NED SCHULTZ

Jan. 1940 - Apr. 2017

Ned Schultz, 77 of Barnes City
died April 12, 2017 at MHP Hos-
pite at Serenity House, Oakabonna. Services were
were April 15 at the Hol-
lund-Coble Funeral Home, Mont-
izuma. Burial with military hon-
ors was held in the Barnes City
Cemetery. A lieu of flowers,
memorial contributions may be
made to Fuller-Servis American Legion
Post #507 in Barnes City.

Ned Lewis Schultz, son of Lewis
and Margaret (McKay) Schultz,
was born on Jan. 9, 1940 in Barnes
City. He attended Barnes City
School before graduating from
Montezuma High School in 1959.

Ned was married to Sharon
Wilkins. To this union two chil-
dren were born, Melody and Guy.
They later divorced. He then mar-
rried Lil Grife. Ned farmed on his
own for several years before he
was a hired man for the Hawes
family out of What Cheer. He was
their farmhand for 32 years. Ned
loved children and made them
smile every Christmas by playing
Santa since 1970. Ned and Lil also
raised money every year so kids
could have toys at Christmas. Lil
passed away in 2002.

He served as president of the
Barnes City Elevator Board, presi-
dent of the Hawthorne Sportsman
Club, president of the Barnes City
Cemetery Board, he was a char-
ter member of the Pleasant Home
Board, a Ruritan Member and the
Fuller-Servis American Legion
Post #507. Ned was an avid reader
and enjoyed hunting, fishing trips
to Minnesota with the Grifes and
playing golf.

His memory will be honored by
his children, Melody (Robbier)
Griffy of Nevada and Guy Schultz
of Barnes City, his seven sisters,
nephews and many friends.

Ned was preceded in death by
his parents, Lewis and Margaret
Schultz; a son, Shane Schultz and
his wife, Lil Schultz.