

## William "Bill" Rix, 73

William "Bill" Rix, 73, Groton, died Saturday, July 14, 2001 at Avera St. Luke's Hospital, Aberdeen.

His funeral was Tuesday, July 17, 2001 at United Methodist Church, Groton, with the Rev. Richard Collman officiating. Burial was in the Groton Union Cemetery, with Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Groton, in charge of arrangements.

William Robert Rix was born December 4, 1927 to Floyd and Lillian (Walter) Rix, Aberdeen. He was raised and attended school in Groton. He farmed with his father and brother in the Groton area for many years. He was also involved in the cattle business.

He married Nora Lunzman, August 23, 1964. He was a member of the United Methodist Church, Groton.

He is survived by his wife, and one brother, Gerald (Ann) Rix, all of Groton. He was preceded in death by his parents and one infant sister.

Casketbearers were Courtney Rott, Alfred Larson, Wally Fischer, Alan Zoellner, Troy Zoellner and Darin Zoellner.

Organist was Sheri Scott and soloist was Jennifer Rott. Ushers were Bill Brotherton and Richard Ruden.