



Gene Hansen

October 11, 1941 - July 10, 2012

Glendive, Montana: Gene Hansen, age 70, passed away on Thursday, July 5, 2012 at the Glendive Medical Center in Glendive. Visitation will be from 1:00 P.M. until 5:00 P.M. and from 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Monday, July 9, 2012 at the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. Funeral Services with military honors will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Tuesday, July 10, 2012 at the Zion Lutheran Church in Glendive with Pastor Avis Anderson officiating. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements. Gene was born on October 11, 1941 in Williston, North Dakota, a son of Alfred and Margaret (Elvsaas) Hansen. He was raised in the Froid, Montana area receiving an education in Bainville, Montana where he graduated with the class of 1959. Following graduation, Gene moved to Grand Forks, North Dakota to attend college at the University of North Dakota where he pitched for the Fighting Sioux baseball team. In 1964, Gene graduated from college with a Bachelor of Science degree in education. Gene was offered a chance to try out for the major leagues until he was drafted on December 21, 1965 into the United States Army. He was honorably discharged from military service on July 1, 1967. After Gene was discharged from service he moved to Wolf Point, Montana and taught school for one year before moving to Glendive where he had remained since. Gene met and later married Georgina McCrory on March 22, 1970 in Williston, and to this union a son, Cory and a daughter, Carla were born. As a couple they raised their two children in Glendive where Gene continued teaching until his retirement in

2007. Gene was an avid fan of the Dodger's; he thoroughly enjoyed working in his shop and teaching. Spending time with his family and grandchildren were things he cherished along with visiting. He was a member of the Elks Lodge #1324 and he was Class A Chairman of the American Legion Baseball club. Gene will be missed by all. Gene was preceded in death by his father, Alfred Hansen and brother, Allen Hansen. Survivors include his wife, Georgina Hansen of Glendive; son, Cory (Rona) Hansen of Billings, Montana; daughter, Carla (Jason) Bright of Sidney, Montana granddaughter, Pier Hansen; grandson, Bodee Bright; mother, Margaret Hansen of Plentywood, Montana; brothers, Curt Hansen of Williston and Rick (Lanette) Hansen of Froid; sisters, Mary (Bud) Veis of Billings, Nancy Hansen of Little Falls, Minnesota and Melody (Kevin France) Hansen of Portland, Oregon and numerous nieces and nephews. Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: www.silvernale-silhafuneralhome.com.

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