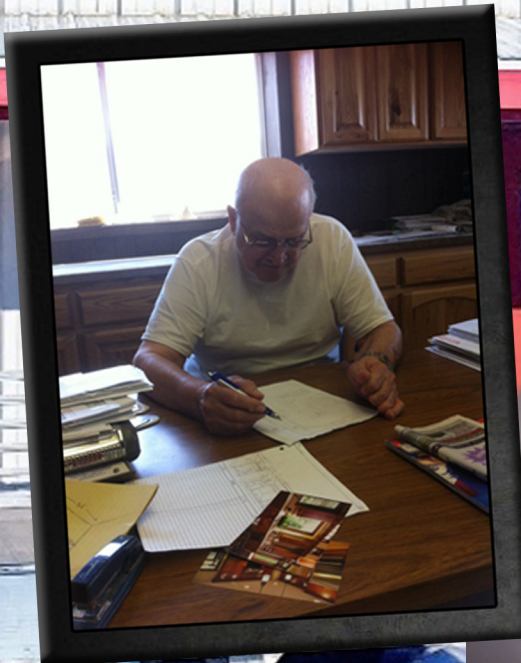


Wilfred P. Kovash was born May 24, 1935 in Dickinson, the son of Peter Kovash and Mary (Sadowsky) Kovash. He grew up on the family farm near Manning attending country school and graduating from Model High School in Dickinson. Wilfred was united in marriage to Georgia Jablonsky on June 27, 1955 at Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in New Hradec. To this union, twins-Rick and Rock, Lori, twins-Les and Len, and Tana were born. The couple made their home on a farm 20 miles north of Dickinson. They later moved to Dickinson in 1961. Wilfred worked at Hauck Millwork. He then started his own cabinet shop that he worked in for over 51 years and was fortunate enough to have his son join him. Wilfred loved bowling, playing horseshoes, fishing and camping. He enjoyed playing slot machines. Wilfred and Georgia both sang in the Czech Singing Group and Wilfred was very proud of the old time band, Kovash Trio, he played in. He was an avid Trinity, Vikings, and Twins fan and never once did they lose when the refs weren't to blame. Wilfred loved his children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren. He cherished time watching their sporting and school activities. He was always a farmer at heart and enjoyed "Going to look at the crops!" Wilfred is survived by his children, Rock Kovash and his sons, Shane (Stacey), Eric (Francine), and Zachary (Alyssa); Rick (Mari) Kovash and their children, Miranda (Blake), Meagan (Wayne) and Shailoh (Aimee); Lori (Erv) Bren and their children, Travis (Aura), Tyson (Teresa), and Sadi; Les (Greg) Lefor and their children, Zared (Katie) and Bree (Taylor); Len (Jackie) Kovash and their children, Alyson (Nathan) and Awna (Brett); Tana (Anthony) Willer and their children, Amaya and Asia; 29 great-grandchildren; brother, Albert (Evelyn) Kovash of Dickinson; sister, Mary Dukart of Dickinson; sisters-in-law, Donna Kovash, Lillian Kovash, and Blanche Kovash, all of Dickinson. He was preceded in death by his wife Georgia; parents, Peter and Mary; brothers, Ray, Ron, Henry; sister, Martha Karsky; brother-in-law, Herman Dukart; and great-grandaughter, Elizabeth Kovash. In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorials to Trinity Catholic Schools.



Wilfred Kovash

May 24, 1935 - January 29, 2020



Wilfred Kovash

FUNERAL MASS:

Saturday, February 1, 2020 10:00 a.m.
Queen of Peace Catholic Church
Dickinson, North Dakota

ROSARY & VIGIL SERVICE:

Friday, January 31, 2020 6:00 p.m.
Stevenson Funeral Home
Dickinson, North Dakota
Father Kregg Hochhalter

CONCELEBRATING:

Father Russ Kovash
Msgr. Thomas Richter

MUSIC:

Sandy Tibor
Trinity Choir

READERS:

Sadi Bren & Alyson Binstock

GIFTBEARERS:

Meagan Heckaman & Bree Belk

PETITIONS:

Mandi Kittelson

PALLBEARERS:

Shane Kovash	Eric Kovash
Zachary Kovash	Travis Bren
Tyson Bren	Zared Lefor
Shailoh Kovash	Taylor Belk
Brett Mortenson	Wayne Heckaman

ENTOUMBMENT:

Dickinson Mausoleum
Dickinson, North Dakota

ARRANGEMENTS BY:

Stevenson Funeral Home
Dickinson, North Dakota

Lunch will be served at the church following the committal service. Everyone is welcome.



IF TOMORROW STARTS WITHOUT ME

When tomorrow starts without me,
And I'm not there to see,
If the sun should rise and find your eyes
All filled with tears for me;
I wish so much you wouldn't cry
The way you did today,
While thinking of the many things,
We didn't get to say.
I know how much you love me,
As much as I love you,
And each time that you think of me,
I know you'll miss me too;
But when tomorrow starts without me,
Please try to understand,
That an angel came and called my name,
And took me by the hand,
And said my place was ready,
In heaven far above,
And that I'd have to leave behind
All those I dearly love.

