

Joseph B. Bergum

Joseph B. Bergum, 74, 37 N. Third St., died Sunday, Jan. 16, 1994, at his home.

Joseph B. Bergum was born Jan. 5, 1920, in Grand Forks, the son of John and Bertha (Johnson) Bergum. He graduated from Central High School and then enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Corps. He served in Italy as a B-24 bomber pilot,



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earning the rank of second lieutenant. After the war, he returned to Grand Forks and worked as a salesman for H.J. Heinz Co. He married Leona Wosick June 22, 1948, in Warsaw, N.D. He later worked as a carpenter with his father, and then on his own. In 1965, he married Mavis Bouvette in Grand Forks.

He is survived by sons, John, Hibbing, Minn., David, Grand Forks, Michael, Eau Claire, Wis.; daughters, Nancy (Mrs. Tom) Branby, Grand Forks, Lee (Mrs. Rod) Helgenset, Thief River Falls, Del (Mrs. Ken) Vein, Grand Forks; a stepson, Robert Bouvette, Mentor, Minn.; stepdaughters, Cindy Salverson, Erskine, Minn., Valerie Reuther, Grand Forks, Barb Sams, Bismarek; sisters, Hazel (Mrs. Gordon) Klug, Grand Forks, Gunda (Mrs. Walter) Swanson, East Grand Forks; 11 grandchildren; and five step grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and sisters Josie, Selma, Alice and an infant sister.

■ **Services:** 2 p.m. Wednesday in Amundson Funeral Home, Grand Forks.

■ **Visitation:** 4 to 7 p.m. with a 6:30 p.m. prayer service Tuesday in the funeral home.

■ **Burial:** Memorial Park Cemetery, Grand Forks.