

## Savvas Matiatos

Savvas "Steve" Matiatos, 76, died Monday, Aug. 28, 2001, in the Valley Memorial Home, Grand Forks.

Savvas D. Matiatos was born Dec. 5, 1924, the son of Dionisios and Ourania (Stathatou) Matiatos, in Kardakata, Kefalonia, Greece. He attended school in Greece. He moved to East Grand Forks in 1956. He worked at the Dacotah Hotel, the Mint and operated the Busy Bee Shoe Shop. He married Karen Marcelyn Roth on May 18, 1962, in Crookston. They lived in Grand Forks. He was a chef at the Scandia House and the Elks Club. Karen Matiatos died Oct. 23, 1986.

He is survived by sons, Michael (Gretchen), Pedro Bay, Alaska, and Daniel, Thornton, Colo.; a grandson; brothers, Nikola, of Greece, and Andrew, Minneapolis; and sisters, Chrisula and Pinoria, all of Greece.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Gerasimos "Jerry"; and a sister, Efthxia.

■ **Services:** 1 p.m. Saturday, Norman Funeral Home, Columbia Road, Grand Forks.

■ **Visitation:** One hour prior to services in the funeral home.

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