

HIXSON, ANDREW JACKSON

May 4, 1942-August 25, 2001

Funeral services for Andrew Jackson "Jack" Hixon, Jr. 59, will be held Wednesday, August 29, 2001 at 2:00 p.m. at the First Christian Church with Andy Gudahl, Minister, officiating. Inurnment will be held privately at a later date.

Mr. Hixon died at his home near Wheatland on Saturday, August 25.

Jack was born May 4, 1942 in Baker, Oregon, the son of Andrew J. and Velma Irene (Meacham) Hixon. He was reared and educated in Baker and after graduating from high school, he worked for the railroad for several years.

Jack married Jacqueline Bruegman on September 25, 1965 in Vancouver, Wash. They made their home in Vancouver for ten years and then moved to Phoenix, Ariz. where Jack worked for Maricopa County.

Jack coached and assisted coaching in various youth sports during those years. They moved to Wheatland in 1985 to take over the Bruegman Family Cattle Ranch and Jack ranched and farmed until his death.

He enjoyed animals, hunting and fishing, and playing with his grandchildren.

Jack is survived by his wife, Jackie Hixon of Wheatland; three children, Jeff Hixon and wife Sandy of Wheatland, John Hixon of Wheatland, and Jackie Nichole Hixon, a daughter/granddaughter; a brother Don Hixon and wife, Ruby of Wash.; and four grandchildren, Zach, Miles, Matthew and Brittany.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Serving as honorary pallbearers will be Nichole, Zach, Miles, Matthew, Brittany and all his many friends.

Memorials to Hospice of Platte County, PO Box 1025, Wheatland, WY 82201, would be appreciated by the family.

Platte Funeral Chapel is in charge of arrangements.