



William J Gaukel

August 7, 1936 - May 31, 2019

William J. Gaukel, age 82 of Valley, NE, died on Friday, May 31, 2019 at VA Medical Center in Omaha, NE. He was born the son of William P. and Pearl R. (Blake) Gaukel on August 7, 1936 in Burwell, NE. He graduated from High School and later with a BA in Electronics from Doane College in Crete, NE.

William served his country from April of 1958, until his honorable discharge in February of 1960 in the United States Army. William worked for many years in the Medical Electronic Repair business in the Omaha area. Bill launched Mobile Medical Screening, a mobile X-ray, EKG, and Halter Monitor mobile service in Omaha and Lincoln, which became a huge success. This was one of his proudest achievements in life and is now a nationally accepted medical service. On May 23, 2012, William was united in marriage to Pattanan "Nan" Bumreavong.

He was preceded in death by: his parents; a brother, Harry Gaukel; and sisters, Doris Wilson and Genevieve Udell.

William is survived by: his wife, Nan Gaukel of Valley; daughters, Tami (Tom) Price of Alden, MN, Teresa Watts of Millard, Shari Gaukel-Torrance of Omaha and Calli Rose Pleskac of Holdridge, NE; Seven grandchildren and Three great grandchildren; along with a sister, Dorothy Schneider of Burwell, NE

Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 10, 2019 at 11 am at United Faith Community Church in Valley with Jim Ellison officiating. Burial will be at 2 pm at the Omaha National Cemetery in Omaha with Military Honors given by American Legion Post 374 of Millard. The Reichmuth Funeral Home in Elkhorn is caring for the Gaukel family at this time and memorials can be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital and can be left at or mailed to the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Omaha National Cemetery

14250 Schram Road
Omaha, NE 68138

Previous Events

Funeral Service

JUN 10. 11:00 AM (CT)

United Faith Community Church
218 West Gardiner Street
Valley, NE 68064

Military Honors

JUN 10. 2:00 PM (CT)

Omaha National Cemetery
14250 Schram Road
Omaha, NE 68138

Tribute Wall



“ *William J Gaukel*

December 10, 2022 at 09:12 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of William J Gaukel.*



June 07, 2019 at 11:40 AM



“ *I remember Bill when we first met at the VA hospital around 2005, he was an ornery guy back then, but I had the ability to make him laugh, that's where are friendship began. We even put that Microwave in together :)*
As time went on and his ability of using the computer he met Pat online and then we only got together occasionally.
Bill has some good old friends I know but Pat took care of him the best she could.
I will definitely miss Bill but I do feel he has a place in heaven even though he might not of thought so.
My condolences to all the family and friends that loved and will miss him.
GOD BLESS
Sincerely
Jody Weller

Jody Weller - June 05, 2019 at 01:18 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of William J Gaukel.*



June 05, 2019 at 10:31 AM