*In Loving Memory* Benedict Martin Mazourek January 28, 1924 – September 6, 2020

> *Memorial Service* 10:30 a.m. Friday, September 11, 2020 Sacred Heart Catholic Church

> > *Clergy* Rev. Larry Regynski

*Music* Soloist – Bill Jennewein Organist – Shirley Jennewein *Amazing Grace Shepherd Me, O God Prayer of St. Francis Here I Am Lord Song of Farewell How Great Thou Art* 

> *Interment* Garden of Memories Yankton, South Dakota

Taken on the Mazourek Farm



Front row: Ernie, Martin, Ben, Luvern Straka Rear Row: Ray, Joseph Strake, Lawrence, Theodore, Alvin Straka



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Benedict Mazourek Landing Craft Infantry Engine Mechanic LCI 5 Invasions 1944 - 1946

Benedict Martin Mazourek was born January 28, 1924 in Dante, South Dakota to Antonia (Cap) and Martin Mazourek Sr.

Ben served in the United States Navy from January 1944 to April 1946 as a diesel mechanic on the LCT 908. He worked as a truck driver for Rhian Oil and Gerstner Oil for 45 years.



He was dedicated to caring for his mother and to the men he served with. He

traveled each year to attend his military reunions. He particularly enjoyed little league and high school baseball and softball tournaments.



Ben was preceded in death by his parents, and three brothers, Frank, Ted and Adolph.

Ben is survived by his brother, Martin Mazourek; two sisters, Leona Cwach and Mary Ann Tielke and many nieces and nephews.