



Matt Aspenlieder

October 2, 1930 - May 29, 2014

Matt Aspenlieder Sr., age 83, of Glendive, Montana, passed away on Thursday, May 29, 2014, at his home in Glendive with his family by his side. Visitation will be held from 10:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. and 6:00 P.M. until 8:00 P.M. on Friday, June 6, 2014 at the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. A Family and Friends Service will be held at 7:00 P.M. on Friday, June 6, 2014 at the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive with Reverend Brad Kelly officiating. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, June 7, 2014 at the Glendive Assembly of God Church in Glendive with Pastor Brad Kelly officiating. Interment will be held in the Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Matt was born on October 2, 1930, to John and Elizabeth (Hochstein) Aspenlieder. He was the second of seven children. Matt grew up on the family farm near Estevan, Saskatchewan, Canada. In 1948, his parents moved the family to Montana with intentions of purchasing a farm in Eastern Montana. However, the owner decided not to sell, so they made their home in Glendive, where Matt's dad found work with the railroad. At the age of eighteen, Matt worked as a receiving clerk with Montgomery Ward. Matt then became a United States citizen. In 1950, he joined the United States Air Force and was deployed to Korea. Matt was honorably discharged in March of 1955. On July 12, 1952, Matt and Mary (Bishop) were united in marriage. This has been a loving relationship for nearly sixty-two years, in which they were

blessed with five children. In 1955, Matt began a nineteen-year career with Koch Furniture. Later, Matt and Mary worked together and managed Midwest Furniture, then purchased a New & Used Furniture store in Forsyth, Montana, before settling in Glendive and opening Matt's New & Used. Matt also sold and repaired sewing machines, and he kept a journal in his office of each one he serviced for over fifty years.

In 1975, Matt and Mary became charter members of the Forsyth Assembly of God Church. Matt served as a church deacon in Forsyth and Glendive. His Christian faith was very important to him, and he dearly enjoyed memorizing Bible scripture. Matt was a man with high integrity, never cheating a customer, and was well known as a very honest man. Matt enjoyed working with the public for over sixty years and, at age seventy-five, found it difficult to retire after being diagnosed with Parkinson's disease.

Throughout Matt's life his favorite sport was bowling. It was known, he would rather go bowling than eat! Matt enjoyed teaching his children, nieces, and nephews the love of bowling, and during special times throughout the year, Matt would arrange to lease a bowling alley for a day to spend with his wife and children.

Matt was dearly loved by his family and has been a great example of a man who was loyal to his beliefs, loving his wife and family, having faith in God, being patriotic, and assisting those in need.

Matt was preceded in death by his parents; his brothers, Joseph and Harvey; sisters, Lorraine Bishop and Viola Hanks; and his daughter, Mischelle Anne Golie.

He is survived by his wife, Mary; his sons, Matt, Jr. (Sandy), and Mike (Carla) of Gladstone, Missouri, and Mark of Kirkland, Washington; his daughter, MaryLee (Tom) Ames of Glendive; thirteen grandchildren, Jonathan, Brandell, L'auren, Brandon, Sonya, Melanie, Marie, Macy, Madison, Maya, Haley, Justin, and Kayla; and fifteen great-grandchildren. Also surviving are Matt's brothers Edward (Choon) of Olympia, Washington, Lloyd (Shirley) of Culbertson, Montana, and Lawrence (Bardina) of Kalispell, Montana; and

special brothers-in law and friends, William Bishop and Dennis Schock, Sr.
Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at: www.silvernale-silhafuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Matt Aspenlieder*

December 07, 2022 at 04:10 PM



“ *My grandma has Parkinson's disease, she is about 75 years old it was detected 7 years ago. it was very difficult to live for her, because of stiff muscles she can't even move. L-dopa and carbidopa medicines are given, but won't give much relief. She can't eat food and the skin is damaging forming ganglia.my friend introduced me to perfecthealthherbalmedicine,he said perfecthealthherbalmedicine cure his father of Parkinson and COPD,so i decided to give it a try,so i emailed them,they replied and ask for my grandma details,which i sent to them via email: (perfecthealthherbalmedicine @ gmail .com),website:(www. perfecthealthherbal. weebly. com). then i purchased the herbal medicine for Parkinson diseases,after purchasing,the herbal medicine was shipped to my address,which i received within 2 days,when i received the herbal medicine i called them,and they told me how to use it,after 5 weeks of usage my grandma stiff muscles was released and she started walking,eat properly too,i was like a miracle,and our family doctor confirmed my grandma is Parkinson free,am so happy and God will bless perfecthealthherbalmedicinehome for their great work..*

MONICAHEN - March 29, 2017 at 08:22 PM



“ *Matt fixed my first sewing machine an Elna from the 70's many times. He was an amazing man and will be missed by many. My condolences to the family.*
laura grzanic

Laura Grzanic - June 02, 2014 at 11:14 AM

CS

“ *Mary Lee and family,*

So sorry to hear about your Dad. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

I remember the feeling when Dad and Mom passed away like it was yesterday. It is a feeling that only those that have had a Dad or Mom pass away can know what you are going through now. Remember the good times and the lessons you have learned from your Dad, these will bring a smile to you and help ease your pain.

Carla (Barone) and Bruce Sapp - June 01, 2014 at 02:48 PM

JB

“ *Marylee, Mike, Mark, Matz & Aunt Mary. So sorry for your loss. May god give you peace and comfort during this difficult time. He was a wonderful man and a great uncle to many. He is forever in our hearts!*

Joyce Bishop - June 01, 2014 at 10:05 AM

RA

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you in your time of loss. I met Matt in 1968 while working as a high school student delivering furniture for Floyd Marty. Matt was a great guy, that I never failed to stop and visit with whenever the chance arose, whether it was about a sewing machine, or just stopping in at his store on a regular basis. The Coke machine that was in his store is now in my shop. I think about him every time I see it. While working there I also worked with Lawrence, also a great guy. Matt will be missed by all who really knew him. Memories will heal your loss, and Matt left you many, I am sure..... Rolly Anvik*

Rolly Anvik - May 31, 2014 at 06:01 PM

RS

“ Sorry about your loss May you be comforted and blessed

Rodney/Gayle Sturgis - May 31, 2014 at 05:09 PM

DB

“ Aunt Mary, Matt, Mike, Mark, and MaryLee, We were so sorry to hear about the passing of Uncle Matt. He was a very special man and will be missed by many. Unfortunately we will not be able to make it to the funeral however we will be there in spirit. Prayers and thoughts are with you. We will always keep him in our hearts and have great memories of him. God Bless.

Dale and Nancy Bishop - May 31, 2014 at 04:07 PM

BT

“ MaryLee I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. Although you can now know that he is no longer in Pain and he's with Michelle. He will always be watching over you all. Cherish your memories and hold them close as they will help you get through the difficult days ahead. May God Bless
Becky (Chouinard) Tipton

Becky Tipton - May 31, 2014 at 12:05 PM