



Freddie "Cook" Dean Lentz

January 22, 1933 - December 26, 2025

Freddie "Cook" D. Lentz entered into the arms of our Heavenly Father on Dec. 26, 2025.

Proceeded in death by his parents Elmer and Viola Lentz and his daughter Caroline Carritt (Kevin).

Survived by his wife of 65 yrs, Lois; Son Tim (Charyl); grandchildren Timmy, Madison, Caleb, Parker all in Lincoln; Kyle and Jeff in Omaha.

He graduated from Long Pine High School in Long Pine, NE and served 4 years in the US Air Force. Later he earned his bachelor's degree in engineering technology from University of Nebraska at Omaha. He was employed with the Nebraska Dept. of Roads for 50+ years in a variety of positions and was a Plan Reviewer/Engineer since mid-1970s, before retiring at 78 years old.

Cook and Lois exemplified a dedicated commitment to marriage and family. Cook was known for his patience, strong work ethic and sense of humor. To his children/grandchildren, he was not only a hero but the best dad/grandpa, a steady guiding presence, whose legacy of kindness and devotion will be cherished forever.

VISITATION/WAKE:

Friday, Jan. 2, 2026 5-7pm with the Wake service at 7 PM St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 18602 West Maple Road, Elkhorn

FUNERAL MASS:

Saturday, Jan. 3, 2026 11a.m. St Patrick's Catholic Church, 18602 West

Maple Road, Elkhorn

Lunch will follow at the church

BURIAL:

Saturday, Jan 10, 2026 11:30am Grandview Cemetery Long Pine, NE.

Lunch will follow at the Sandhills Lounge Long Pine.

Cemetery Details

Grandview Cemetery

Long Pine, NE

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 2. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Patrick's Catholic Church
18602 W. Maple Street
Elkhorn, NE 68022

Wake Service

JAN 2. 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Patrick's Catholic Church
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Elkhorn, NE 68022

Mass of the Christian Burial

JAN 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Patrick's Catholic Church
18602 W. Maple Street
Elkhorn, NE 68022

A lunch reception will immediately follow the funeral mass

Graveside Service

JAN 10. 11:30 AM.

Grandview Cemetery
Long Pine, NE

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Lois, Tim, Charyl, & Family: My deepest condolences are extended to you all on “Cook’s” passing. My thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time. Karen Kammann



Karen Kammann - December 31, 2025 at 05:27 PM