



Richard Hager

December 11, 1920 - December 17, 2012

Richard Charles Hager was born December 11, 1920, the youngest child and only son of George and Coral (Coddington) Hager. Dick was born on the Homewood Farm in Green Township, ND, which was homesteaded by his grandparents. He graduated from Green School and then attended the University of Minnesota. Dick returned to the farm and began his lifelong career as a dairyman and farmer.

On November 4, 1945, he married Alma June Borg in Sanborn, ND. They lived on their farm for 62 years before moving into Valley City in 2007.

Following Dick's retirement from farming, he enjoyed woodworking and traveling with Alma.

Dick had a personal faith and trusted in the Lord Jesus Christ as his Savior and was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, rural Valley City. He was a very civic and social minded man. He served on church, school, business and township boards and was a member of various agricultural and social organizations.

He died at the Sheyenne Care Center in Valley City on December 17, 2012.

He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Alma of Valley City; children: Holly (Jerry) Thorpe of Tucson, AZ, Tim (Becky) Hager of Valley City; and Deborah (Bill) Galley of Kansas City, MO; 8 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren; 2 great great grandchildren; and a large extended family.

Dick was preceded in death by his parents and sisters, Clarice, Harriett, Evelyn, and Florence.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **19**. 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Service

DEC **20**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Grace Free Lutheran Church
2351 W. Main St.
Valley City, ND

Tribute Wall



“ *Tim, Becky & family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you at this difficult time.*

*Doug, LaRae & Lyle Jorgenson##imported-begin##LaRae
Jorgenson##imported-end##*

December 20, 2012 at 12:44 PM



“ *Holding the Hager family in our prayers during this time.##imported-
begin##Roy and Ruthanna Metzgar##imported-end##*

December 20, 2012 at 12:07 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Richard's passing. My Parents and family
were long time neighbors. We send our condolences to your
family.##imported-begin##Mavis Pfaff Pritzkau##imported-end##*

December 19, 2012 at 12:30 AM



“ Jesus gives this promise in John 10:11, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep." Again in John 10:27-28, Jesus gives this promise: "My sheep hear my voice, and I know them...and I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish, and no one shall snatch them out of my hand." Therefore we can know that Richard's soul or spirit is safely at home with Jesus in paradise until the day of the resurrection. May this promise comfort all of you who remember Richard and other loved ones who have died trusting in Jesus our risen and ever living Lord. Your friends in Christ, Pastor Elwood and Elsie Skarpness##imported-begin##Pastor Elwood Skarpness, DeLamere, ND##imported-end##

December 18, 2012 at 09:50 PM



“ I am so sorry to here about Richard. He was quite the man. I so enjoyed him when he lived at Bridgeview. My deepest sympathy to Richards family. Bonnie Howe##imported-begin##Bonnie Howe##imported-end##

December 18, 2012 at 05:28 PM



“ Tim and family you are in our thoughts and prayers at this time. May God surround you with His peace and comfort during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Mike and Junell Bishop##imported-end##

December 18, 2012 at 11:57 AM



“ Though our hearts are sad and missing you already, we know we will see you again.##imported-begin##Jeff & Tina Thorpe##imported-end##

December 18, 2012 at 11:07 AM



“ *Dear Hager Family*
So sorry for your loss!! We are keeping each of you close to our hearts at this sad time.
Love and blessings
Blaine and Bob Duesing##imported-begin##Blaine and Bob##imported-end##

December 17, 2012 at 01:44 PM