



Ike Kor
December 28, 2001

Ike Kor passed away on December 28, 2001, after a lengthy illness. Ike, son of John and Biena (Tjepkes) Kor, was born December 21, 1918 at Henning, MN. The family moved to White, SD and then Brookings, SD. He attended the South Dakota School for the Deaf. The family later moved to Vancouver, WA. In the late 1940's he returned to Sioux Falls. In 1951, he began working at John Morrell & Co. in the Pork Byproducts Department. He retired in 1983 after 32 years of service and only missed one day of work.

Ike was united in marriage with Della Mae Getting on April 19, 1969 at Sioux Falls, SD. Ike enjoyed the outdoors, planting and caring for his flowers. He loved to spend time with his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Ike enjoyed reading the paper and doing the crossword puzzles. He liked putting together model ships and boats.

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church for the Deaf, South Dakota Association for the Deaf, Senior Citizens for the Deaf, National Fraternal Society for the Deaf of South Dakota, and in the early 1960's, Ike was the Bowling Champion for the Communications Services for the Deaf.

Grateful for having shared his life are his wife, Della Kor, Sioux Falls, SD; two sons, Sam Tulio, Redfield, SD, Rich Tulio, Sioux Falls, SD; one daughter, Jo Meyer, Glenwood, MN; 10 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Ora Mae Smith, Tempe, AZ, Alma Denison, Vancouver, WA; also survived by a host of other relatives and friends.

Ike was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers; four sisters.