

Wallace was born on September 25, 1932, a son of Arthur and Celina (St. Croix) Holter on the rural family home near Norma, ND. At a young age he moved with his family to Clifford and Galesburg, ND before returning to Norma, where he was a member of the only graduating class in 1950. During his time in Norma, Wallace worked on the Reischke family farm and Tolley grain elevator as a young man.

In 1952, he enlisted into the US Air Force, proudly serving his country at Laredo, TX. He was honorably discharged in 1956.

Wallace started working at Bridgeman Creamery in 1956 where he met the love of his life Gladys Clementich. In his 40 year career at Bridgeman he worked on the loading dock and moved up to Production Manager until his retirement in 1996. On March 15, 1957, Wallace was united in marriage to Gladys at Immanuel Baptist Church, Minot. The couple made their home in Minot. Wallace graduated from Minot State College in 1971. Wallace continued to live in Minot in the family home they shared for 49 years after Gladys death on August 31, 2005.

Wallace was the type of man who would always put everyone else's needs above his own. He had a very special bond with his wife, children, grandchildren, brothers and sisters. He had many friends and each day mentioned how fortunate he was to have them in his life. He was very active and a member with the Frozen Fingers Festival, Norsk Hostfest, the Ward County Centennial, and the Immanuel Baptist Church. He was also a member of the Moose Lodge and former member of the Sertoma Club. In his spare time his passion and talent for music and dancing touched many lives. He played at the nursing homes, assisted living facilities and numerous special events. He touched many lives with his voice, guitar, generosity and love and will be deeply missed by all who shared his life.

Those who shared his life:

Daughters Celina (Dennis) Nelson, New Town, ND, Barbara (Marlin) Newman, Burlington, ND; sons: Wallace Holter Jr., Daniel (Paige) Holter and Russell Holter, all of Minot; grandchildren: Amanda (Mike) Farrugia, Little Rock, AR, Cole Holter and Corbyn Holter, Minot; brothers: Odean (Ann) Holter, Bismarck, ND, Glen (Phyllis) Holter, Minot, Sidney (Joyce) Holter, El Sabrante, CA, Delvin (Diane) Holter, Pineville, OR; sisters: Vivian Solberg, Hinckley, MN, Joy (Harold) Storseth, OceanSide, CA; Numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews and cousins also survive.

Wallace was preceded in death by his wife Gladys, parents Arthur and Celina, brother Donovan, sister Sidona Ryan, several aunts, uncles, cousins and a small number of nieces and nephews.