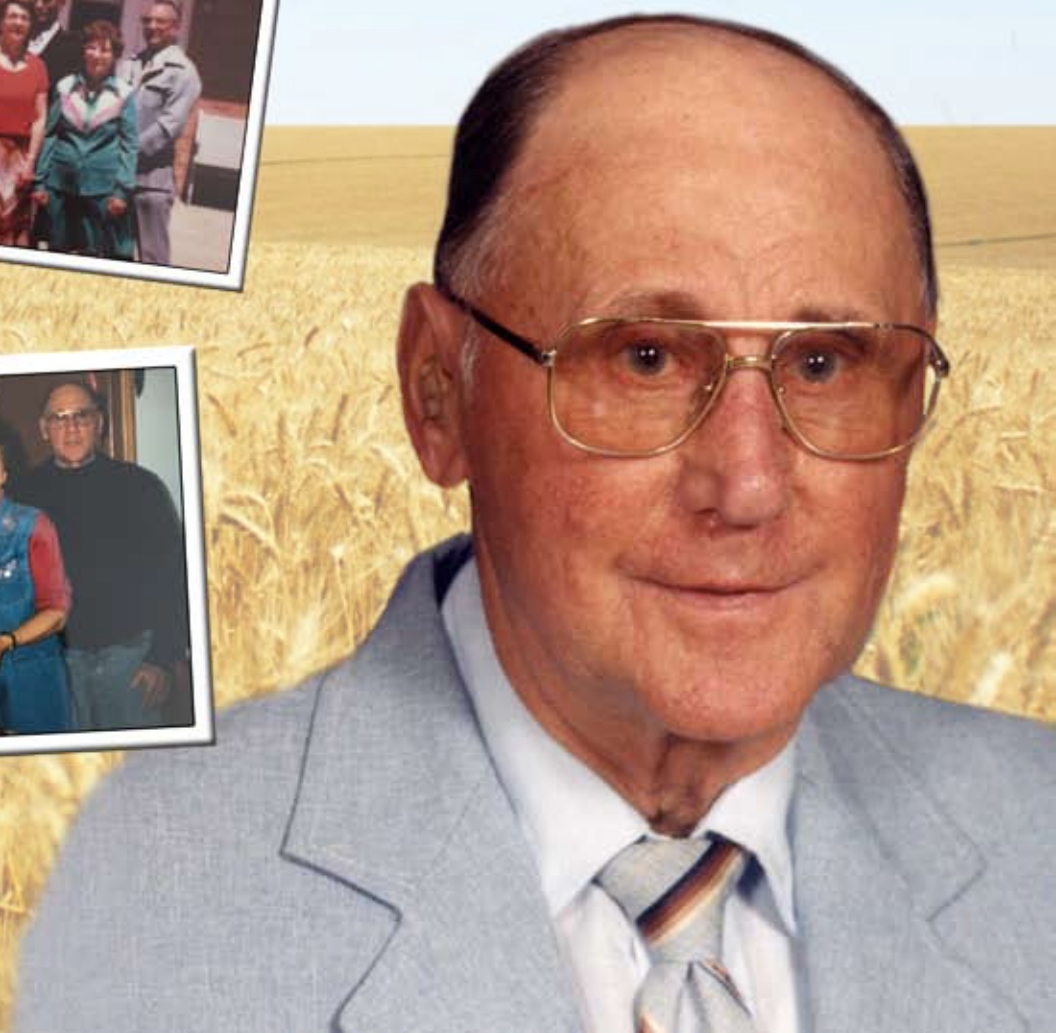


*Chester Norman* was born November 19, 1922, in New Salem, the son of Jacob and Matilda (Bickel) Gittel. Growing up, he attended country school through the eighth grade. Chester was a hard worker and took meticulous pride in everything he did. He worked on the family farm with his brother, Clarence for many years, helped build most of the bridges on I-94, and worked for the Glen Ullin School District as a custodian for 11 years. Chester spent much of his free time traveling to the Black Hills and the west coast with his cousins. He loved being outdoors and taking care of his many different cars. Chester's family meant the world to him and he cherished the time he had watching his grandchildren grow. Chester is survived by his son; Brent (Jeanne) Gittel of Eden Prairie MN; daughters, Brenda (Scott) Morman of Glen Ullin, LeeAnn Diedrich of Woodbury, MN, and Dawn (Chad) Schumacher of Bismarck; grandchildren, Jamie (Chris) Rittenbach, Dane (Angie) Gittel, Bethany Morman, Jaron Morman, Alexa Diedrich, Cerise Diedrich, Jayden Gittel; great-grandchildren; Dylan Rittenbach, Devyn Gittel. Chester was preceded in death by his parents; twin boys, Brian and Bruce; siblings, Clarence Gittel, Irene Skaley, Raymond Gittel, and Loretta Gordon.



# Chester Gittel

November 19, 1922 - February 28, 2019



In Memory

When I must leave you for a little while  
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears  
And hug your sorrow to you through the years.  
But start out bravely with a gallant smile;  
And for my sake and in my name  
Live on and do all things the same;  
Feed not your loneliness on empty days,  
But fill each waking hour in useful ways,  
reach out your hand in comfort and in cheer  
And I in turn will comfort you  
and hold you near;  
And never, never be afraid to die,  
For I am waiting for you in the sky!



# Chester Gittel

**FUNERAL SERVICE:**

Saturday, March 2, 2019 1:00 p.m. CT  
Zion Lutheran Church  
Glen Ullin, North Dakota

**OFFICIATING:**

Pastor Toby Heller

**MUSIC:**

Caroline Theiss  
Nancy Morman

**PALLBEARERS:**

Jamie Rhittenbach      Dane Gittel  
Bethany Morman      Jaron Morman  
Alexa Diedrich      Cerise Diedrich  
Jayden Gittel

**INTERMENT:**

Spring Burial  
Glen Ullin Cemetery  
Glen Ullin, North Dakota

**ARRANGEMENTS BY:**

Stevenson Funeral Home  
Glen Ullin, North Dakota

*Lunch will be served at the church following  
the funeral service. Everyone is welcome.*