

Footprints

One night I had a dream. I was walking along the beach with the Lord, and across the skies flashed scenes from my life. In each scene I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand. One was mine, and one was the Lord's.

When the last scene of my life appeared before me, I looked back at the footprints in the sand, and to my surprise I noticed that many times along the path of my life there was only one set of footprints. And I noticed that it was at the lowest and saddest times in my life.

I asked the Lord about it. "Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you, you would walk with me all the way. But I notice that during the most troublesome times in my life there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why you left my side when I needed you most."

The Lord replied, "My precious child, I love you and would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, where you see only one set of footprints, I was carrying you."

Thompson-Larson Funeral Home, Minot

Frederick S. Wilson

June 18, 1936, Pittsburgh, PA

September 6, 2007, Minot, ND

Funeral Service

Wednesday, September 12, 2007, 1 p.m.

St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Minot

Officiant

Rev. Carlyle Roth

Music

Processional hymn "Beautiful Savior"

Leo and Jean Zorn girls to offer:

"Amazing Grace" and "He Touched Me"

Recessional hymn "Lift High The Cross"

Sue Bethke, organist

Honorary Bearers

Jimmie Jones, Lori Jones, Bill Cresap, Monica Cresap, the Dakota Square coffee group along with Frederick's family and friends

Active Bearers

Gary Zorn

David Bullinger

Jeff Bierman

Tim Bullinger

Dan Bullinger

Bruce Bierman

Kevin Bierman

Final Resting Place

Rosehill Memorial Park, Minot

Military Honors accorded by the Minot American Legion.

Those wishing to attend the graveside service are asked to drive with both headlights and hazard lights ON. Once at the cemetery, double park and follow the family graveside for final prayers.

Immediately following the graveside service there will be a time of fellowship in the lower level of the church.

The Wilson family would like to thank everyone for the many acts of kindness shown to them during this difficult time. Your thoughts and prayers are greatly appreciated and will never be forgotten. May God bless the memory of Frederick.