



Dwayne William Armbrust

January 9, 1931 - May 24, 2020

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Dwayne William Armbrust, Lifelong Farmer. Descendent of Pioneer Douglas County farmers. Dwayne was born January 9, 1931 in the farmhouse on his parents' farm at 100th & F Streets, near Millard. He was the son of William G. and Alvina (Neuhaus) Armbrust. He attended Oakdale country school and graduated in 1948 from Central High School in Omaha.

He met his future wife, Nancy A. Pedersen, in Confirmation class at Immanuel Lutheran Church, Benson, NE. Luther League and church choir practice brought them together as a dating couple. They married on December 9, 1951. Dwayne & Nancy were blessed with 4 children: Sandra, Laura, William and Diana. They rented the Wally Sump farm and homeplace at 118th & I Streets the first years of marriage. In 1957, they moved to the farm they bought north of Elkhorn at 216th & State St where they milked cows, farmed, and raised their 4 children.

Dwayne, Nancy and the kids kept busy with farming, church activities at Bethany Lutheran, 4-H, VE Grange, and his large extended family of aunts, uncles and cousins. They enjoyed Steak Fries, Pinochle, ballroom and polka dances, fishing and extensive traveling around the country and around the world. Dwayne enjoyed bowling with his farmer/dairymen friends for more than 40 years. And he served on the school board of the local country school,

District #41. In later years, Dwayne & Nancy enjoyed attending their grandchildren's various events. Dwayne loved his family, loved his church and loved his farm.

Dwayne was able to live in his farm home until February 2020, when he moved to Papillion Manor to be near his beloved wife of 68 years, Nancy. He passed away May 24, 2020 of natural causes at Papillion Manor, Papillion, NE.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his 2 brothers, Willis and Frederick.

Survivors include his loving wife of sixty-eight years, Nancy; children: Sandy (Cal) Brummund, Elkhorn, NE, Laura (Dave) White, Walton, NE, Bill (Diane) Armbrust, Elkhorn, NE, and Diana (Steve) Lucas, Elkhorn, NE; 11 grandchildren: Rebecca Brummund (Mike) Block, Craig (Dana) Brummund, Michaela White (Wes) Ochs, Sean (Heather) White, Trevor White, Mindy Lucas (Jon) Myer, Tom (April) Lucas, Kelly Lucas Royer, Ryan (Laura) Armbrust, MAJ Erik (Dzenana) Armbrust, and Dain Armbrust; 12 great-grandchildren: Emercyn & Bauer Block, Kiera & Brynn Brummund, Elizabeth & Whitney White, Henry & Kresten Armbrust, McKenzie, Emma, Kristina & Richard Lucas, and Joseph Royer; and many nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 27. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Reichmuth Funeral Home-Elkhorn
21901 W. Maple Rd.
Elkhorn, NE 68022

Tribute Wall



“ *Reichmuth Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Dwayne William Armbrust*



Reichmuth Funeral Home - May 26, 2020 at 11:12 AM

KW

So blessed to be able to watch this from home. Kathy Wheeler

Kathy Wheeler - May 28, 2020 at 02:09 PM

DE

Thinking of each and every one of you on this tough day. Denise and Byron

Denise - May 28, 2020 at 02:16 PM

CC

So sorry Diana but nice to be with the service

Connie Cotterman - May 28, 2020 at 03:00 PM

PS

*Thank you for letting all of us share in the memories of your husband, father, grandfather, and great grandfather.
Patsy*

Patsy Schmidt - May 28, 2020 at 03:11 PM

BI

What a lovely service. So glad to be able to "be there" in spirit. I loved getting to know Dwayne. I have missed spending time with him and Nancy sooo much. You have a very special family and Dwayne was amazing. My love to you all. Hope to be able to volunteer at Papillion Manor soon. Hugs to all, especially Nancy. Blessings...

Barbara Irvin, Papillion Manor and Kindred Hospice Vounteer

Barbara Irvin - May 28, 2020 at 03:17 PM

TH

Beautiful service and wonderful tribute to a special person and true gentleman. So glad Nancy was able to be there to say good bye. Wish we could have been there and want the family to know we are thinking of and praying for you. Grieve is temporary; salvation is eternal. Stretch and Annelle

Terry & Annelle Hyland - May 28, 2020 at 03:21 PM

NW

That was absolutely the most beautiful funeral I have witnessed. The memories shared were so similar to mine growing up as a German Lutheran Nebraska dairy farm girl. It was easy to see that Dwayne was well-loved by so many. The work is done, the hay is in, may he know rest in God's loving arms. Fondly, Nancy W.

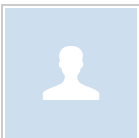
Nancy Wilson - June 01, 2020 at 12:44 PM



“ *Jen Shaw lit a candle in memory of Dwayne William Armbrust*



Jen Shaw - November 01, 2023 at 08:58 PM



“ *Dwayne William Armbrust*

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM

JR

“ *What a thoughtful service for Dwayne! Reliving all the memories was bittersweet, they certainly reminded us of some of the best parts of growing up Elkhorn. With love, Joannie {{Hugs}}*

Joan Rohwer Roehrs - May 29, 2020 at 10:48 AM

NB

“ *Bill and family: I am so sorry I did not have the opportunity to meet your Dad. I had hoped the "compassionate visit allowance" would have included me. I was happy you and the family, including your Mother were able to spend time with him. Please know that I am praying for all of you (especially Nancy). Chaplain Bud; Endless Journey Hospice.*

Norbert Bunn - May 28, 2020 at 12:13 PM

HH

“ *Nancy & Family! It is with great sadness that I saw in the OWH the passing of Dewayne. He was a fine man and I am a better person for having the opportunity to work with both him and you on the planning, designing and building of your home. Together we had the rare opportunity and honor of working together in making that a very special project. I remember fondly our trip to check out the wood burning furnace that we installed to heat your home. I believe we had a flat tire on that trip and you two were great sports about the incident. It was always my intention to leave behind a small piece of myself on every project, and yours was no exception—I know you very much appreciated the extra effort we put into your dream home. May peace be with you Nancy and your family. We will keep you in our thoughts and prayers.*

Hague & Marge Howey

Hague Howey - May 27, 2020 at 11:20 PM



“ *Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dwayne William Armbrust.*



May 26, 2020 at 06:16 PM



“ *I love you Grandpa. You will forever be in my heart. Mindy and Jon*

Mindy Myers - May 25, 2020 at 10:55 PM