



Richard Hess

June 12, 1939 - February 28, 2007

Richard Earl Hess, age 67 of Wadena, passed away quietly on Wednesday, February 28th at Tri-County Hospital in Wadena. Richard was born to his parents Earl & Evelyn (Hosner) Hess on June 12, 1939 in Wadena. He attended school in Wadena and then enlisted in the US Navy on Oct. 8, 1956 where he served until his discharge on June 9, 1960. He was united in marriage to Pauline "Polly" Youngbauer on February 19, 1966 at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Wadena. He worked for the State of Minnesota in the highway maintenance department until his retirement. Except for his time in the Navy, Richard spent his lifetime in the Wadena area. He was a member of the Elmer Goche Post 3922 Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and enjoyed hunting and woodworking. Richard was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife Polly; daughter Sheila (Jeff) Hoemberg of Wadena; grandchildren Kristin, Lexie & Kyle and his sister Pat Rydbom of Wadena. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, March 3rd at 10:00 AM in the St. Ann's Catholic Church in Wadena with Fr. Donald Wagner officiating. Burial will take place in the Calvary Cemetery in the spring. Pallbearers will be Russ Durkee, Don Durkee, Dan Durkee and Dennis Frank.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Polly and family:*

I am so sorry to hear of Rich's death. I only found out when I went into the computer to view Ralph's obituary. I am visiting relatives here in Oregon and Washington and heard of Ralph's death today from Fronie.

Know that your are in my prayers.

Rose Johnson - February 28, 2007 at 12:00 AM