



## Harold Tweit

January 20, 1924 - June 5, 2010

Harold Bernard Tweit was born on January 20, 1924 to Andrew and Helena (Legreid) Tweit on the family farm near Walum, ND. He started school in Oberon, ND and in the third grade transferred to Dover School, near Walum where he graduated from high school in 1942.

He volunteered for the United States Navy and entered on July 3, 1942. He was honorably discharged on December 10, 1945 as a Seaman First Class. He married Gladys Sorenson on May 14, 1955 at Calvary Lutheran Church in Oberon, ND. He farmed near Hannaford for many years, retiring in 1981. In addition to farming, he worked as a cement finisher on all 150 missile bases between the Canadian border and Interstate 94 during the 1970's. After retirement he lived in Dazey, Sibley, Valley City, Maddock, ND and most recently resided at the Aneta Parkview Health Center.

Harold was a life-long member of Eidfjord Lutheran Church where he was baptized and confirmed. Memorials are preferred to the Eidfjord Cemetery Fund.

He is survived by his children: Joan Duckworth, Minto, ND and her children: Jackson and Tyler; John Tweit, Anchorage, AK and his children: Meghan, Kelsey and Carly; Julie Tweit (Jan Erickson) Andover, MN and her children: Valerie and Clark; Joe Tweit (Laurie) Anchorage, AK and their children:

Hannah, Jakob and Olivia; his sister: Valborg Thompson, Devils Lake, ND; and several nieces and nephews and friends that meant so much to him.

He was preceded in death by his parents and siblings: Noralf, Theodore, Anna Kloster, Einar, Olaf, and Hjordis Poulsen.

The family would like to thank the wonderful staff who has cared for Dad these last 3 years at Aneta Parkview Health Center.

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN **19**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Eidfjord Lutheran Church  
6 miles west of Walum  
Walum, ND

# Tribute Wall



“ *Tweit Family,*  
*We are so sorry to hear of your father's passing. My mom (Harriet) called me and told me she had heard of his death. We talked about coming for the funeral, but mom and dad's health is not what it used to be for traveling. We will be with you in our thoughts and prayers.*  
*A father's love is a gift to us from our heavenly Father. Look toward our Father now for strength, compassion and safe travels as you all gather to remember and honor your dad. Know that eventhough we are not there with you on this day, we are thinking of you and praying for all of you.*  
*God Bless,*  
*Neal and Julene Haugen & family*  
*Gilbert and Harriet Haugen##imported-begin##Neal Haugen##imported-end##*

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June 17, 2010 at 03:01 PM



“ *My sympathy to all of you on the passing of your father and grandfather. I helped take care of Harold in Maddock and enjoyed getting to know him. May he rest in peace.##imported-begin##Beth Olson##imported-end##*

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June 17, 2010 at 11:29 AM



“ Joanie, Julie, Val & Clark,

*I was sorry to read about your dad/grandpa. I hope Val & Clark were able to get to know their grandpa. One of my grandpas died before my mom and dad met and the other one when I was 5 years old and they (and my grandmas) lived in Duluth & St. Paul and we lived NW of Minot so we didn't see them often. The lady that lived next to us was our 'adopted' grandma - Grandma Hope - and she lived until she was almost 103 - a few years ago.*

*May God and friends and relatives comfort you in these days.*

*Lynn##imported-begin##Lynn Thorp##imported-end##*

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June 16, 2010 at 12:58 AM



“ Joe, Julie, Joan, and John,  
I became acquainted with your Dad when I helped him dig the basement for the home on the farm. We quickly became friends and he would help me on our farm sometimes. Sometimes I would pay him but, invariably, he would say 'why do you want to do that'. He was helping just because he wanted to and we had fun during those times while working.  
One day he called me from his home in Dazey, he said 'I have a semi-trailer loaded with coal in my back yard and it has sunk into the earth so I can't get it unloaded, come down here'. I quickly came to help and, as usual, he was very appreciative.  
I was appreciative of HIS wartime military service and the horrors he went through during that time. Yes, we did swap some 'sea stories'. I regret that I didn't get to Aneta more often to see Harold, I did value his friendship.  
Now, unfortunately, I have a class (50th anniv.) reunion to attend the day of his funeral so will only be there in my thoughts.  
While none of us are perfect, I hope you all know that your Dad was basically a very good and kind Christian man.  
Sincerely, - - Chuck H.##imported-begin##Chuck  
Hetland##imported-end##

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June 11, 2010 at 09:33 AM



“ I met your dad at City-County Health and came to enjoy our visits very much. He was such a nice man and I missed him when he left Valley City. My thoughts are with your family.##imported-begin##Angie Martin##imported-end##

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June 10, 2010 at 10:31 AM



“ To the family of Harold: I got to know Harold by working at Leever's Super Valu in Valley City. He will always be my #1 customer. I ran around and collected items on his grocery list. Sometimes I had to ask him what he was making because some of his request were quite unusual, like hamhocks. He always walked to the store. I remember driving him home one day when it was really icy. I guess I gave him special treatment because I just knew he was a very special person. I was sad the day he said he was moving and even sadder after I heard of his passing. What a great guy and dear friend.

Lisa Olstad, Valley City##imported-begin##Lisa Olstad##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 08:56 PM



“ Joe and Julie,  
I read about your dad passing away. I am so sorry. I always remember my times in Hannaford very fondly, and you two were so much a part of that. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your whole family.##imported-begin##Faye(Omdahl)Heupel##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 03:33 PM



“ We got to know Harold when he and my dad—Axel Pedersen—were roommates in Aneta. Until Dad passed away last July, we enjoyed visiting with Harold on our trips to Aneta, especially on those days that Dad was not able to visit. Harold also knew an old friend of ours, Martin Aaserud, and it was fun to hear his stories. Harold was a wonderful roommate for Dad and it was a comfort for us to know that he was with him.##imported-begin##Eunice (Pedersen) and Dan Johnston##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 12:13 PM



“ It's been "many" years since I've seen your dad, but have some good memories of him and your mom stopping by to visit my mom. May you have great memories to hold on to. God Bless each of you!##imported-begin##Mary Ellen (Olson) Bracken##imported-end##

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June 08, 2010 at 10:29 AM



“ To the family of Harold Tweit:

*I enjoyed waiting on Harold when he would come into Valley Meat with his list. He would hand it to me and we would visit. He always wanted the Home Cured ham slices. He was always very friendly. Cherish the many memories, I know I will.*

Wendy Gullickson  
Spiritwood, ND##imported-begin##Wendy Gullickson##imported-end##

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June 07, 2010 at 10:10 AM