He loved and enjoyed those kids! Clayton enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren, fishing and most of all visiting with the many friends he and Kathy made on all their travels. Clayton was preceded in death by his parents, John and Irene Lee and one brother, Bill Benison. Clayton is survived by his wife, Kathy, of

Billings; two sons, Pat Kronmiller and his wife Paula of Glendive and Tony Lee and his wife Glenna of Glendive; one daughter, Shana Kaufman and her husband Doug of Glendive; two sisters, Mary Locken and her husband Leroy of Billings, and Clara Rangel and her husband Benny of Ten Sleep, Wyoming; one brother, Jerry Benison of Billings, Montana; 10 grandchildren including Amanda, Trisha and Cameron Kronmiller of Glendive, Bobbie Lee of Glendive, Laci and Nate Kaufman of Glendive; numerous nieces and nephews.

Tribute Wall



“ Clayton J. Lee

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