



William Larson

April 22, 1944 - October 27, 2011

Bismarck, North Dakota: William Alfred Larson, age 67, of Beach, North Dakota passed away on Sunday, October 23, 2011 at the Medcenter One Hospital in Bismarck. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, October 27, 2011 at the St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Beach, with Reverend Father Russell Kovash officiating. Lunch will be served in the basement of the church following services. Silvernale-Silha Funeral Home of Beach has been entrusted with the arrangements. William Alfred Larson was born on April 22, 1944 the son of Francis S. and Burness (Henderson) Larson in Langdon, North Dakota. He spent his early years being raised in Clyde, North Dakota. In 1952, the family moved to Calvin, North Dakota, where William graduated high school with the class of 1962. He attended college at North Dakota State School of Forestry, currently the Minot State University-Bottineau Campus in Bottineau, North Dakota, graduating with the class of 1964. William then went to Utah State in Logan, Utah graduating with the class of 1967. Education was a passion and a goal obtained by William throughout his life. Following his college studies William worked most of his life in Law Enforcement for the National Park Service and the Federal Government. William worked at Theodore Roosevelt National Park in Medora, North Dakota, Grand Canyon National Park in Arizona, Yosemite National Park in California, Hawaii Volcanoes National Park in Hawaii and Lake Mead Recreation Area in Nevada. William was also employed at Mount Rainier National Park in Washington state, where he was

in charge of Search and Rescue, and worked there until his retirement in 2001. William married Jeanne Iverson on November 22, 1967 in Gravel Canyon National Park, Arizona. He was very conscious about physical fitness. He enjoyed teaching Hunter Safety and he was a gunsmith and enjoyed competitive shooting. William lived an active lifestyle full of passionate hobbies, faith and unconditional love for his family. William was preceded in death by his parents, Francis and Burness Larson. William is survived by his wife, Jeanne of Beach; sister, Myrna (James) Greenwood of Grafton, North Dakota; niece, Jacqueline (Kit) Midgarden of Hoople, North Dakota; and his nephew, Jaymes Greenwood of Hoople. Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall



“ *William Larson*

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