



John Halbrehder

October 2, 1911 - April 1, 2005

John Herman Halbrehder , age 93 of Bertha, passed away at the Long Prairie Hospital in Long Prairie, MN on April 1, 2005. John was born on October 2, 1911 to Emil and Ann Halbrehder at Lansing, IA. He moved to the Bertha area with his parents when he was 2 years old. He lived on the family farm all his life. He operated the dairy farm and a bull rental business. To his clients and friends he was known as the Bull Man. John was united in marriage with Leola Kahlert on October 29, 1946 at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Browerville, MN. He enjoyed working the farm with his wife and visiting with people while running his bull business. John was preceded in death by his wife Leola; his parents Emil and Ann; brother Bill and sisters Edna (Leo) Brockpahler, Elsie Moller and Helen Carrick. He is survived by his son Donald E. (Amarna) Halbrehder and granddaughter Rachel Donn Halbrehder, all of Bertha. Funeral services are being held on Tuesday, April 5, 2005 at 11:00 AM at the St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Bertha with Father Kevin Schwartz presiding. A rosary service and parish prayers are being held during the visitation time on Monday from 5:00 until 8:00 PM. Pallbearers are Bill Kern, Bob Miner, Dean Klebs, Tony Schmitz, Don Richter and Lawrence Klemek. Burial is in the Christ the King Cemetery in Browerville.