



## Dean Elliot Oliver

Dean Elliot Oliver was born May 15, 1932, to Kenneth and Edna (Remington) Oliver in New Underwood, SD. Dean went to country school and then on to Sturgis High School. He married Phyllis McMains right out of high school in December of 1950 (60 years of wedded bliss).

The couple moved to the Newell area in 1952, bought a small farm, and over the years, expanded to a well-known farming/ranching operation along the Belle Fourche River south of Newell. They

raised sheep, cattle, alfalfa hay, and kids. Those kids were Deb, Darla, Randy, Patty, and Penny.

For 25 years, Dean ran an excavation business in the community doing various projects for area farmers and ranchers while trying to build up the farm and ranch at the same time. He also invested himself in the community by serving as a 4-H leader, serving on the Newell School Board, and as a member of the Federal Land Bank board at various times.

Dean loved family and enjoyed having his grandkids and great-grandkids around him. We will miss his sense of humor and love of life.

Dean, 83, of Newell, SD, died June 11, 2015, at Spearfish Regional Hospital.

Grateful for having shared his life are his wife, Phyllis; his children, Debbie (Dave) Streets, Custer, SD, Darla (Tim) Creal, Tampa, FL, Randy (Connie) Oliver, Newell, SD, Patty (Carl) Sauer, Benton, LA, and Penny (Mike) Masters, Rapid City, SD; 2 sisters, Jeanne Pittman, Whitewood, SD, and Darlene Guthrie, Little Rock, AR; 11 grandchildren; and 9 great-grandchildren.

Dean was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Carroll Oliver; a sister, Wilda Bachand; and an infant granddaughter, Jane Elizabeth Sauer.

A memorial has been established to the Newell Volunteer Fire Dept.

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



*In Loving  
Memory Of*

***Dean Elliot Oliver***

***1932 ~ 2015***



*The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch at the  
NVN Senior Center following the committal service.  
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*



### *After Glow*

*I'd like the memory of me  
to be a happy one.  
I'd like to leave an after glow  
of smiles when life is done.  
I'd like to leave an echo  
whispering softly down the ways,  
Of happy times and laughing times  
and bright and sunny days.  
I'd like the tears of those who  
grieve, to dry before the sun  
Of happy memories that I leave  
When life is done.*



*In Loving Memory Of*

## *Dean Elliot Oliver*

### *Born*

May 15, 1932  
New Underwood, South Dakota

### *Died*

June 11, 2015  
Spearfish, South Dakota

### *Funeral Service*

Tuesday, June 16, 2015, at 10:00 a.m.  
Austin Auditorium  
Newell, South Dakota

### *Officiant*

Pastor Sean Carney

### *Accompanist*

Marty Jump

### *Soloist*

Vonda Mahaffey

### *Musical Selections*

"Daddy's Hands"  
"Green, Green Grass Of Home"  
"The Old Rugged Cross"  
"On The Wings Of A Snow White Dove"

### *Pallbearers*

Derek Oliver ~ Chad Oliver ~ Ryan Stark  
Matthew Sauer ~ Max Bowen ~ Mel Pittman

### *Interment*

Hope Cemetery  
Newell, South Dakota