

Stanley R. Neste

Stanley R. Neste, 78, Grand Forks, ND died Monday, January 30, 2006 in Altru Hospital, Grand Forks.



Stanley Raymond Neste was born June 27, 1927 the son of Jule and Thonie (Lesberg) Neste in Grand Forks, ND. He was raised and

educated in Metnick, ND. Upon the completion of his education, he worked on family farms in the area. In 1945, he moved to Grand Forks where he was employed at Border Chevrolet. Stanley married Geraldine A. Nikle on July 15, 1948 in St. Michael's Catholic Church, Grand Forks. He then worked at Rydell Chevrolet for forty-two years until his retirement in 1990. Shortly after his retirement, he was employed part time with Grand Forks Grocery Service for nine years and because of his love for gardening he worked with sorting vegetables.

He was a member of United Lutheran Church, Grand Forks, and the Eagles, Arie 350, East Grand Forks, MN. Stanley's favorite past times included gardening, dancing, lawn work, his home and his cars. He enjoyed watching game shows, Dr. Phil and wrestling.

He is survived by his wife, Geraldine; children, Cheryl R. Kuykendall, Sanford, FL, Catherine M. (Timothy) Staveteig, Cleveland, OH, Robert W. (Judy) Neste, Grand Forks, ND; sisters, Juliet Johnson, Thief River Falls, MN, Yvonne Thomson, CA, Delores Aeschilman, CA; his five grandchildren, Paul Staveteig, Sarah Staveteig, Jennifer Jones, Jason Neste, Jamie Tate; eight great grandchildren, Lauren Staveteig, Heaven Jones, Trace Jones, Charisma Jones, Courtney Olson, Cameron Neste, Tyson Tate and Jaden Tate.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, Trenton Neste.

Funeral Service: 1:30 p.m. Friday, February 3, 2006 in United Lutheran Church, Grand Forks, ND.

Visitation: 5 to 7:00 p.m. Thursday with a 7:00 p.m. prayer service in Gregory J. Norman - Norman Funeral Home, So. Washington St. and one hour prior to the funeral service at the church on Friday.

Burial: Memorial Park Cemetery, Grand Forks, ND.

The online memorial registry may be signed at www.normanfuneral.com (Gregory J. Norman-Norman Funeral Home, So Washington St.)