



Donald S. Green

November 27, 1913 - May 1, 2003

Donald S. Green, age 89, of Glendive, passed away on Sunday, April 27, 2003 at the Eastern Montana Veterans Home in Glendive. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 A.M., Thursday, May 1, 2003 at the Chapel of the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Interment will be in the Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive is entrusted with arrangements. Donald was born on November 27, 1913 in Union, Montana, the son of Harry and Mabel (Needham) Green. He was raised and educated in Glendive, graduating from Dawson County High School with the class of 1932. Donald joined the Civilian Conservation Corp during the summer of 1933 and worked at Ashland, Montana. He then moved to the Selway River area of Idaho and drove truck. He then worked as a truck dispatcher at Camp Nine Mile, Montana located west of Missoula. Donald then returned to Glendive where he worked for Purity Dairy for about two years. He then moved to the Seattle area where he sold books and then went to work taking photographs of children on Shetland ponies. He traveled up and down the coast from Vancouver, Washington to San Francisco and his headquarters were based out of Sacramento. He remained at this work until 1939 when Donald went to work in a meat market in Sacramento. He was drafted into the U.S. Army in February of 1941 and served during World War II. He was honorably discharged with the rank of Sergeant in October of 1945. Following his return from overseas, Donald was united in marriage to Florence Ackerman on August 4, 1945 in Glendive. They lived in Sacramento and

raised four children. Donald retired in 1977. His wife preceded him in death in 1980. Donald then moved to Arizona and moved back to Montana in 1999 where he resided until the time of his death. Don was preceded in death by a very special friend, Ruby Ackerman, on January 18, 2003. Donald was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion and Elks Lodge. Donald was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; two brothers, Delbert Green and Duane Green. Survivors include two daughters, Judy Klaverkamp and her husband Jack of Dugald, Manitoba, Canada and Joyce Green of Phoenix, Arizona; two sons, Rod Green of Glendive and Gary Green of Placerville, California; two sisters, Mary Starr of Glendive and Charlotte Amundson of Belgrade, Montana; 10 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews.

Tribute Wall



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