Richard F. Polzin

April 26, 1945 – October 25, 2000



Richard F. Polzin, 55 passed away on October 25, 2000 at his home in Sioux Falls.

Richard was born April 26, 1945 in Sioux Falls. He graduated from the SD School for the Deaf in 1964. Richard worked for many years in the hog kill department at John Morrell & Co.

He married Diana Schmidt on April 28, 1979, in Sioux Falls. He continued work at Morrell's until 1989, then worked at Soukup Services from 1991 until 1999.



He was a member of the South Dakota Association of the Deaf and Sioux Falls Association of the Deaf, the South Dakota Deaf Anglers Association, Snow Tractors Club of Sioux Falls and the Sertoma Club. He was also a member of Trinity Lutheran Church of the Deaf.

Survivors included his wife, Diana; two daughters: Sheri and Carrie Polzin, both of Sioux Falls; a brother, Robert of Sioux Falls; and a sister, Peggy Samuelson of Rapid City.

Services began at 10 a.m. Saturday at Trinity Lutheran Church of the Deaf with burial in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Visitation began at 6 p.m. at the church with a prayer service at 7 p.m. The Iverson-Siecke Funeral Home in Vermillion

