



Marvion E. Reichert Sr.

July 20, 1930 - July 28, 2021

Marvion Eugene Reichert, of rural Elm Creek and later Kearney passed away on July 28th, 2021 at the age of 91. He was a loving and devoted Husband, Father, Grandfather and great Grandfather. Marvion was a wealth of knowledge, common sense, optimism, and generosity that will be sorely missed.

Funeral services will be held 10:00 a.m. Friday, August 13, 2021 at Holy Cross Lutheran Church. Interment will follow at 1:00 p.m. Friday, August 13, 2021 at Elm Creek Cemetery. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Thursday, August 12, 2021 at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney.

Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Marvion was born July 20th, 1930 in Scottsbluff Ne., to Jacob and Elizabeth (Wirth) Reichert. He was the oldest in a family of 8, and a successful farmer/cattleman for most of his life. He served on numerous Boards including Kearney's Park and Rec, in which he was instrumental in the building of the city's Skate Board Park.

After meeting at a "1733 Ranch" dance, he and Lois Burkey were united in

marriage on February 10th 1952 at the Elm Creek Christian Church. They were married for 68 years until Lois's death in November of 2020. After marriage, Marvion and Lois moved to a farm near Yoder, Wyoming. In 1961 they moved to a farm North of Elm Creek and in 1976 to a farm and new home South of Elm Creek. In 1996 they moved to Kearney, Ne. and have resided there till their passing.

No stranger to adversity, Marvion grew up in the Dirty Thirties. He quit school during his 8th grade year to help support his mother, 2 brothers and 4 sisters. He was a smart, hard worker, unafraid to take advantage of any opportunity to better his family. He had a keen eye and sharp pencil and was able to buy many farms, improve them and then sell for a profit. There was no such thing as "can't" when Marvion set his mind to it. The only man I knew who could break a pair of CeTee pliers with his grip.

Next to Lois and farming, his greatest joy was playing the accordion and polka music. Self-taught since his 20's his music provide him with many hours of enjoyment. He also loved to watch his granddaughter Hannah (also an accomplished accordionist) at many of her performances. Almost everyone who stopped at their home was entertained with some of Marvion's accordion skills. After his retirement (he never really quit, he just slowed down) he was able to travel with Lois, his brothers, sisters and daughter Deb to Europe and Russia to meet with distant relatives and sight see.

Left to cherish his memory are daughters Tina Reichert (Stacia Mason), Debra Reichert Robbins, sons Jerry Reichert, Marvion Jr. (Janet): grandchildren, Haylee (Tom) Baer, Hilary Reichert, and Hubble (Melisa) Reichert, Hannah (Malachi) Washington, Hans Robbins and great grandchildren Nate, Wyatt, Grace McElhinny, Shepard Reichert and Harrison Perchal.

Marvion was preceded in death by his parents, wife Lois, brother Jerry and sisters Darlene, Betty, Jeanie, and infant Geraldine. Marvion, though you are

gone, you will not be forgotten.

Cemetery Details

Elm Creek Cemetery

5100 52nd Road
Elm Creek, NE 68836

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 12. 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>

Funeral Service

AUG 13. 10:00 AM (CT)

Holy Cross Lutheran Church
3315 11th Ave
Kearney, NE 68845

Tribute Wall



“ *Marvion E. Reichert Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Marvion E. Reichert Sr..*



August 12, 2021 at 12:02 AM



“ *I can remember when Marvin & Lois would come to our auctions, he would bid if he needed it or not! Then come around after the auction & tell us he was trying to help out. Thank You ! Rest in peace. Our condolences to the family. ken & sherry bramer*

Ken Bramer - August 10, 2021 at 03:30 PM

GB

“ I met Marvion during my term on the County Board many years ago. He has been a great service to the ag community, Elm Creek, Kearney, and Buffalo County through his interests and commitment. Lois was a great asset and now they are together. Rest in Peace. Condolences to all the family.

Greg Barney



Greg Barney - August 07, 2021 at 06:56 PM

MB

“ He taught me a lot and always treated me like a grand kid I will greatly miss him.
Matthew Burkey

Matthew Burkey - August 06, 2021 at 02:18 PM

PH

“ To Marvion Jr., Janet and family - So sorry to hear of your father's passing. Condolences to all.
Patty Miller Hinojosa and family

Pat Hinojosa - August 02, 2021 at 12:49 PM

MK

“ *My sympathy to you all. I loved visiting with Marvion when I would stop to buy corn. May all your memories of him make you smile now & in the years to come.*



Monie Karschner - July 31, 2021 at 11:53 AM