



Marvin L. Robinson

March 3, 1931 - July 1, 2003

Marvin L. Robinson, 72, passed away on Friday, June 27, 2003 at his home in Wibaux, Montana. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, July 1, 2003 at Wibaux County High School Gymnasium in Wibaux with Pastor Paul Peterson officiating. It was Marvin's wishes to be cremated following services. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Wibaux is entrusted with arrangements. Marvin was born March 3, 1931, in Buckley, Washington, the son of Amos Oran and Pearl Elizabeth Robinson. Marvin grew up and attended school in Buckley, Washington and Opheim, Montana. On November 23, 1949, Marvin entered the U.S. Air Force receiving his basic training at Lackland AFB in San Antonio, Texas and was later stationed in Arlington, Virginia and Fairbanks, Alaska. Marvin served as a cook with the 500 1st Air Base Squadron during the Korean Conflict. During his time on the East Coast, Marvin met Pat and on December 7, 1951 they were married in Baltimore, Maryland. Marvin was honorably discharged on October 8, 1953, at Parks Air Force Base in Parks, California. Following his discharge, he and Pat moved back to Montana. On July 10, 1963 Marvin hired on with Goldenwest Electric Cooperative in Wibaux as a third-year apprentice lineman. His previous three years had been spent as an apprentice with Northern Electric Co-op at Opheim. On March 1, 1993, nearly 30 years later Marvin retired from a life of climbing poles, stringing line, repairing outages, fighting the elements, and overseeing matters of the cooperative as a manger for 17 years. Throughout Marvin's life, he enjoyed raising and racing horses. In 1979, he and Bob Weyer owned the Montana

State Racing Champion 2 year old Quarter Horse. Marvin also enjoyed hunting and fishing with family and friends. Although Marvin "retired" in 1993, he managed to stay extremely busy as the area handyman. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Marvin was preceded in death by his parents, foster father, Orrin Fossum; one brother, Clarence; three sisters, Mabel, Alma and Alyce and one granddaughter, Aubrey. Marvin is survived by his wife Pat of Wibaux, Montana; foster mother, Dorothy Fossum of Richland, Montana; a son, Jim and his wife Mary of Miles City, Montana; three daughters, LeAnne and husband Jim Sarver of Sandy, Utah; Lori and husband Lance Brooks of Glendive, Montana; Julie and husband Gordon Pinnow of Wibaux, Montana; seven sisters and five brothers, Ruth (Del) Robson of Glendive, Montana; Carl (Norma) Robinson of Denver, Colorado; Glenn (Dorothy) Robinson of Tacoma, Washington; Ethel (Bob) Bair of Centralia, Washington; Delia (Frank) Grundhauser of Spokane, Washington; Virginia (Leif) Serwold of Renton, Washington; Andy (Bonnie) Fossum of Gretna, Nebraska; Carole (Mike) Zeitner of Bremerton, Washington; Jerry (Sharon) Fossum of Ranchester, Wyoming; Janet Fossum of Billings, Montana; Sarah (Chuck) Thompson of Margate, Florida; Bob (Mary) Fossum of Richland, Montana; one sister-in-law, Anne Robinson of Kalispell, Montana; 11 grandchildren, Kate Robinson of Long Beach, California; Andrea Robinson of Billings, Montana; Jade Sarver of Sandy, Utah; Jared, Sari and Kaitlin Pasma of Glendive, Montana; Keesha and Lacy Brooks of Rapid City, South Dakota, Samarah and Megan Pinnow of Ogden, Utah; Jaycie Pinnow of Wibaux, Montana.

Tribute Wall



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