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Adolph Aaro

Funeral services for Adolph Aaro, 75, Groton, were held at 3 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 7, at the Gates-Vik Funeral Home with the Rev. James Hanson of Bethlehem Lutheran Church officiating.

Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Mr. Aaro died Wednesday, Nov. 4, at Dakota Midland Hospital.

Casketbearers were Gordon Vikesland, Duane Bush and Glen Bosanko, all of Aberdeen; Burton Rademacher, Amherst; Kenneth Jones, Langford; and Duane Strand, Lake City. Honorary casketbearers were Joe Bosch, James Frison, Kenneth Sherman and Daniel Geist, all of Aberdeen; Francis Norris, Groton; and Marx Herther, Columbia.

Mrs. Myrel Evans was the organist and Lee Schinkel was soloist.

Adolph Louis Aaro was born August 20, 1906, at Aberdeen. He grew up there and played semi-

professional baseball and was a longtime member of the Aberdeen Indees. In 1926, he became employed as a printer with the Dakota Farmer. He married Ruth Kelly January 8, 1930, at Redfield. He retired from the Dakota Farmer in 1968 after 42 years of service. The couple moved to Groton in 1977 and have resided here since, spending the summer at Roy Lake.

Survivors include his widow; two sons, Donald and Ray, both of Aurora, Colo.; one daughter, Mrs. James (Julia Ann) Johnson, Chester, Va.; one sister, Miss Louise Aaro, Aberdeen; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by one sister.