



Wallace A. Osmon, 89, passed away May 17, 2010 in Bozeman, Montana. He was born June 3, 1920 in Hillsboro, North Dakota, the son of Albert and Hannah (Hanson) Osmon. His father was a long-time sheriff of Traill County.

Wallace graduated from Hillsboro High School in 1939. He attended Jamestown College from 1939 to 1943. He was active in student affairs and athletics. He graduated from Mayville State University in March of 1945. He received an MA degree from the University of Northern Colorado. He received his degree in guidance counseling from the University of North Dakota in 1963.

Wallace taught and worked as a guidance counselor until he retired after forty years as an educator. He belonged to various civic and educational organizations in North Dakota. Wallace married Helen Norgaard in Lakota, North Dakota, on December 22, 1944. They had two daughters. Wallace and Helen have resided in Bozeman since 1999. They attended Hope Lutheran Church, and were active with the Montana State University Track and Field.

He is survived by his wife, Helen, of sixty-five years; daughters, Susan McConnell of Bozeman; B. J. (Chris) Manos of Helena, MT; one brother, Lyle Osmon of Walnut Creek, CA; and two grandchildren, Monica Veirs of Durham, NC, and Kelly Manos of Helena, MT.

Memorial Services will be held at 4 p.m. Friday, May 28 at Dokken-Nelson Sunset Chapel in Bozeman.