



## Rodney Clyde Van Horn

October 4, 1952 - May 12, 2003

Rodney Clyde Van Horn, age 50, of Sentinel Butte, North Dakota, died near Sentinel Butte on Wednesday, May 7, 2003 of natural causes. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 P.M. Monday, May 12, 2003 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Sentinel Butte. Interment will follow services at the Sentinel Butte Cemetery with Rev. Paul Petersen officiating. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Beach, North Dakota is entrusted with arrangements. Rodney was born October 4, 1952 in Beach, North Dakota the son of George Henry and Ella Marie (Polley) Van Horn. He was raised on the family farm southeast of Sentinel Butte, North Dakota. Rodney was educated in the Sentinel Butte schools, graduating with the class of 1970. Rodney then attended Dickinson State College in Dickinson, North Dakota and graduated from the North Dakota State School of Science at Wahpeton, North Dakota. Rodney was married to Viki (Victoria) Allen in Sentinel Butte on January 2, 1973. After their marriage they moved to the three generation family farm southeast of Sentinel Butte where they have since resided. Rodney was a member of the Trinity Lutheran Church of Sentinel Butte, North Dakota. He served as church council president and on the parish board. He was a member of the Sentinel Butte Fire Department, the Sentinel Civil Township Board and the recreational board for several years. Rodney loved farming and ranching and in the winter he worked as a carpenter with Lionel Gilbertson for several years. Each spring and fall he enjoyed farming with his friend Rollo Hillman. Rodney also thoroughly enjoyed researching his genealogy. His life revolved around his

family, especially his children and his grandchildren. Rodney was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Avis Manning. Rodney is survived by his wife, Viki (Victoria) of the family home; one son, Michael and his wife Kim of Sentinel Butte, North Dakota; one daughter, Cheri Ehlis and her husband Eric of Dickinson, North Dakota; one brother, Dean Van Horn of Sentinel Butte; one half brother, Russel Van Horn of Rainier, Washington; two half sisters, Bernice Smith of Olympia, Washington and Grace Receconi and her husband Walter of Ilwaco, Washington; six grandchildren, Taylor Van Horn Ehlis, Karissa Van Horn, Faith Van Horn, Ty Van Horn, Morgan Ehlis and Blake Van Horn

# Tribute Wall



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