

*In Loving Memory*  
CELEBRATING A LIFE

**CLOSE THE GATE**

For this one farmer the worries are over,  
lie down and rest your head,  
Your time has been and struggles enough,  
put the tractor in the shed.  
Years were not easy, many downright hard,  
but your faith in God transcended,  
Put away your tools and sleep in peace.  
The fences have all been mended.  
You raised a fine family, worked the land well  
and always followed the Son,  
Hang up your shovel inside of the barn;  
your work here on earth is done.  
A faith few possess led your journey through life,  
often a jagged and stony way,  
The sun is setting, the cattle are all bedded,  
and here now is the end of your day.  
Your love of God's soil has passed on to your kin;  
the stories flow like fine wine,  
Wash off your work boots in the puddle  
left by blessed rain one final time.  
You always believed that the good  
Lord would provide and He always had somehow,  
Take off your gloves and put them down,  
no more sweat and worry for you now.  
Your labor is done, your home now is heaven;  
no more must you wait,  
Your legacy lives on, your love of the land,  
and we will close the gate.

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**VIGIL WITH A ROSARY:**

7:00 p.m., Friday, January 19, 2018  
St. Thomas the Apostle Church  
Faulkton, South Dakota

**FUNERAL MASS:**

10:30 a.m., Saturday, January 20, 2018  
St. Thomas the Apostle Church  
Faulkton, South Dakota

**CELEBRANTS:** Father Christopher Hughes,  
Father Michael Schneider, Father Thomas Clement

**PALLBEARERS:**

Dale Eschenbaum & Shane Machtemes

**USHERS:** Wally McKown, Doug McKown,  
Bob Sturdevant, Aaron Lorenzen

**LECTOR:** Pat Murphy

**OFFERTORY:** Kenny's Grandchildren

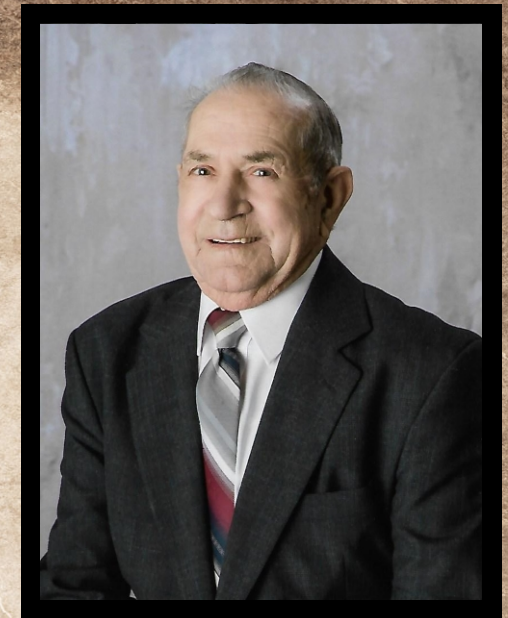
**ORGANIST:** Linda Bartholomew

**MUSIC SELECTIONS:**

"On Eagle's Wings"  
"Be Not Afraid"  
"Song of Farewell"  
"By All Your Saints Still Striving"

**INURNMENT WITH MILITARY HONORS:**

St. Thomas Catholic Cemetery  
Faulkton, South Dakota



*Remembering*  
THE LIFE OF

**Kenneth T. Huss**

June 2, 1927 - January 16, 2018





Kenneth T. Huss, 90 of Faulkton, passed away Tuesday, January 16, 2018 at Rapid City Regional Auxiliary Hospice House, Rapid City.

He was born June 2, 1927 to Theodore and Anna (Klein) Huss at the Faulkton Hospital. Kenny attended grade school and high school in Orient. He worked on the Ted Huss farm from 1945-1954 with the exception of November 1950-December 1952 when he served in the US Army during the Korean War.

In 1955, he purchased his own farm just north of the home place. While living on the farm, he served on the Arcade Township board for 27 years, was active in the Orient American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Knights of Columbus. He was also member of St Joseph's Catholic Church in Orient while living on the farm.

Kenny married Lorraine Wieseler on May 28, 1956 at St Liborius Catholic Church in Polo, SD. They were blessed with 4 children. They semi-retired in 1987 and moved to Faulkton but he continued to work with both of his sons until the death of Larry in 1991. Kenny didn't miss a day on the farm as he still helped Terry until he moved to Rapid City in Sept of 2017.

## *Loving Memory*

Survivors include his wife, Lorraine of 61 years; children: Lynette (Chip) Foerster of Rapid City, Terry (Bev) Huss of Faulkton, and Jean (Daniel) Petereit of Rapid City; 10 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; three sisters-in-law: Dorothy Huss of Faulkton, Joyce Wieseler of Polo, and Donine Wieseler of Highmore; and many nieces and nephews

He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Larry; one son-in-law, John VerHelst; four brothers: Clarence, Leo, Cyril, and Raymond; and four sisters: Marcella, Irene, Verna and Maurine (Billie).

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