

Arvin P Bakke



Arvin Peter Bakke, known as Pete was drafted into the US Army After completing basic and advanced training, the Army offered him an early out. This was when the Army was downsizing in the 1950s. I remember he did not let his family know he was getting out and just showed up at our farm. My mother almost had a heart attack when she saw him. Because he served honorably, Pete was eligible for VA benefits and was a Veteran, as shown on his grave marker below. Pete was buried at the Bethesda Cemetery, in Marsh Gove Township, near Newfolden, MN.

