



Douglas Carl Buszkohl

January 12, 1942 - July 5, 2017

Douglas Carl Buszkohl, formerly of Norfolk, NE, passed away on July 5, 2017 in Elkhorn, NE. Doug was born on January 12, 1942 in Norfolk, NE to Carl and Clara (Fisher) Buszkohl. He has two surviving siblings, Doyle Buszkohl and Beverly Perkins Bobb also of Norfolk.

He graduated from Norfolk High School in 1960 and then went on to attend and earn his business degree from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1964. As a very active college student, he was the president of the ATO fraternity and leader of the UNL Yell Squad.

Doug married his high school sweetheart, Sherianne (Klawonn) Buszkohl, June 14, 1964 in Norfolk, NE.

He was a strong community leader where he was a president of Lion's Club, served on the Norfolk School Board, and contributed to many other organizations.

A successful businessman, Doug spent many of his years involved with Dairy Queen, Valentino's, and Superior Car Wash in Lincoln, NE.

He enjoyed the outdoors and was an avid fisherman, hunter, and Corn husker Football fan. He made friends wherever he went and could always tell a story. He loved spending time at his grandchildren's activities.

Cherishing his memory is his wife Sherry, daughters: (Melissa) and husband Jeff Rafferty, (Kristin) and husband Eric Piatkowski, and (Allison) and husband Dan Allison, and seven grandchildren: Riley and Callie Rafferty, Paige, Jace, and Paisley Piatkowski, and Ashton and Braxton Allison.

Proceeding him in death was his mother Clara Buszkohl, his father Carl Buszkohl, and his infant daughter Tiffany Lynn Buszkohl.

A celebration of life will be held at St. Andrew's Methodist Church in Omaha, NE at 10:30 A.M. on July 10, 2017. Lunch will follow. In lieu of flowers, family requests memorials to Norfolk Family YMCA Addition.

Tribute Wall



“ *Douglas Carl Buszkohl*

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ *Sheri and Family*

My sincere condolences on the loss of your husband, father and grandfather.

I always enjoyed the conversations that Doug and I had and he taught me quite a bit about the food service industry. Doug always talked about his grandchildren and attending their sporting events. My sympathy goes out to his family.

He will be missed by all.

Jim Mangels - July 10, 2017 at 11:25 AM



“ *Dear Sherry and Family,*

We are so sorry to hear the news about Doug. Please know you all are in our thoughts and prayers.

*Sincerely,
Norfolk Senior High Class of '59*

Norfolk Senior High Class of '59 - July 09, 2017 at 06:17 PM

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“ *Dear Sherry and Family
We are saddened to hear the news about Doug.
All three of my daughters worked for him at the DQ. Please know
you are all in our thoughts & prayers.*

Don & Betty (Barneke) Dammast

Betty Dammast - July 09, 2017 at 06:07 PM

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“ *We extend our sympathy to the Buszkohl family. Doug was a great
supporter of athletics at Norfolk Senior High and Northeast
Community College. He provided employment opportunities for
numerous younger individuals while taking into consideration their
activity demands.*

Joyce and Marlin Sekutera - July 07, 2017 at 01:22 PM

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“ *Dear Sherry and family,
We are so sorry to hear the sad news of Doug's passing. You are in
our prayers. May God bless you and give you comfort.
Love, Paulette and Bud*

Paulette and Bud Vitello - July 07, 2017 at 01:34 AM

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“ *Deepest sympathy to the Buszkohl family. Doug was a fantastic
person with a generous, caring heart. I remember many
conversations with him discussing life, family, and sports. He loved
his family and was so proud of his grandchildren. We will be praying
for all during this difficult time.*

Ben and Amy Ries - July 06, 2017 at 10:46 PM