

Albert Facile, 58

Albert A. Facile, 58, of rural Montezuma died early Tuesday morning, Dec. 4, 2001 at his home.

Funeral Mass was Friday, Dec. 7, 2001, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Brooklyn with Rev. Richard Okumu of St. Patrick's Catholic Church and Dr. Douglas Smiley of Calvary Bible Church officiating.

Music was by Mrs. Marilyn Kriegel, organist and Mrs. Amy Terpstra, soloist.

Altar Boys were Austin Hester and Ben Arvidson.

Pallbearers were Butch Akery, Don Gregory, Frank Helm, Gary McKeag, John McNaul and Craig Schmidt.

Honorary pallbearers were Rod Criswell, Dan Robinson, Oran Watson and Ron Urfer.

He was born Dec. 6, 1942, at Grinnell, the son of August and Jennie (Wauters) Facile. He graduated from Montezuma Community High School in 1961. On Oct. 9, 1965, he was united in marriage with Sylvia Roshek at St. Mary's Catholic Church Grinnell. To this union three children were born. They lived north of Montezuma, where Albert farmed all of

his life. For the past 10 years, he has also been a claims adjuster for State Farm Insurance. He was a lifelong member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church at Brooklyn. He was also a Master Gardener.

Albert enjoyed hunting with his kids, traveling with Streetrod Productions, and spending time with his best friend. He also loved fishing at Gregory's pond and playing with the apple of his eye, Megan.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Albert is survived by his wife, Sylvia; two sons, Matthew and Lisa Facile of Newton and Mark Facile and Randa Van Dyk of Pella; one daughter, Christine Facile of West Des Moines; four sisters, Germaine (and Harold) Schmidt of Grinnell; Mary (and Marvin) VanGorp of Montezuma; Delaine (and Elmer) Roorda of Oskaloosa and Alice (and Don) DeRycke of Victor; and other relatives and many friends.

Interment was at Calvary Cemetery in Brooklyn, and donations in memory of Albert will go to the Nepal Missionary Fund c/o Missionary Michael Sokol who held a special place in Albert's heart.

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