

In Loving Memory Of

Gerald Mark LeBeau

December 18, 1952

August 7, 2016

Cheyenne Agency, South Dakota

Rapid City, South Dakota

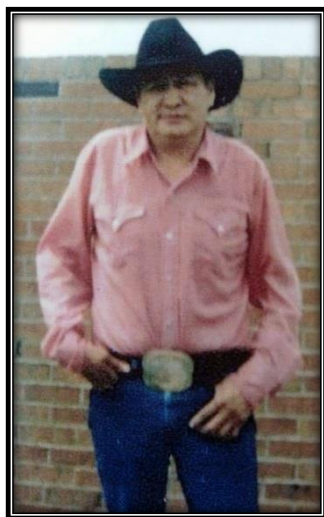


*Oh Lord, I've never lived where churches grow.
I love creation better as it stood
That day you finished it so long ago
And looked upon your work and called it good.
I know that others find you in the light
That's sifted down through tinted windowpanes.
And yet I seem to feel you near tonight
In this dim, quiet starlight on the plains.*

*I thank you, Lord, that I am placed so well
That you have made my freedom so complete:
That I'm no slave to whistle, clock or bell,
Nor weak-eyed prisoner of wall and street.
Just let me live my life as I've begun
And give me work that's open to the sky;
Make me a pardoner of the wind and sun,
And I won't ask a life that's soft or high.*

*Let me be easy on the man that's down:
Let me be square and generous with all.
I'm careless sometimes, Lord, when I'm in town,
But never let 'em say I'm mean or small
Make me as big and open as the plains.
As honest as the hawse between my knees,
Clean as the wind that blows behind the rains,
Free as the hawk that circles down the breeze!*

*Forgive me, Lord, if sometimes I forget.
You know about the reasons that are hid.
You understand the things that gall and fret:
You know me better than my mother did.
Just keep an eye on all that's done and said
And right me, sometimes, when I turn aside,
And guide me on the long, dim trail ahead
That stretches upward toward the Great Divide.*



WAKE SERVICE:

7:00 p.m., Thursday, August 11, 2016

All Saints Catholic Church ~ Eagle Butte, South Dakota

FUNERAL SERVICE:

10:00 a.m., Friday, August 12, 2016

All Saints Catholic Church ~ Eagle Butte, South Dakota

OFFICIATING: Fr. Andrea Benso

CASKETBEARERS:

Monty LeBeau, Tyron Takes the Knife, Hoss Rave,
Heather LeBeau, Shandelle LeBeau, Pierette Rave,
Autumn Drags Wolf, Bonnie LeBeau, Kimberly Rave

HONORARY CASKETBEARERS:

Bob Eagleman, Gary Montreal, Richard Laplante, Cedar
Laplante, Bernie Laplante, JR Laplante, Kenton Thompson,
Gloria Laplante, Diane Laplante Jensen, Patsy Laplante,
Aunt Darlene Mestas and family, Aunt Toni Laplante and
family, Casimir LeBeau, Toni Rae Buffalo, Anita Thompson
and family, Lionel Iron Moccasin and family, Shannon
Marshall, Frankie Marshall, Margaret Sierra, Twila Renville,
Ilese Uses the Knife, Vickie LeBeau Hebb, Kelly LeBeau,
Arlen LeBeau, Debbie Bridwell, Valerie Estes,
John Bridwell, Sr. and All of Gerald's Nieces and Nephews

INTERMENT:

St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery ~ LaPlant, South Dakota



Eagle Butte, South Dakota
www.familyfuneralhome.net

Gerald Mark LeBeau

Gerald Mark LeBeau, 63, of Rapid City, passed away Sunday, August 7, 2016 at Rapid City Regional Hospital, Rapid City, SD.

Gerald was born at Cheyenne Agency to Ted LeBeau and Zelma (Meeter) LeBeau. He attended grade school in Eagle Butte and high school in Rapid City.

Gerald worked as a maintenance man in both Bismarck, ND and in Pierre, SD for a living.

He loved visiting and spending quality time with friends and family, including his sister, Theda Mae and his brother, Jerome. Gerald also loved the “cowboy way of life” and rodeos. In his early years he won an “All Indian Bull Rider” title.

Gerald is survived by his sister, Theda LeBeau of Albuquerque, NM; his brother, Jerome LeBeau of Rapid City, SD; and all of his nieces and nephews.

Gerald was preceded in death by his parents; and his brothers: Victor LeBeau, Harvey LeBeau, Stevie LeBeau and Arlen LeBeau.



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