

Richard A. Feser, 44

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Richard A. Feser, 44, Groton, died at his home, Thursday, April 22, 1993. A memorial service was held Monday, April 26 at St. John's Lutheran Church, Groton, with the Rev. John Werner officiating. A committal service was held at Sunset Memorial Gardens, Aberdeen, preceding the memorial service. A prayer service was held at Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Sunday evening.

Richard Alan Feser was born September 23, 1948 at Aberdeen, S.D., to Clayton and Nell (Johnson) Feser. He grew up near Claremont and was baptized at Augustana Lutheran Church, July 31, 1949, and confirmed at the United Methodist Church, Claremont, in 1962.



He started school at Claremont, and then attended Happy Hour rural school. He started going to Groton school in the seventh grade, graduating from Groton High School in 1966. While in high school, he was active in basketball, football and track. He was a member of a 4-H club. He attended Northern State College and played football at Northern. He played softball for Jungle Lanes, Groton, for 13 years.

He married Judy Fliehs, August 9, 1969 at Groton. He was an avid sportsman and hunter, and enjoyed following his children in all sporting events. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Groton. He was confirmed into the Lutheran faith at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Aberdeen, July 20, 1969. He served on the board of education for St. John's Lutheran Church, Groton, and served as an usher. He was active and served as president of the Groton School Booster Club. He received the 1989 zone winner of the S.D. Soybean Assn. He was the regional manager for ASGROW Seed Co., Groton.

He is survived by his wife, Judy, Groton; two sons, Aaron Feser and Adam Feser, at home; two daughters, Heather Feser and Carrie Feser, at home; his parents, Clayton and Nell Feser, Claremont; his paternal grandmother, Elizabeth Feser, Aberdeen Living Center; one brother, Stuart Feser, Claremont; and one sister, Maribeth Hoek, Mitchell.

He was preceded in death by one brother, paternal grandfather and maternal grandparents.

Casketbearers were Lyle Johnson, Merle Walter, Harvey Fliehs Jr., Ronald Bonn, Bill Schuelke and Jerry Johnson.

Organist was Eileen Schuelke and soloists were Linda Hanson, Jackie Schuelke and Nikki Schuelke. Trumpet player was Glenda Tullis.