

James E. Perdue

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Funeral Services for James E. Perdue, 66, were held Saturday, February 13, 1993 at 11:00 a.m. at the Memorial Baptist Church in Wheatland with Pastor Fred Tuberville officiating. Interment was in the Wheatland Cemetery.

Mr. Perdue died Wednesday, February 10, 1993 at the Mountain Towers Healthcare Center in Cheyenne.

He was born January 17, 1927 in Princeton, West Virginia, the son of Ambrose and Maude (Walker) Perdue. He moved with his parents in 1930 to Wheatland. He was reared and educated in Wheatland. He entered the United States Marine Corps, which he was very proud to have served with, serving in the South Pacific during World War II.

Following his discharge he returned to Wheatland, and was married to Vivian Eshom on June 22, 1946 in Wheatland.

He drove the bread truck for the City Bakery for 28 years and then owned and operated the Fun and Games Arcade in Wheatland and Guernsey.

He retired in 1981, and resided in Wheatland during his retirement years.

He was a member of the Moose Lodge and a lifetime member of the Disabled American Veterans. He loved the outdoors, especially hunting and water skiing. He played in a band with his parents in his younger years providing music at the country dances.

He is survived by his wife Vivian, his mother, Maude Schreyer and three children, Linda Graves, Terry Perdue and George Perdue all of Wheatland.

Other survivors include three sisters, Frances Schirmer of Chugwater, and Willie Adams and Mildred Brecht both of Wheatland; one brother, Frank Schreyer of Wheatland; three grandsons, and one great granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by his father in 1929; step-father, Charles Schreyer; and one sister, Shirley Schreyer.

Serving as pallbearers were Todd Graves, Brandon Graves, John Scott, Leonard Eshom, Cleve Artery, and Lloyd Adams.

Serving as honorary pallbearers were Harry Brecht, Bob Eshom, and Harry TePoel.

A memorial to the Diabetes Foundation would be appreciated by the family.

The Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland was in charge of the arrangements.