

Charles R. Norris

Charles Robson Norris, 69, of Elkader, formerly of Grinnell and Deep River, died Wednesday, April 18, 2007.

Memorials may be made to a fund to purchase a park bench in his name which will be place in Echo Valley Park near West Union, a favorite picnic lunch spot of his. Contributions may be sent to Chuck Norris Memorial Fund c/o Becky Childs, PO Box 50, Glen Haven, Colo. 80532.

He moved with his family from Deep River to the West Union area in 1970 where he operated Norris Equipment Company for more than 35 years. He enjoyed automobiles and loved early-morning rides with his St. Bernard, Dusey. He also greatly enjoyed a nightly ritual of feeding crackers to pet goats and other animals which he and his wife raised.

He is survived by his wife Lois of Elkader; two daughters, Barb of Loveland, Colo., and Becky of Glen Haven Colo.; two sons, Jeff of Elgin, Iowa, and Steve of Loveland, Colo.; five grandchildren and one great grandchild.

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