

## **EDWARD HARRISON KLEINHEKSEL**

Edward Harrison Kleinheksel, 67, Whitewood, died Wednesday, February 18, 2015, at his home.

He was born July 21, 1947, in Ft. Pierre, SD, to Alfred and Anna Kleinheksel. Edward moved to Lead, SD, and attended school there. In later years, he moved to Whitewood, SD. He worked at Homestake for 35 years as a Miner.

He loved having fun, calving out cows, farming, haying, running and driving tractors, and all aspects of the ranching life.

He is survived by one brother, Dale and Virginia Keinheksel of Freeman, SD; nephews, Donnie and Dave; nieces, Michelle, Lisa, Barb, and Debbie; and numerous great-nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Alfred and Anna Kleinheksel, and one brother, Roy Kleinheksel.

Inurnment will be at a later date.

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 at the  
Whitewood Senior Center following the memorial service.  
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*

## ***In Loving Memory Of***



***Edward Harrison Kleinheksel***

***1947 ~ 2015***



**This One's For You**

It was time to leave; He had to let go  
He is now in a place where he can glow  
He could not stay another day  
He left this life his own way  
His peace was found early that morning  
It hit us fast without much warning  
That empty feeling he left in our lives  
Should be filled with thoughts of good times  
So please don't shed any more tears  
Think of all those wonderful years  
Remember him with a smile  
We will meet again after a while  
Remember him every fall  
When your on the couch watching football  
Remember him with all your love  
He will be watching from up above  
There were so many who loved my dad  
We all had a nickname none were bad  
He went by G-pa, Gramps, Daddy and Papa  
Pops, Daddy-O, and I called him pa  
Let his life live on when life's tough to bear  
Let his story live on in the memories we share  
Smile and laugh when you remember dad  
The last thing he would want is for anyone to be sad  
This one's for you pa, from your only son.  
~ Jeremy Eckhart

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***Edward Harrison Kleinheksel***

***Born***  
July 21, 1947  
Fort Pierre, South Dakota

***Died***  
February 18, 2015  
Whitewood, South Dakota

***Memorial Service***  
Sunday, February 22, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.  
Kinkade Funeral Chapel  
Sturgis, South Dakota

***Clergy***  
Chaplain Jerry Davidson

***Special Musical Selections***  
"When I Get Where I'm Going" ~ Brad Paisley  
"Angels Among Us" ~ Alabama  
"Cowboys Ride Away" ~ George Strait

***Inurnment***  
At A Later Date