

Francis Edward Langley, age 94, of Sheyenne, ND, passed away Wednesday, January 17, 2018, peacefully in his sleep at the Lutheran Home of the Good Shepherd in New Rockford.

Frank was born on September 22, 1923, the son of James Edward Langley and Olga Hulda (Lange) Langley. He enlisted in the Army on April 9, 1946, in Fort Snelling MN.



Frank was united in marriage to Lois Marie Jacobson on June 10, 1950, in Warwick Lutheran Church, Warwick. His lifelong passion was for raising horned Hereford cattle - which he carried on from a tradition started in Olpe, Kansas by his grandfather. His favorite advice for cross breeding was to "cross a good Hereford cow with a better Hereford bull."

Frank earned his private pilot's license in 1945. In 1966, his brother-in-law, Reese Cudworth, flew him down to Nebraska where Frank purchased a Piper Cub and flew it home. Frank loved to fly and to give airplane rides to his family, friends and neighbors.

His many interests included ranching, farming, owning John Deere tractors, collecting pocket watches, playing Pinochle and visiting a good pawn shop. Frank loved visiting with family and neighbors. He had a great sense of humor and always enjoyed a good joke. He loved to travel - often bringing his Mother along on family trips. Some included visits to aunts, uncles and cousins in Kansas.

Frank enjoyed relatively good physical and mental health throughout his life. On his 94th birthday he took his Honda 4-wheeler out to check cattle - one of the many things he enjoyed doing - and ended up stuck.

He was a member of the Warwick Lutheran Church, served on the Community Credit Union Board, and was a member of the Civil Air Patrol. In 2003 Frank was awarded the North Dakota Hereford Association's Commercial Man of the Year. In 2004 Frank earned the Eddy County Soil Conservation Award.

He is survived by his wife - Lois (Jacobson) Langley; four children - Cathy (Isadore) Nagel, Richard Langley, Jean (Kenneth) Hanson, and Roger (Diane Carlson) Langley; 13 grandchildren - Kelly (Mark) Vanderhoff, Chad Nagel, Denise (Mark) Husby, Jill (Jon) Taylor, Paul (Laura Meitner) Nagel, Alan Nagel, Jessica Hanson, Cyndi Hanson, Matt (Amanda Day) Hanson, Justin Langley, Jared (Laura Powers) Langley, Josh (Trista Anderson) Langley and Jacob Langley; and ten great-grandchildren - Chase Nagel, Hayleigh and Tanner Husby, Donovan and Oliver Taylor, Piper Nagel, Cooper and Brooklyn Hanson, and Lincoln and Lennix Langley.

He is preceded in death by his parents and his five siblings and their spouses, Ruth (Reese) Cudworth, James (Ester Wood) Langley, Laura (Bill) Cudworth, Beatrice (Jack) Cudworth, and Byron (Deloris Forde) Langley.

## *In Loving Memory of*



*Frank Langley*

*September 22, 1923 – January 17, 2018*



## 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.

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## FUNERAL SERVICE

Tuesday, January 23, 2018 – 1:00PM

Warwick Lutheran Church – Warwick, ND

## OFFICIATING

Rev. Jeff Kapelle

## MUSIC

Betty Ann Bina, pianist

Jared Kolles, soloist

*Country Road & On Eagles Wings*

## Congregational Hymns

*How Great Thou Art & Jesus Loves Me*

## CASKET BEARERS

Chad Nagel

Paul Nagel

Alan Nagel

Matt Hanson

Justin Langley

Jared Langley

Josh Langley

Jacob Langley

## BURIAL

Warwick Cemetery – Warwick, ND

Arrangements By

Evans Funeral Home – New Rockford & Carrington, ND

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