

Edward Jacob Hartle

Edward Jacob Hartle was born December 3, 1921, to Ruth (Beck) and Fred Hartle in Humboldt, SD. He graduated in 1940 from Humboldt High School. He joined the Marines in 1945.

He married Dorothy Evelyn Wenbourne on March 30, 1945. They had six children: son, Charles Edward Hartle; daughter, Evelyn Kay (Mike) Hunsaker of Keystone, SD; son, Steve Lynn (Trish) Hartle of Ranchester, WY; daughter Judy Ann Bottjen of Hill City, SD; son, Ricky Dean (Jan) Hartle of Lansford, ND; son, James Lee Hartle; five grandchildren; thirteen great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

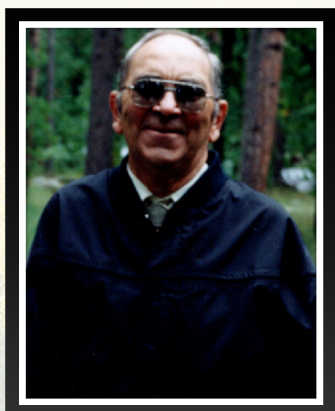
His faith in God and his love to those he knew will always be a part of us. His work ethics we still carry today as his love of wildlife, being outdoors, picnics, fishing, rock hunting, and hunting were a part of our growing up. His sense of humor was so wonderful. His family devotion was amazing. He loved to take off on their motorcycle, snowmobile, taking his four-wheeler out in the woods, or in their convertible mustang. He learned computer quickly and used it often. He flew radio-controlled airplanes and had an unbelievable train set that took up two 4x8 sheets of plywood. He made a greenhouse and grew vegetables. He was a member of the American Legion and Christian Motorcycle Association.

Edward Jacob Hartle, 97, Hot Springs, died April 13, 2019, at Michael J. Fitzmaurice State Veteran's Home in Hot Springs, SD.

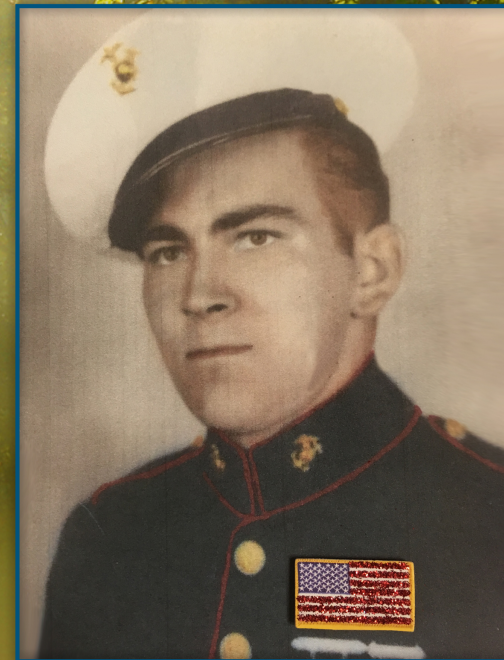
Waiting for him in Heaven are his wife, Dorothy; parents, Fred and Ruth; brother, Donald; sons, Charles and James; grandsons, Casey Dean Hunsaker and Robert Allen Bottjen.

A memorial has been established.

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



The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch at the State Veteran's home following the service. We thank you for your presence and condolences.



In Loving Memory

Edward Jacob Hartle

December 3, 1921 ~ April 13, 2019

I'm Free

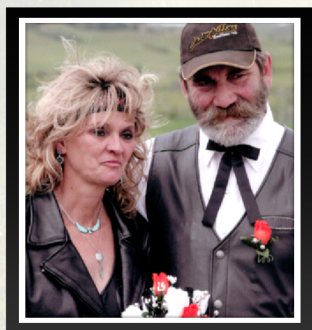
Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me.
I took His hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all.

I could not stay another day
to laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks undone must stay that way.
I found that peace at close of day.

If my parting has left a void
then fill it with remembered joy.
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,
ah, yes, these things I too will miss.

Be not burdened with times of sorrow
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I've savoured much,
good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief,
don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts and share with me
God wanted me now:
He set me free.



In Memory Of **Edward Jacob Hartle**

Date of Birth
December 3, 1921
Humboldt, South Dakota

Date of Death
April 13, 2019
Hot Springs, South Dakota

Memorial Service
Tuesday, April 23, 2019, at 10:30 a.m.
Michael J. Fitzmaurice State Veteran's Home
Hot Springs, South Dakota

Officiant
Chaplain Morris Nelson

Musical Selection
"Happy Trails"

Honorary Urnbearers
Shannon Modderman Hartle ~ Jakie Koon
Jesse Hartle

Military Honors
Sturgis Veteran's Honor Guard
Sturgis, South Dakota

Final Resting Place
Black Hills National Cemetery
Sturgis, South Dakota