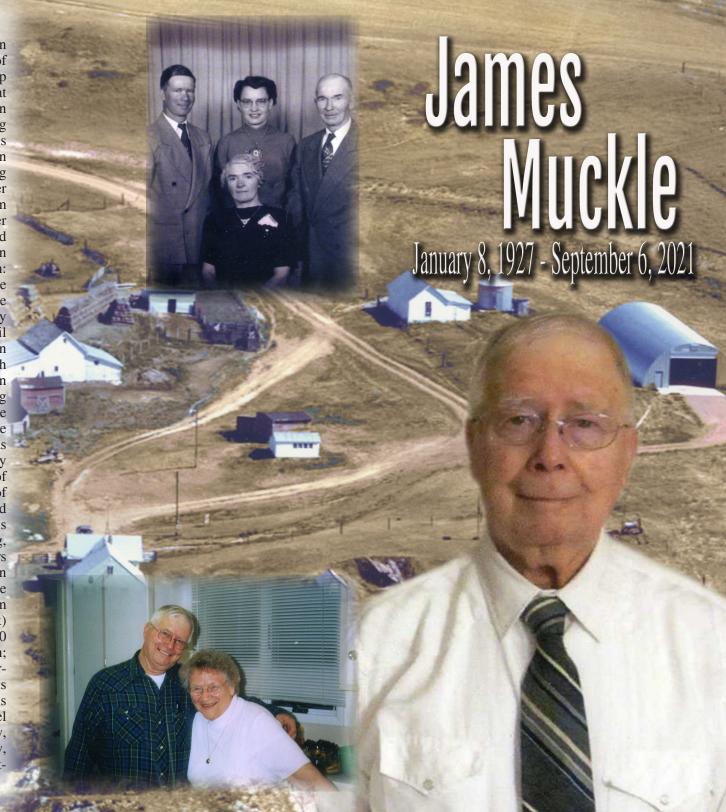
James Allen Muckle was born on January 8, 1927in Sentinel Butte, ND a son of Samuel and Maggie (Allen) Muckle. He grew up on the Muckle farm and attended grade school at the Nelson Country School and later high school in Sentinel Butte where he graduated in 1945. Following high school, he continued to farm and ranch with his father. He purchased the first tractor to be used in the farming operation. Up until this time everything was done with a team of horses. In 1954, Jim's sister Marion, who was a teacher in Beach introduced him to Mae Buckman who was also a school teacher in Beach. After a courtship, the two were married on June 8, 1955, at Saint Peter Lutheran Church in Belfield, ND. To bless this union are three children: James Jr., Thomas and Hannah. James and Mae made their home on the Muckle Homestead where they raised their family. In December of 2002, they moved into Beach where they made their home until they retired and eventually moved into the Golden Valley Manor in Beach in 2014. Due to failing health Jim and Mae entered Saint Luke Nursing Home in Dickinson. Throughout his life, Jim was active serving on the Sentinel Butte School Board and Sentinel Butte Elevator Board. He was an active member of the Sentinel Butte Volunteer Fire Department and was the Sexton of the Sentinel Butte Cemetery for many years. He was also the City Auditor of the village of Sentinel Butte for many years. Jim was a member of Saint Paul Lutheran Church in Beach, where he served as a longtime Financial Secretary and Deacon. In his spare time, he and Mae enjoyed Square Dancing, visiting with his neighbors and working several years for the Medora Foundation. Those left to mourn his passing is his wife, Mae of Dickinson; three children, James Jr. (Donna) Muckle, Beach, ND, Tom (Nona) Muckle, Spearfish, SD and Hannah (Patrick) Cleveland, Petersburg, NE; 14 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren; eight great-great-grandchildren; a sister, Marion (Holger) Johnson, Beach, ND; a sisterin-law, Bonnie Buckman, Belfield, ND and numerous nieces and nephews. Jim was preceded in death by his parents, Maggie and Samuel, two grandsons, Samuel and Connor Cleveland, his brother and sister-in-law. Clarence and Irene Buckman, his brother-in-law, Lewis Buckman, a niece, great-niece and four greatnephews.



Irish Blessing

May the road rise up to meet you,

May the wind be always at your back,

May the sun shine warm upon your face,

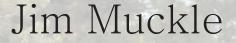
The rains fall soft upon your fields,

And until we meet again,

May God hold you,

In the palm of His hand.





#### **FUNERAL SERVICE:**

Tuesday, September 14, 2021 1:00 pm St. Paul Lutheran Church Beach, North Dakota

### TIME OF REMEMBRANCE:

Monday, September 13, 2021 7:00 pm Stevenson Funeral Home Dickinson, North Dakota

### **OFFICIATING:**

Reverend Anthony Ahrendt

### **MUSIC:**

Gloria Ueckert

# PALLBEARERS:

Andy Muckle
Duy Muckle
LeRoy Johnson

Allen Muckle Richard Cleveland Tim Bohn

# **HONORARY PALLBEARERS:**

All of Jim's Grandchildren, Nieces, Nephews, and Neighbors

# **INTERMENT:**

Sentinel Butte Cemetery Sentinel Butte, North Dakota

#### **ARRANGEMENTS BY:**

Stevenson Funeral Home Dickinson, North Dakota

Lunch will be served at the church following the graveside service.

Everyone is welcome.