

Larry Dean Bock

Larry Dean Bock, 84, Newcastle, WY, passed away Thursday, December 14, 2023 at Monument Health Rapid City Hospital.

Larry Dean Bock, was born July 9, 1939 in the Accord Hospital at Newcastle to Oliver C. "Sox" Bock and Marion (Johnson) Bock. He was raised in the Weston County area, attending grade school in Osage, a year of high school in Upton and graduating from Newcastle High School in 1958. He was a De Molay and a member of the Wyoming Army National Guard. He attended business school in Denver, CO, and a mechanic school in Scottsbluff, NE. He met and later married Sandra Carlson on January 14, 1963 in Rapid City, SD. Together they made their home in Newcastle for the next 61 years. He worked various jobs, a roustabout in the oil fields, a ranch hand, and heavy equipment operator. Working for Addie Rich, Johnson, Bock & Johnson and Townsend Oil Co.

Larry Dean enjoyed hunting, especially elk hunting, and worked some seasons as a hunting guide. He loved guns, playing cards, and just being with family and friends.

He was diagnosed with Charcot-Marie-Tooth Disease in 1976, becoming fully disabled in 1984.

Larry Dean was preceded in death by two children, Corey Dean Bock and Eva Marie Bock; his parents, Oliver "Sox" and Marion (Johnson) Bock; sisters, Karen Sue (Bock) Townsend (William D. Townsend III) and Nancy Lou Bock; uncle Keith Johnson and aunt Marguerite (Gilbert) Johnson. Grandparents Eva Jane (Adkins) Johnson-Earl Johnson and Gerhardt Fedrick Bock-Leta Lucetta (Mollenbrink) Bock.

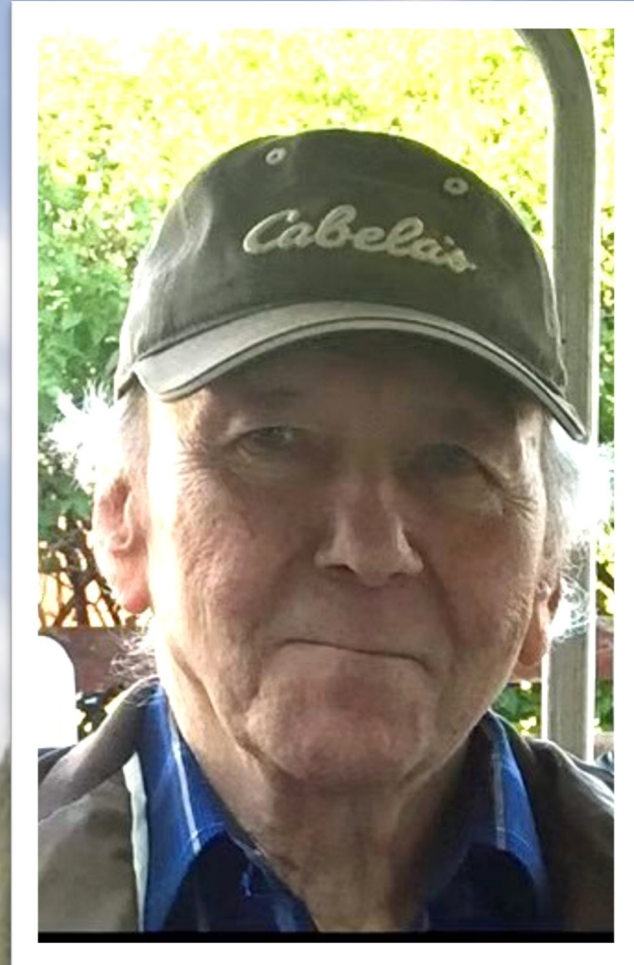
Survivors include his wife, Sandra; son, Weston (Melissa) Bock; three grandchildren, Carson Bock, Varsity Bock, and Brittney (Derik) Via; two great-grandchildren, Carlie Kohn and Brylee Via. Brother-in-law, Richard Klinker.

He had a great team of family and friends that helped throughout the years. He always valued his loyal lifetime friends LaVern Johnson and Jack Bradley Jr.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.



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July 9, 1939 ~ December 14, 2023



*"Each life is a
miracle
That changes
the world ..
And leaves it a
better place
Than it was
before."*



*Officiating
Pastor Ron Sample*

