SCHEFFER, CORNELUS (CASEY) ARNOLDUS



Casey was born in Njverdal, Holland on March 15, 1921. He moved to Kimberley, B.C. in 1952. When Casey was in Holland he delivered bread for his parents by bicycle and he would wear an extra set of clothes while delivering out in the countryside. He would watch for pilots who had been shot down and parachuted out of their aircraft. He would give them the extra clothes he was wearing and hide their uniform and parachute, then take the airmen back home until they found a way to get them out safely. Casey and his wife Toni met in Kimberley where they married and had four children, Pieter, Andy, Arnold, and Jami. Casey passed away in 2003.

