



Vernon Clifford Heinrich

April 22, 1936 - May 5, 2024

Vernon Clifford Heinrich passed into the Lord's presence on Sunday May 5, 2024. He was born in Mott, ND April 22, 1936, to Ernestine (Rieger) and Carl Heinrich. He attended school in Mott, ND. He attended Agriculture College of Fargo ND, and Summer School at Dickinson State College, Dickinson ND. Vernon then attended school in Yankton, SD to obtain a B.A. degree in Theology. During this time Donna taught school near New Leipzig ND, meeting Vernon through his aunt and uncle with whom she was staying. They began dating and were married on June 8, 1958, in New Leipzig, ND. Donna joined Vernon in Yankton, SD, where their first son, Rase, was born in 1959. After graduating from college, the family bought a farm in Hazen, ND, where their next two children were born; daughter Wanda, 1960; son Shane 1962. Vernon and Donna then bought a farm in Mott, ND where daughter Ila, their fourth and final child was born in 1965.

In 1969 Vernon and his two brothers and families bought a ranch in Savage MT. Vernon and Donna became members of the Mon-Dak Wagon Train Club with Vernon becoming President for one year.

In 1975 the ranch was sold, and the family moved to Glendive, MT. Vernon tried his hand at selling Real Estate for Kopp Realty, driving truck for Cenex Transportation, Upholstery and leather work, brand Inspection, finally coming to rest on operating a Butcher Shop on their place in Stipek.

Vernon's passions were raising good Quarter Horses, his Belgian teams driving the chuck wagon on Walt Hinebauch's cattle drives, and Dutch oven

cooking.

Vernon was preceded in death by his parents, Carl and Ernestine Heinrich, mother and father-in-law Martha and Adolph Kallis, daughter Wanda Diede, wife Donna Heinrich, brother Elmer Heinrich, and sisters Eileen Goeschel and Loretta Davis.

Survivors include sons Rase (Cyndie) Heinrich, Stagecoach, NV, Shane (Tamera) Heinrich, Yakima, WA, daughter Ila (Wayne) Cirone of Washoe Valley, NV, brother Clarence (Marylin) Heinrich, Dickinson, ND, sister Emy (Duane) Baumgartner, Sartell, MN, granddaughters Tonya (Nate) Champa of Stevensville, MT, April (Justin) Mannhardt, Minneapolis, MN, Angela Cirone, Carson City, NV, grandsons Nathan (Danielle) Diede, Lambert, MT, Benjamin (Sarah) Diede, Sidney, MT, Colton (Maria) Heinrich, Colorado Springs, CO, nine great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, consider a donation to the First Congregational Church UCC of Glendive, MT or to a charity of your choice in Vernon's name.

Visitation will be from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM on Thursday, May 9, 2024 at the Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. A Funeral Service will be held at 1:00 PM on Friday, May 10, 2024 at the First Congregational Church in Glendive with Brother Guy Pontoriero officiating. Interment will follow in the Dawson County Cemetery in Glendive. Silha Funeral Home of Glendive has been entrusted with the arrangements.

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

Cemetery Details

Dawson County Cemetery

Corner of North Sargent Ave. and East Allard
Street
Glendive, MT 59330

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **9**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Silha Funeral Homes - Glendive, Montana
221 N. Meade Avenue
P.O. Box 848
Glendive, MT 59330
(406) 377-2622
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<https://www.silhafuneralhomes.com>

Funeral Service

MAY **10**. 1:00 PM (MT)

First Congregational Church
Glendive, MT 59330

Tribute Wall

SB

“ *Stelter families. Rodger, Stan, Bruce purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Vernon Clifford Heinrich.*



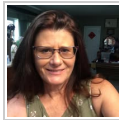
Stelter families. Rodger, Stan, Bruce - May 08, 2024 at 08:50 PM

MK

“ *Thinking of Vern's and Donna's family!*



Myrna Kintz - May 07, 2024 at 04:46 PM



Thank you Myrna

Ila Cirone - May 07, 2024 at 08:50 PM

TD

“ *The Doanes planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Vernon Clifford Heinrich.*

The Doanes - May 07, 2024 at 11:07 AM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Vernon Clifford Heinrich.*



May 07, 2024 at 11:07 AM



“ *Grace Koffler Evinrude lit a candle in memory of Vernon Heinrich*



Grace Koffler Evinrude - May 06, 2024 at 09:08 PM



“ *robin & Clarice Utgaard lit a candle in memory of Vernon Heinrich*



robin & Clarice Utgaard - May 06, 2024 at 08:46 PM



“ *Teresa Hathaway lit a candle in memory of Vernon Heinrich*



Teresa Hathaway - May 06, 2024 at 06:24 PM

RM

“ Rachel McCloy lit a candle in memory of Vernon Heinrich



Rachel McCloy - May 06, 2024 at 06:04 PM



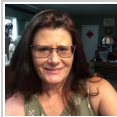
Thank you 🙏

Ila Cirone - May 06, 2024 at 07:21 PM

MS

“ Thinking of you!! Sending Prayer and Hugs!! They are together again!

Mike and Jacky Boje Saur - May 06, 2024 at 02:19 PM



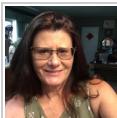
Thank you Jacky

Ila Cirone - May 07, 2024 at 10:36 AM

BJ

“ So sorry for your loss!!
What a delightful couple Vernon and Donna were!! Such hard workers and very others- oriented. Now they are reunited and rejoicing together!
Sending peace and comfort in this time 💜

Barbara Johnson - May 06, 2024 at 01:05 PM



Thank you for sharing your memories.

Ila Cirone - May 07, 2024 at 10:38 AM

CA

“ *Sending my love and prayers to the family. I enjoyed Vern and Donna as neighbors and will miss my visits with him.*

Candy - May 06, 2024 at 10:46 AM



Thank you Candy.

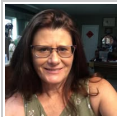
Ila Cirone - May 07, 2024 at 10:39 AM

JB

“ *Julie Borst lit a candle in memory of Vernon Heinrich*



Julie Borst - May 06, 2024 at 10:08 AM



Thank you.

Ila Cirone - May 07, 2024 at 10:39 AM

LI

“ *Sending love, hugs and prayers to all of you*
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Gary and Lynn Ingraham

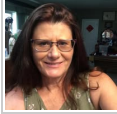


Lynn Ingraham - May 06, 2024 at 02:27 AM

BK

Sending prayers & love to all your family 💕
Bonita & Bill Keel

Bonita Keel - May 06, 2024 at 07:33 PM



Thank you Lynn and Gary, love to you both.

Ila Cirone - May 07, 2024 at 10:40 AM

MK

My love and prayers to the family.

Myrna Kintz - May 07, 2024 at 05:25 PM

AM

Our thoughts and prayers to all your family! ❤️🙏❤️ Rick & Anita Mullin

Anita Mullin - May 07, 2024 at 06:30 PM