



Herman Brown

March 26, 1942 - April 1, 2017

Herman Walter Brown, age 75, of Glendive, Montana, passed away peacefully on Saturday, April 1, 2017 at the Glendive Medical Center Extended Care in Glendive. Visitation will take place From 6:00 P.M. to 8 P.M. on Friday, April 7, 2017 at Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. A funeral service will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Saturday, April 8, 2017 at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Glendive with Bishop Armando Muruato officiating. Interment will be held in Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Herman was born March 26, 1942 in Dickinson, North Dakota to Dorothy Elizabeth (Feldmann) Brown and Raymond Walter Brown. He was the oldest of the four boys LeRoy, Donald and Roger. They were raised on the family farm north of Beach, North Dakota.

Dad's education started at the Little Beaver School (one of five students). He attended there through the eighth grade, then went on to Beach High School and graduated with the class of 1961. After graduation he stayed and worked on the farm. In 1964 they moved southwest of Glendive to start a dairy farm. Ray, his dad, passed away soon after and the boys decided it was time to move on to greener pastures. That is when dad found his true passion, the oilfield! He would spend the next twenty years doing what he loved the most. He "got to travel from one end of the good old U.S.A. to the other. From the frigid cold of Alaska to the desert heat of west Texas".

In 1972 and 1973 he would find his next passions in life. He was baptized into

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and married Linda Hochberger of Fairview, Montana. When he married Mom he also got a daughter (LaDonna) to call his own and in 1974 they had a son, Timothy. They made our home on Jefferson School Road in 1975 and life was great! Dad broke his ankle in the early 1980's and life never seemed to be the same for him. Injury after injury and declining health lead him back to college at DCC in Glendive, and he then became a college graduate in 1988. From 1990 until his retirement in 2010 he was the head custodian for Jefferson School. In retirement it was all about his grandkids. Taking care of Cory after school and traveling to see Eli, Hailey, Jenna and Aiden were very important to him. Over the years he held many positions in the church and being a young men's leader was where he left his mark. He touched and changed so many lives with the work he did.

Dad was a great husband, father, grandfather, worker, and friend. He never forgot a name and had a story to tell everyone. But if his lips were moving he was probably lying and he would lie to anyone who would listen! He taught us never to be late, so we were always an hour early to everything, you worked hard, and you thought of others before yourself. He will be remembered for his old yellow and black pick-up, love of guns, Harley Davidson motorcycles (with sidecars), taking his dogs Twister and Slugger for ice cream, river raft rides, and his fantastic steaks. He was the Best. We will miss you Dad!

He was preceded in death by his parents; and a brother Donald Brown.

He is survived by his wife Linda Brown of Glendive; a daughter LaDonna(Sean)Wootan of Glendive; a son Tim(Meredith)Brown of Twin Falls, Idaho; brothers LeRoy Brown of Belle Fourche South Dakota, and Roger(Susan)Brown of Prescott Valley, Arizona; sister-in-law June Brown of Tucson, Arizona; grandchildren Cory Wootan of Glendive, Eli , Hailey, Jenna, and Aiden Brown of Twin Falls, Idaho; and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins.

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

Cemetery Details

Dawson County Cemetery

Corner of North Sargent Ave. and East Allard
Street
Glendive, MT 59330

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Glendive, Montana
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Glendive, MT 59330
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Service

APR 8. 10:00 AM (MT)

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
1900 North Anderson Avenue
Glendive, MT 59330

Tribute Wall



“ *Herman Brown*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *Please accept my family’s heartfelt condolences on the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort in the fond memories of them, and The Almighty God’s promise to restore those asleep in death to perfect life on a paradise Earth, as written in The Bible for our comfort.*

Greene Family - April 10, 2017 at 04:32 PM



“ *Denise Stoddart lit a candle in memory of Herman Brown*



Denise Stoddart - April 07, 2017 at 12:45 AM

LV

“ Uncle Herman was an incredibly friendly, and fun person to be around. I remember always taking our family trips to Montana every summer during my adolescence days. He would always be ready to give us kids, cousins and adults rides on his Harley Davidson side car. Fun times, happy times memories to hold onto forever. He would give us all an opportunity to drive around his 3-wheelers. Fun Fun! To see him in his prime, one would know he wasn't someone to mess with. He could definitely hold his own and then some. He however was a beautiful individual once you got to know his heart. Thus "The Gentle Giant or cuddly teddy bear". I will miss hearing your cute twang in your speech and your loving smile. Rest easy uncle Herman. I'm sure my dad who also is a new angle in heaven will be there to greet you. God bless you and keep you.
Love your niece,
Laurie Valmonte

Laurie Valmonte - April 05, 2017 at 08:34 PM

LM

“ Rest in paradise Uncle Herman! My memories of you growing up will always be in my heart: riding in the sidecar on your motorcycle, your famous barbecue food, 4th of July celebrations, your gun collection, your humor, teasing us, cooking for everyone at the reunions, and your contagious smile, love and tenderness. I love you! Please say hi to my daddy when you see him ❤️ my heart goes out to you, Aunt Linda, La Donna, Tim and family. My God comfort you all ❤️ Lorna, Vince, Mio, Elias & Virginia (SF, CA)

Lorna Montes - April 05, 2017 at 08:19 PM

ET

“ Ed And Noreen Turnquist sent a virtual gift in memory of Herman Brown



Ed and Noreen Turnquist - April 05, 2017 at 02:16 PM

RC

“ Rimrock Dental Clinic purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Herman Brown.



Rimrock Dental Clinic - April 05, 2017 at 12:57 PM

NK

“ I am thinking of you Linda.

NANCY KORB - April 04, 2017 at 06:52 PM

BT

“ Becky Tipton lit a candle in memory of Herman Brown



Becky Tipton - April 03, 2017 at 10:16 PM

BT

“ Linda and family, I'm so sorry for your loss. Herman was a very respected man and he fought hard. God has a plan for him. May he rest in peace. Treasure your memories and hold them close they will help get you through the difficult days and head.
Becky Tipton

Becky Tipton - April 03, 2017 at 10:16 PM

JC

“ Our condolences to the family during this difficult time. Herman had a long, hard road the last few years and has earned his rest. You will be in our thoughts.

Jerry and Carol - April 03, 2017 at 11:09 AM