Jerry was born on November 19, 1942, in Oakes, ND to Ray and Eleanor (Kulzer) Bommersbach. He lived in various locations with his parents until 12 years of age when they moved to Wyndmere, ND. Jerry graduated from Wyndmere High School in 1961. After graduation, he began his career with the Northern Pacific Railroad. He then enlisted in the US Navy in October of 1961 where he served on the USS Enterprise Aircraft Carrier until 1966 when he received an Honorable Discharge. He then returned to his career with the railroad. He worked for 36 years and retired from the Burlington Northern Railroad in 1997.

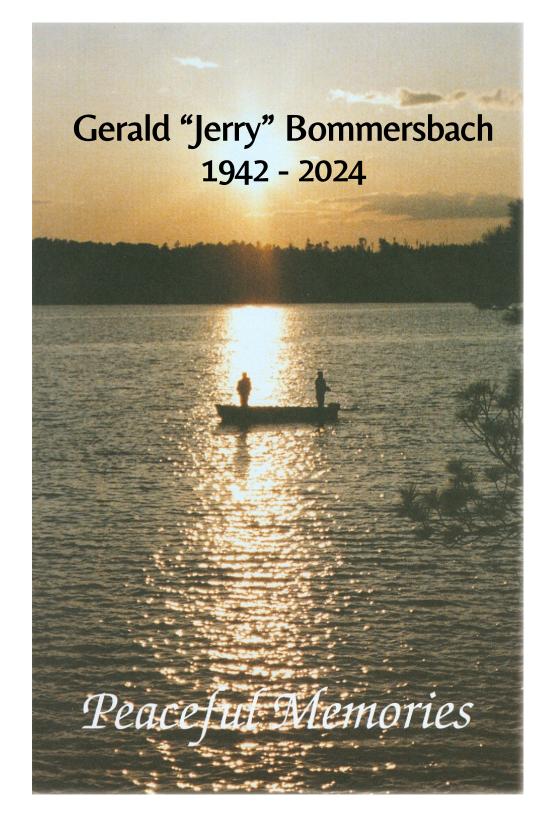
Jerry was united in marriage to Sharon Huseth on November 2, 1968. Jerry and Sharon moved to Wahpeton where they made their home raising two sons, Jeff and Mike. After retirement, Jerry volunteered at the food pantry and drove Med Van for 22 years.

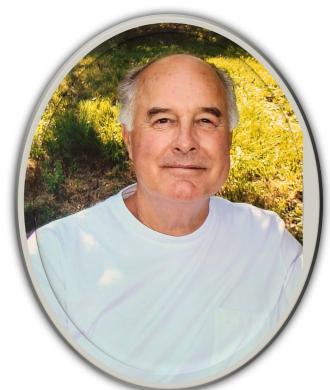
Jerry enjoyed the outdoors, hunting and fishing with his sons, grandchildren and family. Some of Jerry's best times were spent at their lake cabin on Walker Lake. He adored being with his grandchildren. He loved to work in his yard both in Wahpeton and at the Lake.

Jerry will be sorely missed by his wife Sharon of 55 years, son, Jeff (Caryn) Bommersbach and their sons Eric and Adam; Mike (Julie) Bommersbach and their children Brody and Ella; his mother Eleanor Bommersbach, siblings Julie Berg, Paul Bommersbach (Jane Honer), Marie (Don) Kratcha, Greg Bommersbach, and Patsy Stein. Sister-inlaws Beverly Runcorn and Sandy (Jim) Post; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, Ray Bommersbach, his grandparents, and brothers-in-law, Bill Runcorn and Willard Stein.







Gone Fishing

I've finished life's chores assigned to me, So put me on a boat headed out to sea. Please send along my fishing pole For I've been invited to the fishin' hole. Where every day is a day to fish, To fill your heart with every wish. Don't worry, or feel sad for me, I'm fishin' with the Master of the sea. We will miss each other for a while. But you will come and bring your smile. That won't be long you will see, Till we're together you and me. To all of those that think of me, Be happy as I go out to sea. If others wonder why I'm missin' Just tell 'em \mathcal{I} 've gone fisin'

In Loving Memory of Jerry Bommersbach

Born

November 19, 1942 | Oakes, North Dakota

Passed Away

March 29, 2024 | Fargo, North Dakota

Age

81 Years | 4 Months | 10 Days

Mass of Christian Burial

10:30 AM | Thursday, April 4, 2024 St. John's Catholic Church | Wahpeton, North Dakota

Officiant

Fr. Paul Kuhn

Organist

Cantor

Pat Keaveny

Carmen Paquin

Congregational Hymns

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand" | "Psalm 23" | "Amazing Grace" "Only A Shadow" | "How Great Thou Art" | "Soon and Very Soon"

Pallbearers

Eric Bommersbach | Adam Bommersbach | Brody Bommersbach Carl Wolter | Terry Braun | Mike Kulzer

Interment

Calvary Cemetery | Wahpeton, North Dakota