



Herbie R. Jeys

November 8, 1946 - December 28, 2020

Herbie Ray Jeys, 74 of Elm Creek passed away Monday, December 28, 2020 at Kearney Regional Medical Center in Kearney. A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

Herb was born November 8, 1946 in Lincoln, Nebraska to Joseph and Gwendolyn (Snyder) Jeys. He graduated from Lincoln High School and then joined the service. Herbie served in the U.S. Navy from 1963, until his honorable discharge in 1969 during the Vietnam era. On November 8, 1969, Herbie married his soulmate, Joan Coats at the community church in Juniata, NE. When Herbie wasn't running his plumbing and backhoe business, he enjoyed watching their kids race on the go kart tracks all throughout Nebraska. Herbie also enjoyed watching his boys wrestle at tournaments all around the United States. In the summertime, Herbie loved coaching his sons from Little League to Jr. League. When the baseball field lights turned off for the season, Herbie attended and supported his kids through all of their 4-H activities.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Joan Jeys of Elm Creek; three sons, Thomas Jeys of New Jersey, Todd Jeys of San Angelo, TX and Timmy Jeys of Elm Creek; daughter, Tanya Crouch of Kearney; 8 grandchildren; and 2 great grandchildren.

Herbie was preceded in death by his parents; and his daughter, Theresa Jeys.

In lieu of flowers, the family prefers memorials to the Kearney First Baptist Church. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Tribute Wall



“ *Herbie R. Jeys*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *I will dearly miss my Uncle Herb, and all the fun teasing he placed upon me.*

Love You.....

*Mike Joy Hohensee
Santaquin, Utah*

Joy Hohensee - January 02, 2021 at 04:56 PM



“ *Thoughts and prayers are with you Joan and family in the loss of your husband and father.*

MaryAnn Spracklen - December 30, 2020 at 12:07 AM



“ *Joan and family; Please know that ya'll are in our prayers. Herb was a good man and I know he will be greatly missed. Prayers for comfort and strength.*

*Love,
Jeff and Sandy Anderberg*

Sandy Anderberg - December 29, 2020 at 09:26 PM

JC

“ *Jo, I'm so so sorry that you've lost your husband. Sending thoughts and prayers to you and your family.* ”

Jodi Cook - December 29, 2020 at 01:39 PM

VR

“ *Velvet Robinson purchased the Simply Elegant S pathiphyllum for the family of Herbie R. Jeys.* ”



Velvet Robinson - December 29, 2020 at 12:06 PM

VR

“ To the Jeys family. My deepest condolences. I have heard stories and know the love that this family shares for Herb. You are all in my prayers - sending love and healing.



Velvet Robinson

The Rose Beyond The Wall

*A rose once grew where all could see,
sheltered beside a garden wall,
And as the days passed swiftly by,
it spread its branches, straight and tall...*

*One day, a beam of light shone through
a crevice that had opened wide
The rose bent gently toward its warmth
then passed beyond to the other side*

*Now, you who deeply feel its loss,
be comforted - the rose blooms there-
its beauty even greater now, nurtured by
God's own loving care*

Velvet Robinson - December 29, 2020 at 11:32 AM

KM

“ Sorry to hear of Herb's passing
As a kid I remember going to uncle Arch and Aunt Gwen's in
Panama but I also remember him moving home from California
With his new baby girl

Kathy Fetterley Miedema - December 28, 2020 at 05:04 PM