

## Vincent Archie Hlousek

Vincent and his twin sister, Winifred, were born August 3, 1924, at Sturgis, SD, to Frank and Jenovieve (Bedner) Hlousek. He was raised on the family ranch at Hereford until he was 6 years old. The family moved to Spearfish where they raised vegetables. Vincent graduated from Spearfish High School in 1943. He was a natural born mechanic and could fix anything. Through the years he built two gas powered scooters, an inboard fiberglass boat, and a pusher prop airplane. He also built the family home including the wiring and plumbing.

On September 1, 1964, he married Judy Offerdahl at Spearfish. They owned and operated the LaBelle Lodge and the Ceramic House in Belle Fourche. Vincent worked for H&B Tractor in Belle Fourche and Queen City Motors and Ribble Chevrolet.

His greatest joy was his personal relationship with his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. He enjoyed reading and studying Scripture. He was the assistant pastor at Black Hills Gospel Assembly for forty years.

Vincent Archie Hlousek, 88, Belle Fourche, died Wednesday, January 16, 2013, at the Belle Fourche Healthcare Center.

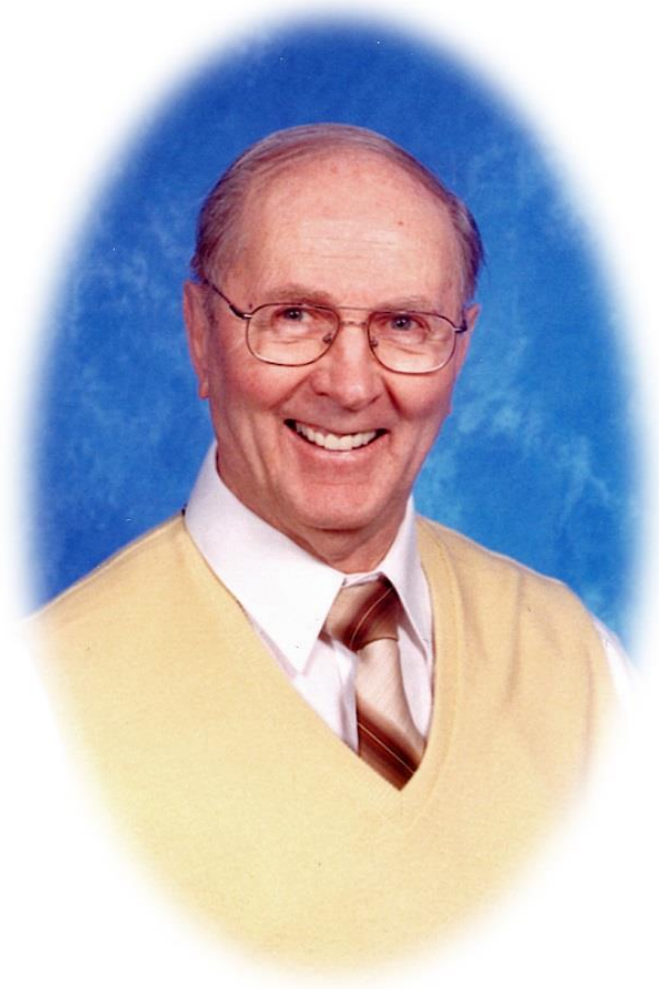
Survivors include his wife, Judy, Belle Fourche; sisters, Winifred Richardson, Chico, CA, and Laurine Lamb, North Highland, CA; and numerous nieces, nephews, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three sisters, Clarice, Ella, and Erma; and one brother, Ray.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.kinkadefunerals.com](http://www.kinkadefunerals.com).

*The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch  
in the church hall immediately following the funeral service.  
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*

*In Loving Memory Of*



*Vincent Hlousek*

*1924 ~ 2013*



*God saw he was getting tired  
and a cure was not to be  
So He put His arms around him  
And whispered "come to Me."  
With tearful eyes we watched him suffer  
And saw him fade away  
Although we loved him dearly  
We could not make him stay.  
A golden heart stopped beating  
Hardworking hands to rest  
God broke our hearts to prove to us  
He takes the very best.*

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***Vincent Archie Hlousek***

***Born***

August 3, 1924  
Sturgis, South Dakota

***Died***

January 16, 2013  
Belle Fourche, South Dakota

***Funeral Service***

Monday, January 21, 2013, at 10:00 a.m.  
Black Hills Gospel Assembly  
Belle Fourche, South Dakota

***Officiating***

Pastor Ken Riley

***Accompanist***

Tess Riley

***Musical Selections***

"In The Garden"  
"Power In The Blood"

***Pallbearers***

Gene Johnson ~ John Cooper ~ Lawrence Schaub  
Brandon Nikodyn ~ Phil Giffin ~ John Sabo

***Honorary Pallbearer***

David Hoffmeyer

***Interment***

Bear Butte Cemetery  
Sturgis, South Dakota