

Robert Benton, 56, Minot, ND, passed away Friday, May 9, 2008, in a Minot hospital.

Robert Francis Benton was born April 9, 1952, the son of John and Elaine (Oothoudt) Benton in Minot, ND. He was raised and educated in Minot.

Rob was a self-employed carpenter and handyman. He was a soft-hearted man who enjoyed country music, cooking, and most of all tinkering in his workshop. He will be sincerely missed.

Surviving family includes: sisters, Rebecca (Roger) Luck, Minot, ND, Debi Benton, Wilmington, DE; brother-in-law, George Gladysz, New York, many nieces and nephews; his loving partner, Sherri Presscot, Minot; and many many loving friends.

Robert was preceded in death by his parents, older brother Jack, and infant brother Gary.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred to Bread of Life Lutheran Church.