



FUNERAL SERVICE:

Thursday, June 19, 2014 - 2:00 p.m.

Faith Lutheran Church Middle Lake, Saskatchewan

Officiant:

Rev. John Rapp

Music Ministry:

Organist - Sharon Carter

Accolades:

Eulogist: Barry Heidecker

Vocal Tribute to Grandpa - Psalm 91: Paige Bautz

Roses for Grandpa: Jasmin Bautz, Abigail Wedewer & Kennedy Wedewer

Memorial Table Attendants:

Marj Heidecker & Shirley Kielau

Honorary Pallbearers:

Henry's Verndale Friends

Ivan Lung, Leonard Lung, Randal Cleveland & the late Elmer Bollefer

Active Pallbearers:

Spencer Bautz
Wayne Bautz
David Bautz

Tuker Bautz
Cory Bautz
Chad Bautz

INTERMENT:

Trinity Lutheran Cemetery Middle Lake, Saskatchewan

Memorial Donations:

Faith Lutheran Church, Bethany Pioneer Village
or

St. Paul's Hospital CRI Unit (1702 20th St. W., Saskatoon, SK, S7M 0Z9)

Memorial Luncheon:

Faith Lutheran Church Basement

Henry, the fourth of 13 children, was born on December 28, 1932, to Gustav and Emma (nee Eggert) Bautz at home on their farm in the Middle Lake district. He grew up there and began his formal education at Mackintosh School. In 1945, at 12 years old, Henry went to Verndale to help out Nelson Reese. While at the Reese farm, he attended Salmond School. After two years, Henry returned home to help his father on the family farm. During the winter of 1951, he lived and worked in a bush camp at Ycliff, Ontario, then returned home. In 1954, Henry attended the Agriculture School in Prince Albert. Six years later, he and his brother Art went into partnership and took over the farm when their father retired. Their operation included grain farming and raising registered Polled Hereford cattle. In 1969, Henry married Marianne Beumler. Their union was blessed with three children, two sons and a daughter. In later years, Henry's sons, Dean and Ryan, joined him in the farming operation also. Farming had always been a passion for Henry. In his youth, he joined the 4-H Beef Club and Grain Club, and went on to be leader of both. Henry was a strong supporter of his children and grandchildren when they also got involved in 4-H. He was also a registered seed grower. A long-time member of the Hereford Association, he loved attending bull sales, as well as Agribition and Mexhibition. From 1986 to 2008, Henry and five other brothers owned and operated Three Lakes Elk Ranch. Another very important part of Henry's life was his church; he taught Sunday School and served on many committees. He loved to hunt, curl, play 31 and watch curling and baseball. Many other pleasant hours were spent driving to Basin Lake, checking the herd, crops and fences. In spite of all Henry's health issues, his faith remained solid. He was always thankful for his family and grandchildren and was proud of their accomplishments.

Henry will be lovingly remembered and sadly missed by his wife, **MARIANNE** (nee Beumler) Bautz of Middle Lake; son, **RYAN** (Guenette) Bautz of Middle Lake and children **Paige, Spencer, Jasmin** and **Tuker**; and by his daughter, **LEANNE** (Roddie) Wedewer of Saskatoon and children **Abigail** and **Kennedy**; eight brothers and three sisters: Arthur Bautz, Edmund Bautz, Alvin (Rita) Bautz, Daneda (Ed) Gaillard, Elden (Marie) Bautz, Ewald Bautz, Annette (Brian) Stewart, Elsie Schaefer, Elmer Bautz, Larry (Sandra) Bautz, and Lorne (Elaine) Bautz; and by numerous nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by one son, **DEAN** Bautz; his father Gustav Bautz; mother, Emma (nee Eggert) Bautz; brother, Harold Bautz; two sisters-in-law: Vivian Bautz, and Ruby Bautz; niece, Carla Bautz; father-in-law, Louis Beumler; mother-in-law, Agnes (nee Wehage) (Beumler) Haller; step-father-in-law, Martin Haller; sister-in-law, Dolores (nee Beumler) Fuluche; and brother-in-law, Joseph Beumler.

*For this one farmer the worries are over,
lie down and rest your head,
Your time has come; your work is done,
put the tractor in the shed.*

*Some years not easy, struggles to endure,
but your faith in God transcended,
Put away your tools and sleep in peace.
The fences have all been mended.*

*You raised a fine family, worked the land well
farming with your sons,
Hang up your shovel inside of the barn;
your work here on earth is done.*

*With faith and family through your journey,
fond memories made along the way,
The sun is setting, the cattle are all bedded,
and here now is the end of your day.*

*Your love of God's soil has passed on to your kin;
the stories flow from the vine,
Wash off your work boots in the puddle
left by blessed rain one final time.*

*You always believed that the good Lord
would provide and He always had somehow,
Take off your gloves and put them down,
no more sweat and worry for you now.*

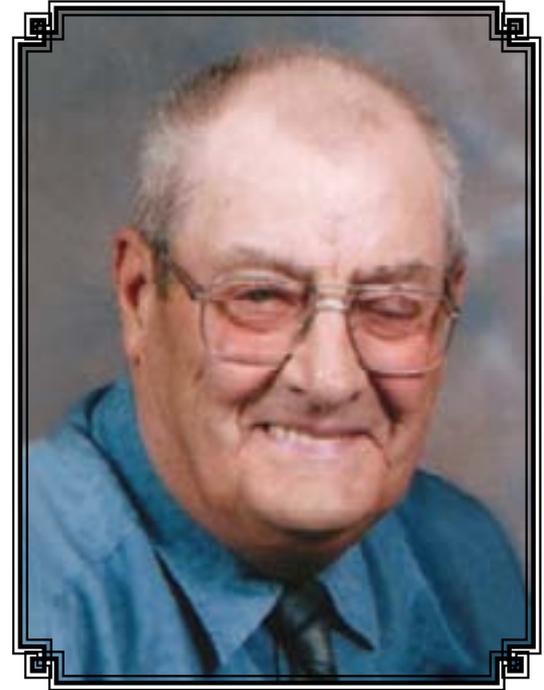
*Your labor is done, your home now is heaven;
no more must you wait,
Your legacy lives on, your love of the land,
and we will close the gate.*

APPRECIATION

The family wishes to express their gratitude for your kindness evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

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"Dedicated to those we serve."

In Loving Memory Of



Henry Carl Bautz

Bethany Pioneer Village Middle Lake, Saskatchewan

BORN:

December 28, 1932

Bautz Family Farm

Middle Lake District, Saskatchewan

DIED:

June 14, 2014

Bethany Pioneer Village

Middle Lake, Saskatchewan

AGE:

81 Years