



Alvin Zacharias

May 30, 1925 - November 16, 2009

Alvin O. Zacharias was born near Wadena in Otter Tail County, MN, on May 30, 1925 to his parents, Gotlieb and Anna (Scholljegerdes). He passed away, at age 84, on November 16, 2009 at Fair Oaks Lodge in Wadena. Alvin was united in marriage with Sylvia Rach on August 8, 1948 at Bartlett Lutheran Church in Bartlett Township. His livelihood was in farming and his interests included fishing, hunting, bird-watching, and dining at the Pizza Ranch. Alvin was preceded in death by his wife, Sylvia in October 2006; his parents, Gotlieb and Anna; brothers, Art, Herman, and Ewald; and sisters, Lauretta, Edna, and Luella. He is survived by sons, Gary (Janet), and Wayne (Pam); daughters, Phyllis (Bob), Joanne (Ken), Cheryl (Ralph), Tami (Dan), and Karen (Tom); 15 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren; sister, Esther Abbe; and special friend Carol Macklanburg. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM on Saturday, November 21, 2009 in the Trinity Lutheran Church in Deer Creek with Reverend Paul Yearyean officiating. Pallbearers were Brad Rach, Marty Zacharias, Eugene Abbe, Steve Gaugert, Boyd Abbe, and Dale Rach. Interment was in the Wadena Cemetery. Memorials will be given to the Trinity Lutheran Church in Deer Creek and the American Cancer Society.

Tribute Wall

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“ *My sincere condolences, it sounds like Alvin was an awesome man* ”

Brian Kersten - November 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM