



James T Gentry

September 18, 1937 - March 15, 2013

James "Jim" T. Gentry, age 75 of Kearney, died Friday, March 15, 2013 at the Grand Island Veterans Home. Funeral Services will be Tuesday, March 19, 2013 at 2:00 p.m. at Zion Lutheran Church in Kearney. Rev. James DeLoach will officiate. Burial will follow at Kearney Cemetery with Military Rites by the Kearney American Legion Post #52, the Kearney V.F.W. Post #759 and the United States Air Force Funeral Honors Team. Visitation will be one hour prior to services at the Church on Tuesday. Memorials are suggested to The Zion Lutheran Church or the Buffalo County A.R.C. A message of condolence may be left at www.hlmkfuneral.com. Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services in Kearney are in charge of arrangements. Jim was born on September 18, 1937 in Sand Springs, OK to James Cullen and Sophia (Robinson) Gentry. He married Verleen Saathoff on December 30, 1964 in Kearney. He worked for the Dallas Department of Health as the Chief of Vector Control from 1960 until his retirement in 1982. Jim and Verleen moved to Kearney in 1985. He served his country as a member of the United States Air Force. Jim was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church in Kearney, the Vector Control Organization, the D.A.V. and the administrative board for Mid Nebraska. He was also a member of the Governing Board and a past president of the A.R.C. of Buffalo County. Surviving relatives include his Wife, Verleen of Kearney; Son, James and his wife Diane of Canton, SD; Daughter, Alisa and her husband Roy Reynolds of Kearney; Sister, Jody Blissitte of Mineral Wells, TX; Sister, Julie and her husband Merwyn Carnahan, of Tyler,

TX; Granddaughter, Kate Reynolds, of Kearney. Jim was preceded in death by his Parents and Sister, Patsy Gentry

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“ *James T Gentry*

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