



Edward Foley

December 18, 1947 - February 16, 2019

Edward Foley
Kearney Resident

Edward Foley, 71, of Kearney passed away on Saturday, February 16, 2019 at his home. Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday, February 21, 2019 at the Prince of Peace Catholic Church. The Rev. Father Joe Hannappel will celebrate Ed's life. Interment will follow the service at Kearney Cemetery with Military Honors provided by the American Legion Post #52 and VFW Post #759 in conjunction with the U.S. Marine Honors Team. Visitation will be 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney, followed by a 7:00 p.m. Vigil Prayers service.

Edward Foley was born on December 18, 1947 in Merna, NE to Dan and Elsie (Whiteman) Foley. He was raised in Merna, NE and was a 1966 graduate of Merna High School. Ed went on to serve in the U.S. Marine Corp. He was honorably discharged in 1971. He earned his bachelor's degree from Sam Houston State College. In July of 1972, Ed was united in marriage to Carol Heck in Houston, TX. He became employed as a mechanic in both Huntsville, TX and Merna. He was later employed as a police officer in Broken Bow. On July 21, 1984, Ed married Sherry Muhlback in Broken Bow, NE. For the past 30 years, Ed was a salesman for Snap-On Tools.

Ed was a member of the Prince of Peace Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus, and the VFW Post #759.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Sherry Foley of Kearney; daughter, Christi (Ed) Ellingson of Houston, TX; sons, Dan Foley of London, England and Jim (Millie) Foley of Denver, CO; step children, Lori Sechtem of Kearney, Lisa (Ross) Finley of Kearney and Shannon (Natalie) Muhlbach of Bennington, NE; 9 grandchildren; sisters, Veronica Foley of Castle Rock, CO, Nell (Bob) Moles of Sedalia, CO and Dee Dee Kuszak of St. Paul, NE; sister-in-law, Dee Adams of Merna, NE; as well as many nieces, nephews and extended family and many many friends.

Ed was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Harvey Foley.

Memorials are suggested to the Central Nebraska Veterans Memorial. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Snappy says, "Turn out the lights, the party's over."

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **20**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations
4115 Ave N
Kearney, NE 68847
(308) 234-3500
info@osrfh.com
<https://www.osrfh.com>

Vigil / Prayer Service

FEB **20**. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

FEB **21**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Prince of Peace Catholic Church
2407 W. 56th Street
Kearney, NE 68845

Tribute Wall



“ *Edward Foley*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *My sympathy to Ed's family. Ed was a grade ahead of me at Anselmo-Merna. We had a lot of good times together in football and basketball games and at track meets. He was an excellent football player. If my memory is correct, he was a four year starter and all-conference his junior and senior years. Hal Williams, Merna NE*

Hal Williams - March 10, 2019 at 05:33 PM



“ *A good man I remember him teaching me to be a police man I wish I would have stayed in touch I have wonderful memories my sympathies to all his family*

Bill Price

Bill Price - March 08, 2019 at 10:21 PM



“ *Sherry and Family. I first met Ed when he began his Snap-On truck route some 30 years ago. I continued to be a customer until Ed and I both retired. Always friendly, our relationship extended beyond that of salesman-customer. I share your loss but have the memories of those 30 years*

Merle D. Fratzke

Merle D Fratzke - February 23, 2019 at 11:18 AM

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“ *Sherry there no words to tell you how sorry we are. Please know that you and your family are in our Thoughts and Prayers at this difficult time.*

Norma Fink, Mike, Deb, Kevin, Darla and Families

Norma Fink - February 21, 2019 at 08:37 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Edward Foley.*



February 19, 2019 at 10:52 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edward Foley.*



February 19, 2019 at 12:30 PM

LI

“ 6 files added to the album Memories Album



Lisa - February 19, 2019 at 12:01 PM

RL

“ Rich, Adam, Aaron and Melissa Long purchased the Pretty Please for the family of Edward Foley.



Rich, Adam, Aaron and Melissa Long - February 19, 2019 at 11:54 AM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Edward Foley.



February 18, 2019 at 04:39 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Edward Foley.*



February 18, 2019 at 03:39 PM



“ *Prayers for Ed's family as they face this very difficult time.*

Greg and Michelle Shaner - February 18, 2019 at 02:09 PM