

June 2, 2006

Obit: Cyril Evans



- Mass of Christian Burial for Cyril Evans, 95, of Conde was held Thursday, June 1st at St. John's Catholic Church, Conde. Fr. Regis Probstfield and Fr. Edgar Probstfield officiated. Burial followed in St. John's Catholic Cemetery under the direction of Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Groton.
- Cyril died May 29, 2006 at his residence in Aberdeen.
- Cyril was born to Benjamin and Esther (Markham) Evans at their farm home near Conde, SD on August 30, 1910. He attended rural elementary schools and graduated from Brentford High School. He took agricultural classes at South Dakota State

University in Brookings and began farming near Conde. In 1937, he married Ruth Probstfield of Verona, Missouri, and they farmed in the Conde area. Ruth passed away in 1992. Cyril lived at and managed the farm until August of 2005.

- Cyril was known for his skill in farming and gardening, his love and care of family and friends, the many gathering at his home and his favorite pastimes, reading and playing cards.
- Grateful for having shared his life are his children, Sr. Francene Evans, Aberdeen; Vernon Evans, Redfield; Maurice (Pam) Evans, Willmar, MN.; David VanHatten, New Brighton, MN; grandchildren, Kelly (Sherri) Evans of Herndon, VA, Monte (Britt) Evans, Suzanne, Grant, and Dominic Evans of Redfield, Chad Evans of Spearfish, SD, Adam (Amy) Evans of Omaha, NE, Angela (Derek) Reiner of Denver, CO, Molly Evans of Pierre, SD, Eric (Angela) Evans of Fargo, ND, Paul Evans of Fargo, ND, Jason (Tricia) Evans of Willmar, MN, Ruth (Gary) VanHatten-Pauly of Shoreview, MN, Tom (Angela) VanHatten of Plymouth, MN, Teresa (Alec) VanHatten-Granath of Nashville, TN, and Jane (Karl) VanHatten-Nelson of Valparaiso, IN; his brother Layle (Marlyce) Evans of Conde, his 23 great-grandchildren and numerous nieces, nephew and other relatives.
- He was preceded in death by his parents, his sister, Lorena Lutz, his brothers, Aubra, Francis and Winfred Evans, his granddaughter, Heather Evans and his daughter-in-law, Margaret VanHatten.
- Honorary Casketbearers were all of his grandchildren.
- Casketbearers were Eric Evans, Jason Evans, Paul Evans, Tom VanHatten, Kelly Evans and Chad Evans.
- Memorials may be directed to the Conde Senior Citizens, C/O Layle Evans or to the charity of your choice.