



Glenn Franklin Barth

October 29, 1936 - June 20, 2019

Memorials to Bethany Lutheran Church

Glenn Franklin Barth was born October 29, 1936 on the family farm near Rushville, Nebraska to Henry and Iva (Lawrence) Barth. Glenn grew up on the farm, attending a one-room elementary school and graduating from Rushville High School in 1953. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Rushville. As a young boy, Glenn helped out on the family farm and was involved in 4-H and FFA. He attended Western Community College in Scottsbluff for 2 years before going on to receive his bachelor's degree in vocational agriculture from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1958. Glenn married Phyllis Nelson on June 13, 1959 at First Lutheran Church in Oakland, Nebraska. Glenn served as a medic in the United States Army at Walter Reed in Washington D.C. Glenn and Phyllis settled in Elkhorn in June of 1961 where Glenn began teaching at Elkhorn High School. When the Berlin Wall was erected, Glenn was called back into service in October 1961 and was stationed in Fort Carson, Colorado. After his time in the army, Glenn returned to teaching in Elkhorn. In 1963, he began working as production manager at Robinson Seed Company, where he would work for nearly 40 years. He was an amazing dad to their four children: Brenda, Timothy, Thomas, and Gail. While his children were growing up, Glenn was supportive of all their activities and was involved with 4-H and taught Sunday school. Glenn was immensely proud of his children; all four went onto higher education, with one earning an MD degree, one earning a PhD and two earning their Masters degrees. Glenn was also involved with the Douglas County Extension Council, judged national FFA contests, and served as church council president and usher at Bethany Lutheran Church. In his free time, Glenn enjoyed bowling, gardening, genealogy, and woodworking. After retiring, Glenn and Phyllis enjoyed traveling to all 50 states, Canada, Mexico, Scandinavia, and the Caribbean. He enjoyed a big slice of pie and could often be found cheering on his Huskers, especially volleyball and football. He will be remembered for all of his furniture and wood art crafted out of love. Glenn was an easy going man with a heart of gold and will be missed by all who knew him.

Glenn passed away at Methodist Hospital in Omaha, Nebraska on June 20, 2019 at the

age of 82 years, 7 months, and 23 days. He was preceded in death by his parents Henry and Iva Barth; his sisters Vernetta, Viola, and Jane; and his brothers Lyle and Lloyd. He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Phyllis; sons Dr. Timothy (Susan) of Titusville, FL and Thomas (Jeanette) of Fairfield, OH; daughters Dr. Brenda (Dr. Robert) Roman of Middletown, OH and Gail Barth of Fremont, NE; grandchildren Scott (Eliza) Roman, Lance Roman, Nicolas Barth, Moreya Barth, Rachel Barth and Megan Barth.

Cemetery

Oakland Cemetery

498 S Charde Avenue
Oakland, NE, 68045

Events

JUN **Visitation** 05:00PM - 08:00PM

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Bethany Lutheran Church
4200 N 204th Street, Elkhorn, NE, US, 68022

JUN **Funeral Service** 11:00AM

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Comments



“ An external video has been added.



Reichmuth Funeral Home - June 25, 2019 at 02:17 PM



“ To the Barth family our thoughts and prayers are with you. Glenn was an amazing man. I will always remember him when I look at the beautiful carving that he gave us. Sometimes he was a man of few words, but he was always thinking. I see him with that slight tilt of the head and half smile depending upon the topic of conversation...I will remember him from the Nelson gatherings, and at Pete and Amy's, and the parks and halls during family gatherings. I know he will be missed by all of you. Hugs to you all.

Mary Johnson



Mary Johnson - June 26, 2019 at 12:01 AM



“ I need to edit my memory..I meant to say George and Amy..not Pete and Amy..my apologies

Mary Johnson - June 26, 2019 at 10:33 PM



“ David, Paula, Jared and Austin Mills purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



David, Paula, Jared and Austin Mills - June 25, 2019 at 01:08 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you, he was a very kind friendly neighbor and his big smile and friendly wave will be missed.
Jim and Cathy Johnson

Cathy Johnson - June 25, 2019 at 12:38 PM



“ Wolf family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



Wolf family - June 25, 2019 at 12:18 PM



“ NESC Integration Office purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



NESC Integration Office - June 25, 2019 at 10:43 AM



“ Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



June 24, 2019 at 11:53 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



June 24, 2019 at 08:24 PM



“ Howard, Carol and family purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



Howard, Carol and family - June 24, 2019 at 04:23 PM



“ Karl and Cindy Diekevers purchased the Summer's Light Bouquet for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



Karl and Cindy Diekevers - June 24, 2019 at 04:03 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



June 24, 2019 at 12:10 PM



“ Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



June 24, 2019 at 10:45 AM



“ Brenda and her family have been a significant part of our lives throughout their years in Middletown, Ohio. We always enjoyed the times that her father and mother, as well as her siblings joined us in celebrations at her family's Ohio home. We understand the challenges faced when one of your parents dies. We want to offer these thoughts and hope they are comforting.

Reflecting upon the death of a parent can generate a sweet sadness. There continue to be poignant moments in our lives when we wish our parent was there to share that moment; or, we see an object that reminds us of him and it brings a smile.

Among the greatest gifts that we received from our parents were their unconditional love for us and the commendable values they instilled in us. Consequently, with those values that they lived by, demonstrated daily, and passed on to all their children, their spirits shine through us as long as we live.

With those thoughts in mind, we shed a tear for grief while we rejoice in your father's journey to our Father in heaven.

Peace be with you now and always.
With our heartfelt love and deepest sympathy,
Barb and Lan Weinrich

Barbara and Lancer Weinrich - June 23, 2019 at 10:30 PM



“ Phyllis and family, Our deepest sympathy to all of you. Glen was a long time friend of the Moore Family. He spent many summers in our cornfields checking the corn and making sure the corn was doing what it was supposed to do. He was one of the best.
Moore Farms
Larry and Janice
John and Angie
Mike
Max
God bless you all and keep you safe.

Janice Moore - June 23, 2019 at 08:35 PM



“ Gary L. LeRoy and family - Dayton, OH purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



Gary L. LeRoy and family - Dayton, OH - June 23, 2019 at 08:34 PM



“ I'm sitting here this morning looking at some beautiful and intricate wall sconces Glenn made and we were lucky enough to have received. I always think of him at Christmas when I put out the angel holding a candle that was his handiwork also. Our hearts go out to you all and wish we could be there to give everyone a hug and hear more wonderful stories about this honest, hardworking, generous and loving husband, father and grandfather. We will miss him but his memory will live on forever in all the wonderful things he did and his loving and beautiful family. Sending comforting thoughts and prayers to all. Love Don and Marlene.

Marlene Consiglio - June 23, 2019 at 11:14 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Glenn Franklin Barth.



June 22, 2019 at 03:05 PM