



Henry Harold Hert Jr

September 3, 1938 - August 7, 2020

Memorials to the Family

Henry Harold Hert, Jr was born on September 3, 1938 in Omaha, Nebraska to Henry and Frances (Citta) Hert. He grew up in Ralston before moving to Gretna. Henry attended Holy Cross Catholic grade school and graduated from Valley High School in 1956. As a young boy, Henry was active in the family farm, played football and began to develop his lifelong ornery streak.

Henry married Virginia Hughes on June 26, 1959 in Omaha and they were blessed with seven children: Cindy, Cheryl, Connie, Henry, Pamela, Walter and David. Henry and Virginia raised their family in Iowa, Holdrege, Gretna and Waterloo. Henry had another child Linda. Henry married Nancy Murnane on September 5, 1992 at their home in Waterloo, Nebraska.

Henry worked at the Swift Packing House, farmed in Iowa and Holdrege, Nebraska, operated Hank's Bar in Waterloo and worked construction for Hawkins Construction in Omaha. He enjoyed the horse races, rebuilding cars, family gatherings, gardening, teasing his grandkids, throw line fishing, crawdad seining and spending time at the Sportsman's Bar. Henry coached his granddaughter's softball teams, enjoyed shopping at Walmart and was a great story teller. He was funny, kind and thoughtful with a mischievous streak.

Henry was an avid Husker fan, had a sweet tooth and enjoyed dinner out at Farmer Brown's.

Henry passed away unexpectedly on Friday, August 7, 2020 at Methodist Women's Hospital in Omaha, Nebraska at the age of 81 years, 11 months and 4 days. He was preceded in death by his parents Henry and Frances, brothers Michael and William, Children Cindy, Pam and Walter, grandchildren T.J. and David and daughter-in-law Lisa. Henry is survived by his wife Nancy; Sons Henry of Waterloo and David of Valley; daughters, Cheryl (Rick) Fiscus of Valley and Linda (Mike) Jones of Minnesota and Connie Willis of Valley; Step-children Keri Mingle and Kevin Woodard both of Waterloo, Nebraska. 18 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren. Siblings Marilyn Hintz of Gretna, Sally Hanson of Fremont, Marge Snell of TX and Sandra Sempek of Gretna. Henry was a father to granddaughter Samantha Davis and grandson Zachary McBride as he and Nancy raised them.

Cemetery Details

Prospect Hill Cemetery

21907 West Maple Road
Elkhorn, NE 68022

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 11. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

St. Patrick's Catholic Church
20405 W. Maple Rd.
Elkhorn, NE 68022

Vigil

AUG 11. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

AUG 12. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Reichmuth Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Henry Harold Hert Jr*



Reichmuth Funeral Home - August 10, 2020 at 03:05 PM



“ *Henry Harold Hert Jr*

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ *Michelle Brazda lit a candle in memory of Henry Harold Hert Jr*



Michelle Brazda - August 12, 2020 at 06:03 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you now and in the days to come Mike and Marylou Finn*

Marylou & Mike - August 12, 2020 at 11:12 AM

JB

“ *Our condolences to the entire family! He will be greatly missed.*

Joy and Erik Baade

JOY BAADE - August 12, 2020 at 09:51 AM

RB

“ *I feel very blessed to have met Henry last year on my quest to meet my father's side of my family. At the same time I met two of his sisters Marilyn and Sally. I was looking forward to another spring vacation to see them all again but the virus intervened. Thank heaven we took pictures. Rest in peace Henry. I sorry I didn't know you many years ago.*

Rosemarie Bradshaw - August 12, 2020 at 07:46 AM

RB

“ *Rosemarie Bradshaw lit a candle in memory of Henry Harold Hert Jr*



Rosemarie Bradshaw - August 12, 2020 at 07:41 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Henry Harold Hert Jr.*



August 11, 2020 at 01:51 PM

SS

“ Sandra K Stepanek purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Henry Harold Hert Jr.



Sandra K Stepanek - August 11, 2020 at 01:15 AM

SS

“ Hank was my father-in-law's(Vic) best friend. Hank used to help him with his farming and come over and tinker in the shed together. It was fun to just listen to the two of them go back and fourth. I also enjoyed listening to him tell stories about him and Vic growing up. Hank was such a sweet guy and we were so lucky to call him our friend. I know Hank and Vic are both hanging out in heaven together.

Marty and Sandy Stepanek

Sandy Stepanek - August 11, 2020 at 12:46 AM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Henry Harold Hert Jr.



August 10, 2020 at 08:38 PM

LM

“ Ken and I spent many happy hours with Henry and Nancy, even helped out at his bar one time. We have very fond memories of attending their wedding and party. Although we live in Connecticut now, Omaha and Waterloo will always call to us. Our sympathies to your family. Linda and Ken Minor

Linda Hohlbaugh Minor - August 10, 2020 at 05:16 PM

FE

“ from all of us at El'bees purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Henry Harold Hert Jr.



from all of us at El'bees - August 10, 2020 at 02:16 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Henry Harold Hert Jr.



August 10, 2020 at 12:09 PM

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“ With deepest sympathy as you share the loss of Henry. Barbara (Hert) Cahow

Barbara (Hert)Cahow - August 10, 2020 at 11:24 AM