



Clayton Henke

May 11, 1942 - July 3, 2010

Clayton Henke was born May 11, 1942 at Valley City, North Dakota, the son of Edward and Martha (Klein) Henke. He graduated from Valley City High School in 1960. Clayton moved to Seattle where he worked as a mechanic. He moved back to Valley City, where he married Linda Anderson. They made their home in Wyoming before moving back to Valley City.

Clayton worked for Herb Hoff at Herb's Service for 20 years and then work for Wade Hatcher at Wade's Service for 17 years. He most recently worked at the American Legion.

He enjoyed being with his grandchildren. He was always generous and giving to his family and friends. Clayton also liked to meet up with friends to have a cup of coffee and share stories. He was always fixing on mechanical things as he liked the challenge of trying to make them work.

Clayton is survived by his daughter, Gwen (Lance) Coit, a son, Clayton, Jr. (Tami) all Valley City and two grandchildren, Brady and Samantha. Five brothers, Richard, Casselton, ND; Daniel (Bonnie), Jamestown; David (Josephine), Kenosha, WI; Emanuel, Happy Camp, CA; Paul (Barbara), Valley City; a sister, Jeanette Larson, Valley City and many nieces and nephews also survive.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Previous Events

Service

JUL **10**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Oliver-Nathan Funeral Chapel
251 Central Ave. S.
Valley City, ND

Tribute Wall



“ CLAYTON, WHEN I STARTED WORKING AT H AND R BLOCK , YOU WERE THE ONE WHO SAID HI TO ME EVERY MORNING AND YOU BRIGHTEN MY DAY. YOU WERE SO GREAT TO HAVE COFFEE WITH IN THE MORNINGS AND YOU ALWAYS MADE US LAUGH AT OUR JOB. YOU WILL BE GREATLY MISSED. PEOPLE LIKE YOU ARE HARD TO FIND AND KEEP BUT THE MEMORY OF YOU WILL LIVE IN MY HEART ALWAYS, THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR ME TO BE ABLE TO KNOW SUCH A GREAT AND SELFLESS PERSON LIKE YOU. YOU ARE A MAN THAT CAN NEVER BE REPLACE. LOVE YOU DEARLY FRIEND##imported-begin##TINA ERKER##imported-end##

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“ I truly want to thank you Clayton for all the man hours you spent working on my first car. You were always there for me when I had a question about my lil Bird. I cherish all the laughs and memories we shared while you were here on earth and will carry them with me forever!
May you now Rest In Peace!
Love Always,
Your great nephew Mike##imported-begin##Mike Carpenter##imported-end##

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