

Prosper Michael Harriet

BUFFALO — Mass of Christian Burial for Buffalo resident Prosper Michael Harriet, 70, will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. John's Catholic Church in Buffalo by Fr. Charles Taylor. Burial will be in Willow Grove Cemetery, with military graveside rites by the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m. today.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. today at Adams Funeral Home in Buffalo.

He died April 15, 2002, at St. Vincent's Medical Center in Billings, Mont., following a brief illness.

He was born Aug. 9, 1931, in Buffalo, the son of Simon and Catherine Harriet; was raised and educated in Buffalo; and graduated in 1952 from Johnson County High School. He received a full-ride athletic scholarship to the University of Wyoming to play football.

On Oct. 4, 1952, he married Theo Morehouse in Buffalo and they made their home there.

In 1952, he joined the U.S. Army and served in California. After his military discharge, he returned home and started working on the family ranch with his father and brothers.

Over the years, the couple owned the Sinclair station, 21 Club and Zorzko Club.

A member of the Wyoming Wool Growers and Cattlemen's associations and Elks and Eagles lodges, he was past president of the Independent Stockgrowers Association and a member of the Knights of Columbus.

He was proud of his Basque heritage.

Survivors include his son, Mike Harriet of Buffalo; daughter, Nikki Lohse, and her husband of Buffalo; brother, Martin Harriet of Mesquite, Nev.; and three grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife; and a brother, Jean.

Memorials may be made to Susie Bowling Lawrence Hospice, in care of Adams Funeral Home, 351 N. Adams Ave., Buffalo 82804.

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