

May 26, 2009

The Life of Howard Riedinger

- The funeral for Howard Riedinger, 95, of Aberdeen and formerly of Claremont will be Monday, May 25, 3 p.m., at Paetznick-Garness Funeral Chapel, Groton. The Rev. Ryan Mutzenberger will officiate. Burial will be in Groton Union Cemetery.
- Visitation will be held at the chapel for one hour prior to services.
- Howard was born on September 3, 1913 in St. Louis, Missouri to Art and Margaret (Dalton) Riedinger. As a teenager, Howard moved with his father and step-mother, Gladys to Claremont where he helped on the farm for several years. They later moved to California, where Howard worked in the freight warehouse for Butler's Department Store. After his father's death, Howard and Gladys returned to South Dakota. He entered Aberdeen Health and Re



hab in 1990 and was a resident there until his death on May 21, 2009.

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- Survivors include his two brothers; Bert Riedinger and Jack Riedinger, both of California and many nieces and nephews.
- Preceding him in death were his mother, father and step-mother.
- Memorials may be directed to the United Methodist Church, 201 6th Street, Claremont, SD 57432.

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