



Robert Gene Studnicka, 78, of Burwell, Nebraska died June 3, 2014 at the Valley County Health Systems Hospital in Ord, Nebraska.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m. Saturday, June 7, 2014 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Burwell. Burial will be in Cottonwood Cemetery in Burwell. Fr. Mark Maresh will officiate. Visitation will be Friday from 5 – 8 p.m. at the church with a Rosary at 7:00 p.m. Memorials are suggested to the Burwell Fire Department or Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Bob was born April 5, 1936 in Howard County, Nebraska near Farwell. The family lived in the Farwell area until Bob was twelve when they moved to the Scotia area where he graduated from High School in 1953.

After serving in the United States Army in Korea he moved back and met Marjorie “Lois” Cone. They were united in marriage on June 29, 1960 in Ord, Nebraska. To this union five children were born.

After the death of his father-in-law, he became a partner in Cone Farmhand in which he ran with his mother-in-law for twenty five years. Upon selling his interest in the business he began working at Rowse Rakes until his retirement in 2013. Lois died on September 3, 2013.

Those left to cherish his memory are five children, David and Julie Studnicka of Clay Center, Nebraska, Steve and Jodi Studnicka of St. Paul, Nebraska, Jean and Chad Dorcey of Wayne, Nebraska, Mark and Mardee Studnicka of Cozad, Nebraska and Ron Studnicka and Kate Walker of Kearney, Nebraska. Thirteen grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren. A brother, Don and Kathy Studnicka of North Loup, Nebraska. Nieces and nephews and six sister-in-laws, Jonell Studnicka of Kingsville, Texas, June Worden, Evelyn Pinckney, Dixie and Billy Weber and Jo and Ben Meckel all of Burwell, Nebraska and Irene and Gary Storms of Broken Bow, Nebraska.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, one brother, Paul Studnicka, a sister Doris and Bill Earnest and a nephew, Brian Studnicka.