



Edward "Bud" Martin Smeding

October 6, 1947 - April 16, 2009

GLENDIVE, MONTANA: Edward "Bud" Martin Smeding, passed away on Tuesday, April 14, 2009 at the Eastern Montana Veterans Home in Glendive. A graveside service with military honors will be held at 3:00 P.M. on Thursday, April 16, 2009 at the Sunset Memorial Gardens in Billings, Montana. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements. Bud was born on October 6, 1947 in Billings, the son of Samuel and Florence (Rieman) Smeding. He was raised on the family ranch north of Billings. Bud attended school in Musselshell, Montana. Bud joined the United States Army on February 6, 1967 and served 2 tours in Vietnam before his honorable discharge on July 11, 1972. Following his return from the military, Bud attended various technical schools to learn upholstery as well as diesel mechanics. As a young man Bud loved to ride horses and helped break horses for riding. Bud was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his sister Alice VanderVoort and her husband Morlee of Ryegate, Montana; two daughters, Mandy Allen and her husband Keith of Helena, Montana, Angie Mullican, of East Helena and four grandchildren. Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: www.silvernale-silhafuneralhome.com.

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“ *Edward "Bud" Martin Smeding*

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