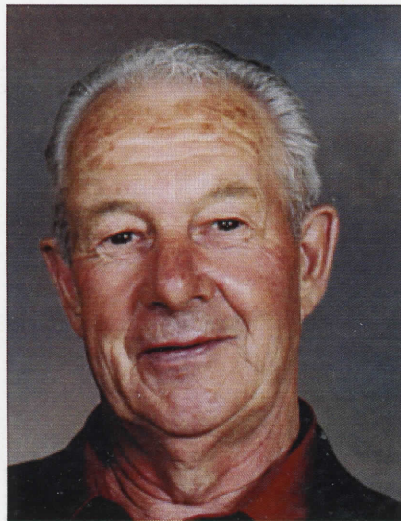


*On behalf of Joe, thank
you for being with us
today and for your
friendship through
the years.*

Memories last forever...



*In Loving Memory
of*



Joe Close

*Passed away at home in Capreol on April 25, 2016
at the age of 84 years.*



The Oak Tree

A mighty wind blew night and day
It stole the oak tree's leaves away
But still the oak tree held its ground
While other trees fell all around
The oak tree said
"I know that you
Can break each branch of mine in two
But I have roots stretched in the earth
Growing stronger since my birth
Until today I wasn't sure
Of just how much I could endure
But now I found with thanks to you
I'm stronger than I ever knew"

Adapted from "The Mighty Oak Tree"
by Johnny Ray Ryder, Jr.