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Bud Core, 75 ✓

March 11, 1928 - Feb. 22, 2004

RED OAK – Bud Core was born March 11, 1928, in Oakland, the son of Irving and Marie (Young) Core. He was raised in the Oakland and Carson areas attending school in Carson. After school, Bud served in the United States Army during the Korean War. Bud came back to southwest Iowa where he farmed until moving into Red Oak.

He married Bettie Hinkle June 24, 1964, in Vermillion, SD. They operated Core's Boarding House from 1967-1993. Bettie died March 7, 1993. He died Feb. 22, 2004, at his home in Red Oak at age 75.

Preceding Bud in death were his wife, Bettie; his parents; daughter, Patricia Abbott in 1969; sister, Corrine Laire; two brothers-in-law, Loring Laire and Mike Roenfeld. Survivors include his daughter, Betty "Bugs" Wells of Tabor; son, Dallas Wells, Jr. of Omaha, NE; three grandchildren, Danine Miller (Mardy) of Harlan; Rick Goodwin (Claudia) of Virginia Beach, VA; and Anna Hardy of Red Oak; nine great-grandchildren, Matt, Kaila and Jessica Miller; Laura, Christian and Beau Goodwin; and Kelsey, Kady and Kylee Hardy; 1 great-great-grandson, Jason; sister, Carolyn Roenfeld of Malvern; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Feb. 26, 2004, at the Nelson-Boylan-LeRette Funeral Chapel with Rev. JoAnn Thomas officiating. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery.