



Richard "Dick" Arthur Ross

April 21, 1945 - October 2, 2024

Richard "Dick" Arthur Ross, age 79, of Beach, North Dakota passed away on Wednesday, October 2, 2024 while receiving medical treatment in Bismarck, North Dakota. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, October 9, 2024 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Golva, North Dakota with Father Nicholas Vetter officiating. Rite of Committal with Military Honors to follow at St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery. Silha Funeral Home of Beach has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Richard was born on April 21, 1945, to Orville and Florence (Larson) Ross in Glendive, Montana. He grew up and worked the family farm, north of Beach. Dick graduated from Beach High School in 1963 and entered the Army. He went on to earn his Associate Degree in Agriculture with a minor in math from Dawson Community College. Dick was united in marriage with Theresa Schillo on August 3, 1968. The couple had three children together: Scott, Mary, and Tracy but later separated; however, they always remained good friends. Dick was honorably discharged from the Army Reserves in 1969. He continued to farm until changing to construction as a heavy equipment operator, traveling for his work. Dick retired in 2008 and returned to Beach. Dick enjoyed traveling, following the rodeo, and anything that he could do outdoors. He was always there to help others and will be greatly missed. Dick is preceded in death by his parents, Orville and Florence; infant children, Scott and Mary, and sister-in-law, Maria Ross.

Dick is survived by his brothers, Gary and Bradley of Beach; daughter, Tracy

(Craig) Allhusen and their twin boys, Kyle and Dylan of Hope, RI, and his lifetime best friend, Theresa Ross of Reno, Nevada.

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

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Cemetery

Golva, ND

Previous Events

Mass of Christian Burial

OCT 9. 11:00 AM (MT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
405 Gass Street
Golva, ND

Tribute Wall



“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Cathy Berg - October 09, 2024 at 02:46 PM

CB

Childhood photos of my cousin Dick along with other cousins and family members. 💕

Cathy Jeanette Berg - October 10, 2024 at 07:19 PM

DK

“ *I got to visit with Dick in August at the reunion. Hadn't seen him for some time. We spent a lot of time together in high school. My heart goes out to his family. I wish I could make to the funeral. He will be missed by all!*

With my sympathy: Dennis Kress

Dennis Kress - October 08, 2024 at 07:03 PM

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“ LOVE ALLHUSEN FAMILY purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Richard "Dick" Arthur Ross.



LOVE ALLHUSEN FAMILY - October 07, 2024 at 05:28 PM

YF

“ Your Friend, Ardi (Jesok) Forrester purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Richard "Dick" Arthur Ross.



Your Friend, Ardi (Jesok) Forrester - October 07, 2024 at 11:08 AM

RM

“ Sending our love and prayers. Tom, Roxanne, Talen, and Maria



Roxanne McGrath - October 05, 2024 at 11:50 PM

JK

To the family of Richard Arthur Ross, please know I am thinking of all of RAR's family. I have known Dick for over 63 years. We shared many good memories at Beach High School. He gave me my nickname of "Kegs" which classmates and friends later in life still call me. Theresa, I have very fond memories of the Schillo family. Prayers for healing are sent and love of the rural roots where we grew up.
Janice Brettin Knopik

Janice D. Knopik - October 08, 2024 at 09:22 PM



Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us every day. Unseen, unheard, but always near. Still loved, still missed and very dear.

My memories of my cousin Dick were of a kind and quite individual. Our age difference and the distance we lived apart made our times together rare. Time spent together was mostly on vacations throughout the years when as a family we would visit our Aunt Florence and Uncle Orval, Dick, Gary and Bradley in Beach, N.D. We spent time at their home visiting and playing with our cousins. I recall watching the historic moon landing and the first steps on the moon on one such vacation. Seeing my cousins Dick and Gary doing a round up of the cattle with there Dad, my Uncle Orval from a nearby hilltop with some of my cousins. Younger cousins like myself had the opportunity to be on a horse and led around by Dick and Gary on their property. The childhood photos of both Dick and Gary with me and my other cousins bring a smile to my face. My heartfelt sympathy to Dick's family on the loss of their dear loved one.

*With my heartfelt sympathy,
Cathy (Larson) Berg*

Cathy Berg - October 09, 2024 at 02:32 PM