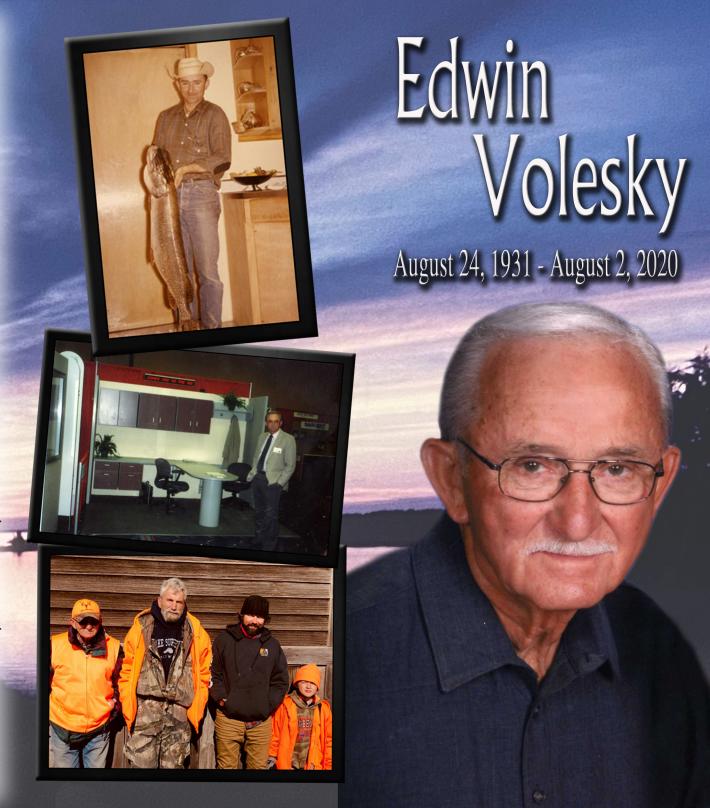
Edwin was born August 24, 1931 in Dunn County, the son of Joseph and Mary (Karsky) Volesky. As a young boy, he attended grade school at Sts. Peter & Paul Elementary in New Hradec. He graduated from Dickinson Model High in 1949. Edwin married Irene Hendricks on September 5, 1956 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. To this union they were blessed with Together they farmed on the seven children. family farm in Dunn County before moving to Dickinson in 1960. He joined his brother-in-law in building kitchen cabinetry for fourteen years. In 1969, Edwin became an employee with TMI, retiring in 1994 after 25 years of service. He enjoyed and kept busy in retirement, driving the activity school bus for Dickinson Public Schools for 17 years. He and Irene loved to travel and were blessed to see many European countries, Australia, New Zealand and all but five states. He enjoyed family time at their lake cabin with the children and grandchildren. Playing cards (especially pinochle) with his morning coffee group also put a little fun into his retirement. Edwin was active in his faith, serving as lector, Eucharistic Minister and usher for St. Joseph's Catholic Church. He was a member of Knights of Columbus and served as 2nd Grand Knight of the newly formed Council 1515, a 70 year member of Catholic Workman W121 (FCŠLA), St. Anthony's Club, Charter member of Dickinson Charities and board member for 26 years. Edwin will be missed by many. Edwin is survived by his wife of 64 years, Irene; sons, Steven, Kurt, Bryan, Jarell (Michelle) all of Dickinson, Wayne of Monument, CO; daughters, Jan (Jeff) Weir of Castle Rock, CO, Lorna (Jeff) Goebel of Monument, CO; 23 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren; sister, Bridget (Tom) Glaser of Dickinson; brothers, Tony (Bev) of Dickinson, Alfred (Cele) of Helena, MT, Francis (Sue) of Warrensburg, MO, Joe of Rapid City, SD; sisters-in-law, Marcia Volesky of Fort Collins, CO, Clara Volesky of Helena, MT; brother-in-law, Ben Weigel of Bismarck. He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Mary Volesky; brothers, Charles (Patricia), Robert, William; sisters, Ella Sadowsky, (Robert) Dorothy (Herman) Hauck, Marian Weigel; (in-laws), Raymond Froehlich, Betty Jane Volesky, Linda Volesky.





God saw he was getting tired,

And a cure was not to be,

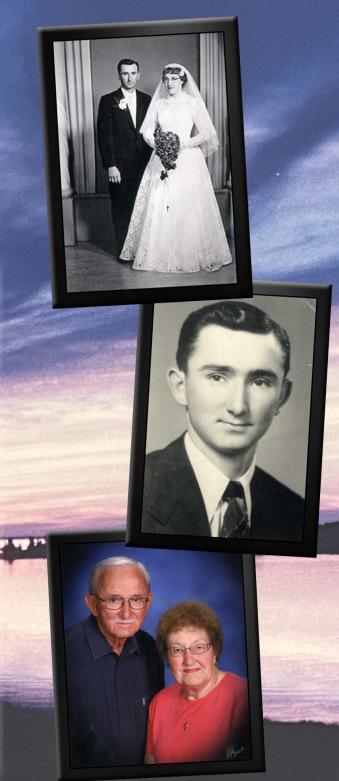
So He put His arms around him,

And whispered, "Come with me."

With tearful eyes we watched him suffer and saw him fade away.

Although we loved him dearly, We could not make him stay.

A golden heart stopped beating,
Hard-working hands to rest;
God broke our hearts to prove to us
He only takes the best.



# Edwin Volesky

# **FUNERAL MASS:**

Wednesday, August 5, 2020 10:00 am St. Joseph's Catholic Church Dickinson, North Dakota

#### **ROSARY:**

Tuesday, August 4, 2020 6:00 pm Stevenson Funeral Home Dickinson, North Dakota Knights of Columbus Council Deacon Al Schwindt

# **CELEBRATING:**

Father Keith Streifel

#### **MUSIC:**

Angela Reiter

#### **READERS:**

Sean Volesky & Jarell Volesky

# **HONORARY GIFT BEARERS:**

Necole Moreau & Cassy Downs

# **PALLBEARERS:**

Matthew Volesky Aaron Volesky Luke Volesky Eric Volesky Vance Volesky Jayce Weir

# **INTERMENT:**

St. Joseph's Cemetery Dickinson, North Dakota

### **ARRANGEMENTS BY:**

Stevenson Funeral Home Dickinson, North Dakota