

# John David Detrick

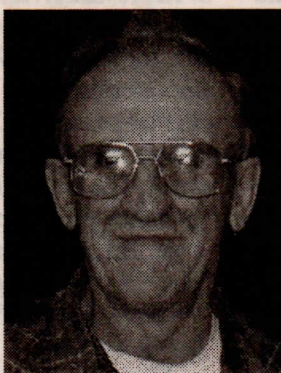
October 14, 1937 - December 17, 2016

Funeral services for John David Detrick, 79, will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 28 at the Covenant Lutheran Church in Wheatland, with Reverend Joshua Bruns officiating.

John Detrick passed away Saturday, Dec. 17, at the Platte County Memorial Hospital with his wife by his side.

John was born Oct. 14, 1937 in Laramie, the son of Zack and Vivian (Vance) Detrick.

John was reared in Laramie where he attended school through the 6th grade. His family moved to Yoder, where he attended school through junior high and then onto Hemmingford, Neb., where he graduated from high school in 1956. John then enlisted in the United States Navy serving four years with two more years of reserve. He retired to Wyoming and worked for ranches until 1982 when he then employed with Basin Electric Laramie River Power station in Wheatland. He retired from there in 2010. John loved being in the outdoors. He enjoyed gardening but his favorite pastime was fishing and hunting that he shared with many of his friends. John had 4



children from previous marriage Cindy, John Michael, Donna and Daniel. John married Judith Mickelson on April 3, 1982.

John is survived by his wife, Judy Detrick of Wheatland; children, Cindy Wilson of Point, Texas, John Michael Detrick of Story, Donna Martin of Lewistown, Mont., and Daniel Detrick of Knoxville, Tenn.; five grandchildren; eight great grandchildren; numerous brother and sister in laws; several nieces and nephews; and a special furry friend his cat, Bobbi.

He was preceded in death by his parents and siblings, Alice Fales of Torrington, Grace Richards of West Laramie, James Detrick of Wheatland, and Betty Jo Detrick of Laramie.

A memorial to the Marge Cares Foundation, P.O. Box 98, Glendo, Wyoming 82213 would be appreciated by the family.

The Gorman Funeral Homes – Platte Chapel of Wheatland are in charge of the arrangements.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.gormanfh.com](http://www.gormanfh.com)