



Walter Devoy

June 27, 1930 - May 30, 2007

Walter B. Devoy Jr., 76, passed away on Saturday, May 26, 2007 at the Glendive Medical Center in Glendive, surrounded by his loving family and friends. A Vigil Service will be held at 7:30 P.M., Tuesday, May 29, 2007 at the Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home in Glendive. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday, May 30, 2007 in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Glendive with Fr. Joseph Ponessa officiating. Rite of Committal with military honors will be in the Dawson Memorial Cemetery in Glendive.

Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Glendive is entrusted with the arrangements. Walt was born in Jersey City, New Jersey on June 27, 1930. He attended Dickinson High School in Jersey City graduating with the class of 1950. Walt entered the United States Air Force in June of 1951. Basic training was at Sampson Air Force Base in Itcha, New York, then Kessler Air Force Base in Mississippi. He finished schooling and was assigned to the 29th Air Force Division in Great Falls, Montana, attached to the Opheim Radar Early Warning Stations 779th Ac/W squadron Radar Base where he was stationed. Walt was honorably discharged in June 1955 with the rank of Staff Sergeant. Walt met the love of his life, Joyce Isakson and they were married on May 21, 1955 in Glentana, Montana. He and his wife moved to Jersey City where he was employed by Tool & Die Company for 5 months. They returned to Montana to help his father-in-law on the family farm for 5 months, he then went to work for the Montana Highway Department as a surveyor where he worked for 4 years until moving to the Right Of Way Department where he

remained for 34 years, retiring in 1989. Walt was active in the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1125. He served on the Glendive Honor Guard for many years. He enjoyed woodworking, fishing, hunting, bowling, leather tooling and especially loved watching his grandchildren in their activities and watching them grow up to be fine young adults. His advice to his grandchildren was to "always look out for #1 so that you don't step in #2". Walt's day never went by without him enjoying coffee with his buddies at McDonald's. Walt was preceded in death by his mother, Bertha Hunold, a sister, Julie Boldt, a brother, Joe Devoy, two grandchildren, Aaron Lordemann and Kevin Dion and his special cat "Sam". Survivors include his wife of 52 years, Joyce of Glendive, three daughters, Denise Dion and her husband Charlie of Glendive, Carleen Lordemann and her husband Darryl of Glendive and Dorinda Henderson and her husband Steve of Hinsdale, Montana, one son, Douglas Devoy of Glendive, nine grandchildren, Katie Dion, Brent Dion, Jodie Dion, Alisa (Casey) Doolan, Addie Lordemann, Alix Lordemann, Jessica (Kenten) Peabody, Julie Ann Cartmell and Jenae Andreas, two great grandchildren, Baylee Jade Doolan and Garrett Walter Peabody, two sisters-in-law, Darleen (Darrell) Nordhagen and Marlis (Michael) Walker, and special friends, Freda Haidle and Shaunda Hansen.

Tribute Wall



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