Joyce Line

May 30, 1927 - October 10, 2010

Joyce O. Line was born the son of Jacob and Gerda (Granlund) Line on May 30, 1927, in Clotho, MN. He passed away on October 10, 2010, at the age of 83, in the home of his grandson and granddaughter, Kevin and Bobbi Jo Crider, in Clarissa Joyce and Velma Leone Kellem were united in marriage on October 19, 1949 in Verndale. Joyce's trade was in farming the land in this area for over 70 years. He was a member of Central Minnesota Beefgrowers and served on the Aldrich Township Board. He loved spending time with his family, going to auctions, having coffee with friends, hunting & fishing, and family vacations. Joyce was preceded in death by his parents; sister Thelma Meadows; and a great granddaughter Grace Becker. He is survived by his wife Velma; sons Donald (JoAnn) of Verndale, Dwight (Mary Ann) of Deer Creek, Jerry (Diane) of Grey Eagle, and Richard (Bonnie) of Staples; daughters Anita (Ed) Jose of Verndale, Linda (Jerry) Korfe of Clarissa, Mary (Dean) Sloan of Elk River, and Jennifer (Chris) Line-Chapman of Big Lake; 27grandchildren & 45 great-grandchildren; brothers Roy, and Stanley (Irene) both of Verndale, and Allen of Redmond, OR; and sisters Sylvia Anderson of Wadena, Beatrice Allyn of Brewton, AL, and Glenda (John) McDonald of Anderson, MO. Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m. on October 13, 2010, in the Christian & Missionary Alliance Church in Verndale, with Reverend David Cotner officiating. Honorary pallbearers were all of his granddaughters. Active pallbearers were all of his grandsons Grabriel Line, Michael McGrane, Darwin McGrane, Joshua McGrane, Dwight Line, Jr., Weldon Crider, Kevin

Crider, Dan Crider, Chris Korfe, Jeremiah Korfe, Jamie Line, Tyler Sloan, Adam Sloan, and Symon Tschida. Interment was in the Greenlawn Cemetery in Verndale.

Tribute Wall

DL

We so enjoyed meeting Joyce and visiting with the both of you two summers ago! Velma, please take care. Our thoughts are with you during this difficult time.

Doris & Dallas Johnson, Terri Ledesma - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BB

My thoughts and prayers are with Aunt Velma and family. Visiting Uncle Joyce and Aunt Velma's will always be a favorite memory of mine. I loved being able to go play in the barn and on their farm. I know how close my Grammie (Joyce's sister) and Uncle Joyce were and I know they're up there playing conasta watching over all of us.

Bre Brown - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

LR

You will be missed uncle Joyce. I love you.

Linda (Line) Reed - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BR

Your family is in our thoughts and prayers!

Becky

Becky Ruby - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JC

Some of my best memories growing up include Uncle Joyce. My dad (Stuart Anderson) and I would always try and go out to the farm whenever we were up north. Uncle Joyce's sense of humor was one of a kind. I can still hear him laughing now...

Although Gabi and I cannot make it back to the States, our thoughts and prayers are with everyone who lost such an amazing man. He will be missed very much!

God Bless

Jon Chapman - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SL

Our thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Line family. Joyce was a great man. I do not know how he made it through Mary having me come to farm and all of our adventures throughout high school. He was always there with a smile and great words of wisdom, even when I'm sure he could have killed us. Keep all those memories you have close at heart and think about them often.

Steve and Sherrie Lorentz - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

TS

Sorry to hear of your loss. He left behind a wonderful family.

Sincere condolences to Jerry and all.
Tom

Thomas Sellnow - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

BK

My happiest times were with my Aunt Velma and Uncle Joyce when I was a young boy. I felt loved and really enjoyed the family feeling I had when I was with them. This is something I have always cherished throughout life. I will truly miss my Uncle as will numerous others. However painful it is for us I know that he is now resting in peace and comfortable in the arms of the Lord God.

Bruce Kellem - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

KP

Just wanted to extend my most sincere sympathy to Velma and her entire Family. I have been thinking of you all and will continue to keep you in my thoughts and prayers during this sad time. Joyce was a great man and always had something good to say each time he saw me. God Bless your family.

Kelly Johnson Puttin - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MS

My sincere condolences to the entire Line family. May God comfort you all during this time of loss.

Mary Jo (Wutzke) Schroeder - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CE

Our thoughts and prayers are with you. He will be missed by many.

Chris and Sheila (Mudek) Erickson - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

AL

Our thoughts and prayers are with you and the Family Love Allyn and family

Allyn R Line - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DG

Uncle Joyce will be greatly missed. He was truly one of the Great ones, but know that he is always looking down on us and will be with us always. Our thoughts and prayers are with you. Love Donna and Karla

donna grudt - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JW

I ALWAYS THOUGHT OF JOYCE AS A HERO. ONE OF THE LAST GREAT COWBOYS. WE HAVE LOST A GREAT AMERICAN. HE WILL BE MISSED.

GOD BLESS YOU
JAY (FLAB)

JAY AND DANELLE WEIHER - October 10, 2010 at 12:00 AM