



Roussel, Albert

October 16, 1920 – May 7, 2008

Albert passed away peacefully in the Veteran's Wing of the Wascana Rehabilitation Centre in Regina on Wednesday, May 7, 2008 at the age of 87 years.

Born fourth oldest in a family of eight to Trefflé and Sidonie Roussel, Albert grew up on his parents' farm near Bellegarde, Saskatchewan. After serving as a proud member of the 1st Canadian Parachute Battalion during World War II, Albert raised his family, farmed, and was an active member of the Bellegarde community. He instilled a strong work ethic in his children and always put his family first. He was a quiet man, who exuded strength of character and dignity. After retiring to Redvers, Albert continued to enjoy travelling South for many years.

Albert will be lovingly remembered by his wife of 59 years, Micheline; son Ivan (Jeannette), grandchildren Tracy (Pat) and Sheldon; son Ronald (Catherine), grandchildren Christopher and Mathew; son Marc (Deb), grandchildren Kari, Candice (Jared), and Michael; daughter Ella (Dave) and grandchildren Dominic and Gabrielle along with great grandchildren Quinn, Rhys, Pierce and Madeline. Born fourth oldest in a family of eight to Treffle and Sidonie Roussel, Albert is also survived by sisters Marie, Claire, Simone and brother Tony as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

A FUNERAL MASS will be celebrated at Canadian Martyrs R.C. Church, 1932 – 1st Avenue North, Regina, SK on Monday, May 12, 2008 at 2:00 p.m., by Rev. Eugene Schaffer. Private Interment at a later date. Donations in memory of Albert may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society. Funeral arrangements are in care of Boire Funeral Home & Crematorium, Estevan & Redvers (634-8233). Forward condolences to the family by visiting www.boirefuneralhome.com

To live in the hearts we leave behind is not to die.