Marlin Baker, վr. 1929 to 1997

Funeral services for Marlin Baker Jr., 68, were held Wednesday, April 16, 1997, at 10 a.m. at the Platte Funeral Chapel in Wheatland, with Pastor Mark Patzke of the Covenant Lutheran Church officiating.

Mr. Baker, a lifelong resident of Wheatland, died Sunday, April 13, 1997, at the Platte County Memorial Hospital emergency room in Wheatland.

Marlin was born March 21, 1929, in Wheatland, the son of Marlin and Myrtle (Waldhoff) Baker Sr. He was reared and educated in Wheatland; graduating from Wheatland High School. He entered the United States Army and served from 1954-1956 at Fort Hood, Texas

. Following his discharge, he returned to Wheatland where he farmed with his father on the family farm.

He worked for the Wheatland Irrigation District prior to his retirement. On January 28, 1954, he married Mildred L. Clay in Cheyenne. Marlin enjoyed hunting and fishing.

Marlin is survived by four children, Marilyn Bowman of Lewisville, Texas, Janet Ziegelmann and Carol Baker both of Broomfield, Colorado, and Robert Baker of Torrington; a sister, Elaine Barnes of West Salt Lake City, Utah; and three grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Mildred Louise "Milly" Baker on January 9, 1996; and a brother, Willard Baker.

Serving as honorary pallbearers will be all of his many friends. Memorials to the Platte County Memorial Nursing Home, 201 - 14th Street, Wheatland, 82201 would be appreciated by the family.

The Platte Funeral Chapel of Wheatland, is in charge of the arrangements.