



Melvin Moe

February 22, 1918 - August 6, 2008

Melvin Moe Melvin Moe, age 90, of Glendive, Montana, formerly of Williston, North Dakota, passed away on Sunday, August 3, 2008, at the Eastern Montana Veterans Home in Glendive. A private family funeral service with military honors will be held at 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, August 6, 2008 in the Chapel of the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive with Rev. David Aaseng officiating. Interment will be on Friday, August 8, 2008 in the Montana State Veterans Cemetery in Fort Harrison, Montana. Melvin was born February 22, 1918, in Lincoln Valley Township near Colgan, North Dakota, the son of Gilbert and Mathia (Iverson) Moe. He was Baptized and Confirmed in the Twin Butte Lutheran Church in Lincoln Valley Township. Melvin left the family homestead in his early teens working his way across Montana to Washington state during the great depression. When Pearl Harbor was bombed he joined the United States Army on February 10, 1941. He landed on Normandy with the 821st tank battalion and served in the European Theater of War during World War II and was honorably discharged as a decorated Warrant Officer on December 23, 1945. Melvin married Edna Tengum on January 16, 1943 in Brownwood, Texas. He and his wife farmed in the Colgan area until moving to Polson, Montana where they spent each summer working at Whitefish State Park in Whitefish, Montana. He had also spent several fall hunting seasons working at the hunters checkpoint at Hungry Horse Dam. Melvin had been employed by the Montana State Park Service for 19 years until his retirement in 2004. Melvin and Edna moved to

Williston, North Dakota in 2005 where they have resided since. Melvin had been a resident of the Eastern Montana Veterans Home since 2008. Melvin was a life time member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and had served on county boards, school boards and as a member of the Historical Society of Crosby, North Dakota. He was also very active in the FFA, Boy Scouts of America and the Rodeo Association. He was a devoted friend, husband and father. Melvin was preceded in death by an infant daughter, Edna Margrete, his parents, four brothers and three sisters. Survivors include his wife Edna of Williston, one son, Melvyn E. Moe of Billings, Montana, two daughters; Myrna Philipp and her husband Dennis of Vernal, Utah and Eileen Lindell and her husband Clyde of Helena, Montana, one grandson, five granddaughters, two great grandsons and one great granddaughter.

Tribute Wall



“ *Melvin Moe*

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