



Francis X. Chosa, 49, of

Vermilion-Tower, passed away unexpectedly of natural causes at Tower on Saturday, July 27, 2013. He was born on February 12, 1964, at Virginia, MN, the son of Vincent Chosa Sr. and Ruth Geshick. He grew up in Vermilion-Tower and attended school in Tower. He moved to St. Paul where he was employed at Tempco Manufacturing Co. for a time. He returned to Tower in 1988, where he has since resided. Francis enjoyed Pow-Wows, reading, biking, ricing, and visiting with friends. He dearly loved his nieces, nephews, grand nieces and grand nephews, and treasured the times spent with them. His passion was cribbage. He will be missed by family and friends. He is preceded in death by his parents, Vincent "Buckshot" Chosa and Ruth Geshick; 1 brother, Vincent "Buzzy" Chosa Jr. and one aunt, Bernice Arbuckle. He is survived by 7 sisters, Rachel Schmidt and Naomi Geshick, both in Wisconsin, Karen Schmidt of White Earth, MN, Vincette Maurus of Hanover, MN, Bernice Smith of Mpls., Cheryl Krotzer in South Dakota and Aura Chosa in Virginia; 1 brother, Leo Chosa in CA; his stepfather, Joe Bohlin of Angora; along with numerous nieces, nephews, grand nieces and grand nephews, cousins, and friends.

SERVICES: A time of gathering for family and friends will be from 5:30 to 7:30 PM Friday (August 2nd) at Mlaker Funeral Home in Cook. Interment will be in the Alango Township Cemetery.