

I farmed the land.

I tramped the wood,
These are the things I understood.

No grand schemes, they passed me by.
I knew the brook, the hills, the sky.

To hunt a bird, to wet a line,
Gifts from God, so good and fine.

Friend and kin, I LOVED THEM SO;
Although I'm gone, I'm sure they know,

I'm now at peace, life's battle done,
I've faced the foe and *I have won.*

- By: Earl Smithson

I N L O V I N G
Memory



Vern Sherven

October 16, 1930 ~ October 15, 2019

Vern Helgy Sherven was born October 16, 1930 to Helgy and Marin Marie Robertson Sherven in Charlson, ND. He was a farmer for most of his life on the family farm. Vern was a history buff, especially local history that had to do with the Lewis and Clark Trail and Theodore Roosevelt. Vern was a seasoned welder, fabricator, and inventor who held a patent on a safety device for dump trucks still seen on them to this day. He loved his old cars and traveling whenever he got the chance.

Vern was preceded in death by his parents Helgy and Marin.

He is survived by a nephew Neil (Linda) Sherven of Oroville, CA, great nieces Bailee and Hollie Sherven, Jennifer Houston, and great nephew Chris Skelecke.

Vern passed away early Tuesday October 15 as the result of a motor vehicle accident.



Vern Helgy Sherven

Born to Helgy & Marin Sherven

October 16, 1930

Charlson, North Dakota

Passed Away

October 15, 2019

Watford City, North Dakota

Services

2:00PM Thursday October 24, 2019

First Lutheran Church

Keene, North Dakota

Officiating

Pastor Rob Favorite

Music

Marsha Washburn

Casketbearers

Neil Sherven

Leif Jellised

Final Resting Place

Good Hope Cemetery

Keene, North Dakota