



Arthur Heltemes

July 26, 1922 - February 23, 2004

Arthur William Heltemes was born to his parents Mathias & Frances (Vorderbruggen) Heltemes on July 26, 1922 on their farm in Blowers Township of Otter Tail County. He passed away at his home surrounded by his family on Monday, February 23rd. Art spent his entire life in, and around, Wadena. He worked as a John Deere mechanic until his retirement. He also spent time in the US Army during WWII. Art was united in marriage to Doris Evelyn Fronk on November 22, 1943 in the St. Ann's Catholic Church in Wadena. He also enjoyed fishing, playing cards and spending time with his family. Art was preceded in death by his parents; brothers Leonard, Jerome and Joseph; his sisters Mabel & Irene. He is survived by his wife Doris; sons Wayne of Sparks, NV and Vern (Linda) of Moorhead; daughters Joan Poppe of Wadena, Judy (Darrell) Wiebesick of Fargo, Joyce (Dwayne) Weiher of Bemidji, Carol (Mike) Weiher of Carmel, IN, Gail (Tom) Moore of Fargo and Betty Kne of Moorhead; grandchildren Ruth, Bill, Chad, Jenny, Joni, Jeanie, Jodi, Amy, Michael, Junell, Michael, Rachel, Heidi, Krystal, Adam & Katie; great-grandchildren Amber, Wayne, Ashley, Keri, Andrew, Brandon, Autumn, Jordan, Justin, Joshua, Jeremy, Jacob, Jessica, Brooke, Matthew, Sadie, Carson & Bradley; sister Marian Brockpahler of Wadena; brothers Louie of Fond du Lac, Wisc., Walter of Wadena, Andrew of West Bend, Wisc., Ervin of Cudahy, Wisc. & Matt of Galena, MO. Burial will take place in the Calvary Cemetery in Wadena following the services.

Tribute Wall

KJ

“ *Linda and Vern,
This is a very difficult time in your lives but I know you will find the
strength to get through it. You can call on your friends any time you
need help.
Kari*

Kari Joachim - February 23, 2004 at 12:00 AM