



## Dennis E. Scott

September 5, 1953 - April 16, 2021

Dennis E. Scott, 67 of Kearney passed away Friday, April 16, 2021 at CHI Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney. Memorial services will be held 2:00 p.m. Friday, May 7, 2021 at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney with Rev. Dr. Michelle Holley Carlson and Rev. Dr. Rick Carlson officiating. Inurnment will follow at First Lutheran Church Columbarium.

Memorials are suggested to the First Lutheran Church or to the Central Nebraska Veterans Home. Condolences may be shared online at [www.osrfh.com](http://www.osrfh.com). Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Dennis Edward Scott was born September 5, 1953 in Holdrege, Nebraska to Jimmy E. and Lucille (Phillips) Scott. He received his education from Kearney High School, graduating with the class of 1971. Dennis entered the U.S. Army on January 25, 1972 and proudly served until his honorable discharge on January 16, 1975.

Dennis worked for Howland Manufacturing as a metal spinner. It was there where he met Denise Vannier. The couple was married October 26, 1984 in Columbus, NE. While in Columbus, Dennis worked for Island Supply and Welding. They later moved to Grinnell, IA where he worked 21 years for Donaldson Corporation Inc. until his retirement.

Dennis was a member of First Lutheran Church in Kearney as well as a member of the Eagle's. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping and boating.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Denise Scott of Kearney; brother-in-law, David (Kevin Marion) Vannier of Plano, TX; nieces and nephews, Amber (Paul) Tygensen, Tim (Sharlene) Roth, Nicholas (Nicole) Roth, Ed Schriener, Steve Schriener, James Scott and Jonathan Scott; several great nieces and nephews; as well as a sister-in-law in Omaha, NE and her family and a cousin, Kent Hawkinson.

Dennis was preceded in death by his parents; twin brother, Don Scott; sister, Connie Schriener; sister-in-law, Mary Lou Roth; and his mother-in-law and father-in-law, Elnor and Kenneth Vannier.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

MAY 7. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Dennis E. Scott*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Denise,  
We are sorry to hear of your loss, we had a lot of fun in the  
Donaldson days. He will be missed. Gene and Dixie.*

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**Gene Zarger** - July 16, 2021 at 09:09 PM



“ *Denise,  
I am sorry for your loss and your loss is felt by everyone here at  
CNVH especially for the Bravo staff. I am so honored to have gotten  
to know your husband and you throughout the years as I have  
helped to be in charge of his daily care. You both are wonderful  
people another true example of what it really means to marry  
someone for life and care for them in sickness and in health. I just  
recently had my dad pass away here at the home as well and I  
know the road of healing that you are on is long but please know  
you are not alone on this journey. We hope that you will continue to  
stay in touch with your CNVH family. Thank you so much for sharing  
Denny with us and trusting us with his care. It has truly be an honor  
and a pleasure to be his nurse.  
Your friend, Dawn M (Nesiba) Vogt.*

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**Dawn Vogt** - May 08, 2021 at 05:18 PM



“ Denise,  
 I am so sorry to hear of Denny passing, you and him will always be part of my many memories of working at CNVH. I remember that you were always willing to help me out and were wonderful when my husband passed, my love and prayers are with you...Alie Bruha

Alison Bruha - May 05, 2021 at 02:18 PM

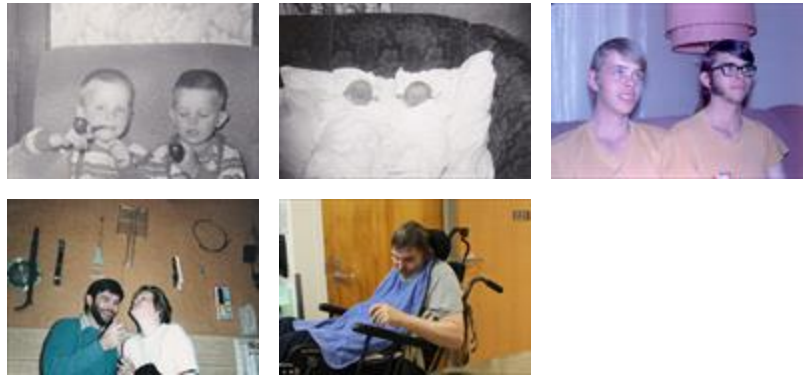


“ Mrs. Scott,  
 My name is Jeanne Church and I work at the Veterans Home in the dietary department. I frequently served in Denny's neighborhood. I am sorry to hear of his passing. Denny was one of my favorite members.

jeanne - April 25, 2021 at 12:04 AM



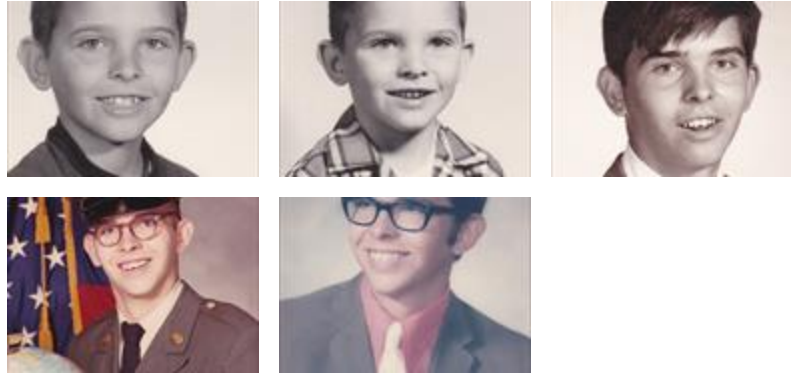
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Ed Schriener - April 23, 2021 at 11:36 AM



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**Ed Schriener** - April 23, 2021 at 11:28 AM



“ *I remember days fishing at Harlan County Reservoir and Lake McConaughy. I always looked up to my uncle because he was my hero. He was always there for me when my own father wasn't. In fact, my mother told me of an instance when he got into a fight because some guy was taunting me because of my leg braces. I loved my uncle and will love him always. I'll see you in Heaven, Uncle Den!*

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**Ed Schriener** - April 23, 2021 at 11:23 AM



“ *Denise, We were so sorry to read of Dennis's passing. Our sympathy and prayers are with you now and in the days ahead. Jim and Julie Brooker*

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**Julie Brooker** - April 22, 2021 at 09:38 AM

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“ I had the privilege of caring for this amazing man at CNVH, he and his wife were wonderful to work with. When I think of Denny I will always smile, remembering when I told him his wife was coming up the walk at CNVH to go with him and I on his tour of the new home~he spoke and I was so shocked (I didn't have him on my case load in GI, so though his stroke had left him unable to speak) he and I laughed so hard we were crying by the time Denise got to us.. Denny was always so grateful for even the simplest things you did for him. He will be missed, and I will miss seeing Denise and her deep love for Denny.

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**Tasha Hamm** - April 21, 2021 at 10:52 PM