



## Joseph F. "Choffy" Malesich

January 25, 1935 - December 12, 2016

Mr. Joseph F. "Choffy" Malesich passed away Monday evening at the Crest Nursing Home. He was born in Dillon, Montana, January 25, 1935 to Joseph and Emma H. (Stefanatz) Malesich. He was raised in Butte and attended the Franklin School.

Choffy was the delivery boy for Cesarini Grocery in McQueen and also worked in the Meat Department at Safeway.

Choffy and Linda Leonard were good friend and rode bike together all over town. They also attended worship services together at Journey Assembly of God Church. He has lived at the Crest since 2004 and was Resident of the Month in April of 2011. Joe was a regular rider of the city buses and the drivers knew him well. Choffy love animals and always made sure the birds around the Crest were fed each day. You hardly ever found Choffy without his radio in his hand and if he wasn't out on his bus ride he was sitting outside with his radio watching the birds and cars go by. He is preceded in death by his brother Bill Malesich and sister-in-law Carol Malesich. He is survived by his brothers, Tom Malesich and Fred Malesich both of Butte and sister-in-law, Lavena Malesich. Also surviving are his nieces and nephews as well as several great nieces and nephews.

# Cemetery Details

## Mountain View Cemetery

3910 Harrison Avenue  
Butte, MT 59701

# Previous Events

## Service

DEC 20. 1:00 PM (MT)

Journey Assembly of God Church  
2081 Florence Avenue  
Butte, MT 59701

# Tribute Wall



“ *With all our love and prayers . The Frank Bolton family.*

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