

March 19, 2004

Obits: Miles Roemmich

- The funeral for Miles Roemmich, of Wahpeton, ND, formerly of Hecla, SD, will be held on Monday, March 22, 2004 at 2:30 p.m. at the United Methodist Church in Hecla, SD with Reverend Ryan Mutzenberger and Reverend Randy Spahr officiating. Visitation will be Sunday from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. at Dahlstrom Funeral Home, Oakes and one hour before the service at the church. Burial will be in Hecla Cemetery, Hecla, SD.
- Miles Marvin Roemmich, son of Edmund and Emma (Sizle) Roemmich was born February 15, 1954 at Jamestown, North Dakota. The family made their home near Tappen, North Dakota until 1969, when they moved to Denver, Colorado for one year. Miles later moved to Hecla, South Dakota, where he worked for Lahman's Manufacturing. He was united in marriage to Susan Swearingen on May 29, 1993. They made their home in Oakes, until they moved to Wahpeton where they had lived for last six years.
- Miles loved football, baseball and enjoyed drawing. He was a Star Trek fan and was a music buff. Miles was a blue baby with a heart condition when he was born. He was the first successful heart surgery infant for that type of condition in 1960 at Rochester, Minnesota.
- Miles died on Wednesday, March 17, 2004 at Innovis Hospital, Fargo, North Dakota. He was 50 years old.
- He is survived by his wife Susan; two children, Edmund and Peggy, both at home; three brothers, James and Kenneth, both of Sioux City, IA, and Clifford of Jefferson, SD; two sisters, Charlotte Roemmick, Napoleon, ND, and Donna Teske, Hecla, SD and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, mother and stepfather.
- Pallbearers will be as follows: Clifford Roemmich, Kenneth Roemmich, Derek Jipsen, Greg Fortner, Curtis Mathias, and Jason Swearingen. Stephanie Frohling will be organist for the funeral. Dahlstrom Funeral Home in Oakes is in charge of the arrangements.