



Kermit and Glenna Garske Endowment

Kermit and Glenna Garske are deeply rooted in the greater Lake Region community. Their farming operation included property that was homesteaded in 1882 by Kermit's grandparents.

Kermit took over his parents' farming operation in 1958 and continued the successful enterprise until retiring in 2004.

Glenna spent much of her childhood in Stephen, Minnesota, but graduated from Grafton, North Dakota, High School. After the necessary training, she launched a career as a beautician in Devils Lake and later in her studio on the farm.

For many years, Kermit and Glenna participated in the production education services (Farm Management Program) offered by Lake Region State College. When they retired from farming, they searched for a way to give back to the community and established an endowment with the Community College Foundation.

They request that the funds be used to support an annual production agriculture seminar or to assist young farmers to access educational services designed to help them succeed. ✦