

Kenneth E. Cook

August 20, 1922 - May 13, 2004

Funeral services for Wheatland, Wyoming, resident, Kenneth E. Cook, 81, will be conducted at 10:00 A.M., Wednesday, May 19, 2004, at First Christian Church in Wheatland with Pastor Andy Gudahl and Pastor John Johnson officiating. Interment with military graveside rites accorded by the Laramie Peak Post #3558 Veterans of Foreign Wars will be in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mr. Cook died Thursday, May 13, 2004, at Platte County Memorial Hospital in Wheatland.

Kenneth was born August 20, 1922, in Wheatland, the son of Luther and Maude (Johnston) Cook. He attended Wheatland schools, graduating from Wheatland High School in 1940. He served in the United States Army during World War II in the European Theater. Kenneth married Evodia "Eve" Halvorson in Minneapolis, Minnesota, November 26, 1946. He and his wife farmed for a few years and then operated a Conoco Station and bulk plant in Wheatland. In 1978, they sold the business and he was appointed Municipal Judge for the Town of Wheatland and served in that capacity for over nine years. He was a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in Wheatland, a ten year member of the Wheatland Volunteer Fire Department, a lifetime member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Laramie Peak Post

#3358, and a member of the First Christian Church.

He is survived by his wife of over 57 years, Eve, of Wheatland; two sons, Barry Cook and wife, Suzi of Green River, Wyoming and their children, Sara, Trent, Bridgitte and Darren and Blaine Cook and wife, Tonya of Custer, South Dakota and their children, Lindsay, Trevor, and Skylea; as well as several nieces and nephews.



Kenneth was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Vernon Cook; and three sisters, Fern Adams, Frances Roll, and Virginia Zwieg.

Serving as pallbearers will be Kenneth Pasley, Jim Dunham, Jim Zwieg, Glen Zwieg, Mike Daly, and Bob Shoemaker. Honorary pallbearers will be all of his family and many friends.

Memorials to First Christian Church, 95 - 19th Street, Wheatland, Wyoming 82201 would be appreciated by the family.

Family and friends may call at the funeral chapel on Tuesday from 10:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. and at the church in the Fireside Room on Wednesday from 8:30 A.M. to 10:00 A.M.

Gorman Funeral Homes - Platte Chapel of Wheatland is in charge of the arrangements.