

In Loving Memory Of

Harvey was born on January 13, 1923, in Dickinson, ND, the son of John Arthur and May Ellen (Johnston) Lillie. He grew up and attended schools in the Dickinson area. At an early age, Harvey joined the CC's in Dickinson and they traveled around the country building bridges. In 1940, he enlisted in the United States Army serving in Africa and European Theatre during World War II. His unit was called "Red Bulls" 34th Infantry Division. After his honorable discharge he moved to Sidney, MT where he worked at the Holly Sugar Factory. He and a friend moved to Portland, OR to work. Harvey married Ann McKay in Portland, OR and to this union they had a daughter, Sharon. They returned to Sidney where Harvey worked at several garages as a mechanic. He later moved to Glendive, MT where he continued to work as a mechanic. He was united in marriage to Lois Skogas on April 2, 1955, in Sidney, MT. They moved to Fairview where he opened the Fairview Paint and Body Shop in Fairview in the mid 50's. In 1959 he sold the body shop and began a career as an insurance agent for State Farm and Farmers Insurance Group. Following his career in insurance he sold John Deere Equipment. During the early 70's Harvey worked for the Agriculture Research Center. Harvey studied and practiced reflexology and acupuncture for 25 years. Harvey and Lois moved to Sidney in 1990.

Harvey attended the Church of the Nazarene and was a life member of the V.F.W. Post #4099 of Sidney. He enjoyed hunting and fishing in his younger years. He also enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren, working in his garage, fixing things, inventing things, oil painting, visiting with friends and using his computer.

Harvey died on Sunday, June 8, 2008, at his home in Sidney.

Surviving him are: his wife, Lois Lillie, Sidney, MT; his son, Jim Lillie, Sidney, MT; two daughters, Betty Evenson, Wendell, ID and Sharon Sundheim, Fairview, MT; three sisters, Nellie Pickering, Sidney, MT, Gladys Albert and Edith Mead both of Lincoln, CA; six grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by: his parents, son-John Lillie, two brothers-Harold Lillie and Clarence Lillie, two sisters, Alice Pickering and Helen Smith.



Harvey Lillie

SAFELY HOME

*I am home in Heaven, dear ones;
Oh, so happy and so bright!
There is perfect joy and beauty
In this everlasting light.*

*All the pain and grief is over,
Every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever,
Safely home in Heaven at last.*

*Did you wonder I so calmly
Trode the valley of the shade?
Oh! but Jesus' love illumined
Every dark and fearful glade.*

*And He came Himself to meet me
In that way so hard to tread;
And with Jesus' arm to lean on,
Could I have one doubt or dread?*

*Then you must not grieve so sorely,
For I love you dearly still:
Try to look beyond earth's shadows,
Pray to trust our Father's Will.*

*There is work still waiting for you,
So you must not idly stand;
Do it now, while life remaineth--
You shall rest in Jesus' land.*

*When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you Home;
Oh, the rapture of that meeting,
Oh, the joy to see you come!*

Harvey Elroy Lillie

January 13, 1923 — June 8, 2008

Funeral Service

2:00 P.M., Thursday, June 12, 2008

Church of the Nazarene

Sidney, Montana

Officiating

Pastor Elwin Paulson

Music

Cyndee Brown Gilda Buxbaum Sondra Guy

Casketbearers

*Cody Buller Bob McGinnis Dennie Guy
J.W. Skogas Kevin Skogas Eddie Verhulst*

Honorary Casketbearers

All of Harvey's many friends and family.

Ushers

Mike Falkenhagen Brian Armstrong

Interment

With Military Honors by:

*V.F.W. Post #4099 of Sidney
Crane Cemetery Crane, MT*

**Lunch will be served at the church
following the graveside services**

*You may share your remembrances and condolences with
the family at the Fulkerson Funeral Home website*

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