### **CECIL REISNER**

With sadness, we wish to share the passing of our father, grandfather, and great-grandfather Cecil Reisner on Sunday, Oct 23, 2022. Cecil was born Feb 12, 1931, to Adolphe and Mary Reisner of Limerick, their third child. He was predeceased by his wife Margaret in 2019, his sister Dorothy in 2018, his son-in-law Brent Moulding in 2018, and his brother Melvin in 1943. Cecil is survived by his children Gail Mergen (Dale), Barry Reisner (Karen), Debra Reisner, and Janice Petrich (Harold); his grandchildren Russell, Rodney, Tanya, Janelle, Stefanie, Alanna, Erin, Lisa, Ryan, Laura and Janine; his great-grandchildren Tristan, Sadie, Noah, Shaylee, Charlotte, Graham, Olivia, Josslyn, Linden, Heather, Hazel, Margot and Arlo Cecil.

Cecil lived his life on the family farm near Limerick, SK. The farm was homesteaded by his grandfather August Reisner in 1908. Cecil farmed from a young age until his declining health required him to step away from active farm work. He was a progressive farmer, and enjoyed seeing agriculture advance during his career. When he started farming, tractors had steel wheels but no cabs, and grain was shovelled both into and out of wooden grain bins. Cecil saw many changes over his decades of farming and was one of the first to embrace zero tillage and continuous cropping. He established a certified seed growing business in 1970, and enjoyed personal contact with his customers.

Family was of huge importance throughout his life. Margie and Cecil enjoyed farm life together for 67 years. Cecil operated equipment and Margie provided lots of meals and snacks. He instilled values of honesty, generosity, fairness and the belief that all are worthy of respect. Margie and Cecil always welcomed extended family, and particularly enjoyed visits from grandchildren, especially the babies. We celebrate his long fulfilling life.

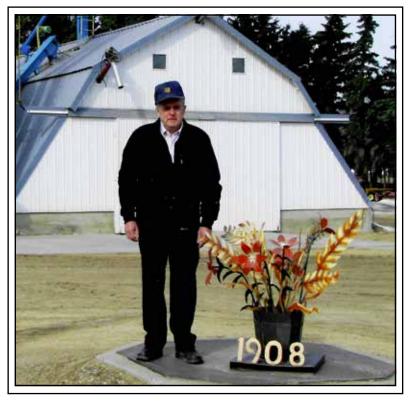


Cecil is survived by his loving family daughter Gail (Dale) Mergen granddaughter Janelle Mergen (Neil) great grandson Graham granddaughter Stefanie Mergen (Bruce) great grandson Tristan granddaughter Alanna (Willem) de Jong great granddaughters Hazel and Margot son Barry (Karen) Reisner grandson Russell grandson Rodney greatgrandchildren Sadie and Noah granddaughter Tanya Reisner (Justin) great granddaughters Olivia and Josslyn daughter Debra Reisner granddaughter Erin (Kyle) Moulding great grandchildren Linden and Heather granddaughter Lisa Moulding (Edward) great grandson Arlo Cecil daughter Janice (Harold) Petrich grandson Ryan Petrich granddaughter Laura Petrich great granddaughters Shaylee and Charlotte granddaughter Janine Petrich nieces, nephews and their families

Piche-Hawkins-Grondin Funeral Chapels Assiniboia & Gravelbourg



# **Cecil Reisner**



1931 Model

## *In Loving Memory of* Cecil Howard Carson Reisner

**Born** February 12, 1931 NW 14-8-3 W3 Limerick, Saskatchewan

Passed Away

October 23, 2022 Assiniboia, Saskatchewan

#### **Funeral Service**

Saturday, October 29, 2022, 3:00 pm Trinity United Church Limerick, Saskatchewan

#### Officiant

Rev. Janelle Shaw

### Tribute

Barry Reisner and Gail Mergen

#### Readers Janice Petrich and Russell Reisne

Music

Erin Moulding and Sherry Sproule

#### Pallbearers

Layne Headrick, Nevin Johnson, Kaiden Silzer, Shane Auser, Patrick Cobbe, Jeff Bushell

### Interment

Hillcrest Cemetery Limerick, Saskatchewan

### **Memorial Donations**

Trinity United Church

**Appreciation**The family gratefully acknowledges the excellent care by staff at Prairie Villa, Ross Payant Nursing Home and Dr. V. Carulei.