



George Strobel

February 14, 1922 - May 20, 2019

George Strobel, age 97, of Richey, Montana, passed away on Monday, May 20, 2019 at the McCone County Health Center in Circle, Montana. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Friday, May 24, 2019 at the Christian & Missionary Alliance Church in Richey with Reverend Darrell Nefzger officiating. Visitation will be held one hour prior to services. Interment will be held in the Dawson Memorial Cemetery in Glendive, Montana. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

George was born on February 14, 1922 in Venturia, North Dakota, a son of Gustave and Paulina (Koth) Strobel. On November 7, 1943 George married his sweetheart for life, Alma Bitz in Venturia. They later moved to Richey in 1946 where they farmed until 1956 when they moved into Richey.

George became known for his ability as a mechanic. He had a servant heart and would work long hours to help others. He also enjoyed his time as a firefighter and ambulance driver. If you needed to get to a doctor quickly, he was your driver. He additionally spent about ten years as a school bus driver and many of the students who were on his bus still share stories about him as their bus driver. Perhaps his greatest love was when he became a Gideon. He enjoyed handing out New Testaments to the school children and others. He loved reading the testimonies of those whose lives were changed because of a Gideon Bible.

George was preceded in death by his parents, Gustave and Paulina; his wife, Alma; brothers, Fred and Herman; and sisters, Vyolett, Leona, Mary, and

Helen; daughter-in-law, Mary; and grandson, Ryan.

He is survived by his son, Paul of Mounds, Oklahoma; daughter, Marjorie (Jerry) Schlepp of Glendive; six grandchildren; eleven great-grandchildren; one sister, Ardella (Roger) Miller of Billings, Montana; numerous nieces and nephews; and countless friends.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: www.silhafuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Dawson Memorial Cemetery

2816 West Towne Street
Glendive, MT 59330

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **24.** 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (MT)

Christian & Missionary Alliance Church
Richey, MT 59259

Funeral Service

MAY **24.** 10:00 AM (MT)

Christian & Missionary Alliance Church
Richey, MT 59259

Tribute Wall



“ George Strobel

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ Raymond Remmich lit a candle in memory of George Strobel



Raymond Remmich - May 24, 2019 at 01:36 PM



“ I have so many memories of George and how I loved the man. Didn't get to see him much in later years but he always reminded me of Daddy, Marlow Eggum, and they were good friends while Daddy was alive. Good friends with Mom (Doris Tully Eggum Lindevig) and Norman. Sheila and I were talking yesterday how he was the last of the group of church friends to be still living. Friends who included Mom, Daddy, Norman, Jim and Dorothy Colter, Jim and Ruth Christianson. I know I'm forgetting people from that group. A wonderful bunch of people and so funny when they got together, with George usually leading the group in funny stories. He will be missed but oh so much more happier being with his Alma, family and all his friends.

Carole Eggum - May 24, 2019 at 11:27 AM



“ My prayers are with you all this time.

Tyler Pust - May 22, 2019 at 09:21 PM

JD

“ I am so sorry to hear about George. I have very fond memories of George when he worked at the gas station for my dad. We had laughs together then and every time we saw each other as the years went by. He made the best German garlic sausage in the world. George was such a sweet and gentle man and he made the world a better place. I can not be there for the service but will be thinking of the family. Love to you all.

JoAnn Williams Daeley - May 22, 2019 at 07:04 PM

TP

My prayers are with you all at this time.

Tyler Pust - May 22, 2019 at 09:23 PM

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“ I have such fond memories of George, from the gas station to being a great neighbor. There were times he came over and helped my mom out so unselfishly! Our family thought the world of George and Alma. He's now with his Savior, who we know was number one in his life. God bless and comfort you all.

Brenda Atkinson (Whiteside) - May 22, 2019 at 04:32 PM

WT

“ Paul, Marjory, and Ardella, I've always had a special place in my heart for your dad/brother, he was funny, kind and best mechanic around!! May God be with you all! Wanda (Gibson) Tofte.

Wanda Gibson Tofte - May 22, 2019 at 02:41 PM

JB

“ So sorry to hear of George's passing. He was such a SWEET & KIND man. He always had a smile on his face & a twinkle in his eye. Oh how I remember driving up to the gas tanks at George & Stan's to see George. Heaven gained a SPECIAL ANGEL!!!!

Janet Beery - May 22, 2019 at 11:06 AM

VJ

“ So very sorry to hear of the loss of your father. We will be keeping you in our prayers in the coming days. Gary and Virginia Johnston

Virginia R Johnston - May 21, 2019 at 05:17 PM

LF

“ My deepest sympathy to your family at this sad time with the loss of George.



Linda Frank - May 21, 2019 at 03:01 PM