

Theoroy was a humble, selfless, kind man. A devoted family man, deeply loved and respected father and absolutely adored grandfather. He was born to Amanda (nee Youngberg) and John Thuen in Bengough, SK on May 18, 1919. He grew up on the family farm at Harptree, SK and attended Muddy View School. He was an avid reader and enjoyed learning, especially history. Theoroy went on to complete Grades ten and eleven by correspondence. He was always eager to learn new things even in his elderly years. He started farming with his father and brother Leslie while still attending school. He enjoyed ranching, working the land, and riding horses, and in his later years, he used his "Red Quad" in the pastures. On March 4, 1953, he married Shirley Schwindt, they later separated. They had five children. He built a new house, barns, and established a farm on SE 28-04-26 W2nd in the mid 1950s. When Theoroy's sons were old enough, they joined him and uncle Les. He was the first OCIA certified organic farmer in the district, farming organically for over thirty years. He was the first and longest grower of Kamut in the area. One year he was awarded, by the Certification Inspector, "The Fastest Driver on Crop Inspection". Theoroy said his "crops looked better that way". Theoroy had adventures and misadventures, but through it all, he kept his wit and enjoyed life. He had a strong love for his Creator, Jehovah. Some of his greatest enjoyments were attending all the grandchildren's functions, checking cattle in the pastures, the smell of the fresh earth in the springtime, ripened grain at harvest, a warm beer, whiskey with a little water, peppermints, and lots of chocolate. But most of all, he loved his time with his family. Theoroy's eyes would get an extra twinkle when they walked in the room. He died as he lived, with incredible dignity and grace surrounded by love.

*Piche-Hawkins-Grondin Funeral Chapels  
Assiniboia & Gravelbourg*

## *In Loving Memory Theoroy Thuen*



*...and God himself will be with them;  
And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes,  
and death will be no more, neither mourning,  
nor outcry, nor pain be anymore.  
The former things have passed away.*

*Revelation 21:3,4*



Theoroy is survived by his loving family  
daughter **Deborah** Thuen  
son **Nathan** Thuen  
daughter **Ione** Peterson (Jerry)  
grandson Terrence  
great-grandchildren Shaelyn, Chloe, Maverick  
grandchildren Tarissa, Mikaela  
son **Stacy** Thuen (Lesa)  
grandson Jennings (Claire),  
great-grandchildren Chloe, Oscar  
grandchildren Jesse, Caili

Predeceased by his infant daughter Mary Anne Thuen (Mar. 31, 1957)  
father John Thuen (Oct. 28, 1968)  
mother Amanda Thuen (nee Youngberg, Mar. 25, 1984)  
brother Leslie Thuen (Aug. 26, 2002)  
mother of his children, Shirley Thuen (nee Schwindt, May 13, 2014)

## *In Loving Memory of Theoroy Jennings Thuen*

### **Born**

May 18, 1919  
Bengough, Saskatchewan

### **Passed Away**

January 22, 2020  
Bengough, Saskatchewan  
at the age of 100 years

### **Celebration of Life**

Sunday, February 2, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.  
Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses  
Bengough, Saskatchewan

### **Speaker**

Marco De Michele

### **Eulogist**

Rick Rosvold

### **Honourary Urn Bearers**

Theoroy's Grandchildren

### **Family Interment**

At a later date

### **Appreciation**

*The family wishes to express their deepest thanks for your many expressions of kindness. Following the funeral you are invited to join the family for lunch and fellowship at the Bengough Community Centre.*