



## Mathew Worthing

November 24, 1957 - April 10, 2013

Mathew W. Worthing, 55 of Elm Creek, died Wednesday, April 10, 2013 at Good Samaritan Hospital in Kearney. Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:00 AM, Monday April 15th at the Immaculate Conception Church in Elm Creek. The Rev. Jose Chavez will officiate. Interment will be in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery. Visitation will be 5-7 Sunday at the church with a vigil to follow at 7:00 PM. Memorials will be established by the family. On-line condolences may be submitted to [osrfh.com](http://osrfh.com). O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney and Elm Creek is in charge of arrangements. He was born on November 24th, 1957 in Kearney Nebraska to Caleb and Mary (Fitzgerald) Worthing. He grew up in Elm Creek and graduated from Elm Creek High. He lived in Omaha for a short time where he went to Kindergarten. He attended Kearney State College for a year. He married Susan (Mitchell) Worthing on December 17th, 1977 at Immaculate Conception Church and they spent their married life in Elm Creek. They were blessed with two children, Brad and Sarah. He was employed with PepsiCo as a Service Technician and had been with them for 23 years. During the 1980's he had his own Center Pivot Business and before that worked with his brother Pat repairing pivots. He enjoyed working outdoors and made many friends over the years. His love of wildlife, the Platte River and his pets was evident throughout his life. Family was very important to him. His children and grandchildren were the center of his life. He is survived by his wife Sue, son Brad (Sadie) of Lexington and daughter Sarah of Kearney and two

grandchildren, Jovie and Lawson of Lexington. Brothers Greg (Elaine) of Venango, Pat (Blanche) of Elm Creek, Dave of Elm Creek and Sister Helen Cruise (Dale) of Salem Oregon. Mother and Father In-Law Bill and Lou Mitchell, Brother In-Laws Kurt (Kate) Mitchell, Dave (Connie) Mitchell and Sister ?"In-Laws Jan Mitchell and Peg Worthing of Omaha and many nephews and nieces. He was preceded in death by his parents, oldest brother Dan, niece Diane Brich and nephews Kevin Cruise and Greg Cruise.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mathew Worthing*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your loved one. May our Heavenly Father (Psalm 83:18) provide strength and comfort to your family during this time of grief. God promise to be. . .'near to those that are broken at heart; And those who are crushed in spirit he saves' ~ Psalm 34:18. For further comfort and to know the answer to why we grow old and die please go to [www.jw.org](http://www.jw.org)*

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**Y Sims** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM



“ *Matt was a good friend whom I regret I have not seen for years but thought of quit frequently. I regret not calling him and saying "hi"*

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**Harry Frey** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM



“ *Sue, Brad and Sarah, it was a shock to hear of Matt's passing. He was a great friend. Gone too soon... You all have my deepest condolences,*

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**Harry Barnes** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

JR

“ Dear Sue, Brad & Sadie and Family, We just wanted to send a little note of encouragement to all of you. You have our deepest Sympathy at the loss of Mathew. May our dear Lord hold you all in the palm of his hands as you move forward without him. The love of family and friends will help you through. Hugs to all of you.  
Sincerely, John and Tami

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**John and Tami Reynolds** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

KR

“ Sue- my heartfelt sympathies for your loss. Please know you are in my thoughts and prayers. Matt and Sue, Sue and Matt - always a good match. I know you will find comfort in all the loving memories of your life together.

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**Kim Fader Roewert** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

LC

“ I would like to express my deepest sympathy to Mathew's family and friends. I was one of Matt's speech therapists at Good Sam and I feel so blessed to have met him. Matt clearly loved to talk about his family and grandchildren and a special friend, Speedy. He loved to talk about Murphy and fishing. In his short life he apparently lived it well. Even with nausea and back pain he never complained. Matt always managed a joke and a smile. He taught me a lot about courage and bravery and gratitude. I will never forget him.

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**Lesa Clifford** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

KR

“ There are no adequate words for your loss, only knowing he is in the comfort of God. My thoughts and prayers go to you and your family.

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**Kirk R** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

FR

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**From a classmate; Kirk Robinson** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

ET

“ *Sue, Brad, and Sarah  
My families deepest sympathy goes out to your family. I am so sorry for your loss. Matt was like a father to me when I was growing up. He could bring a laugh and a smile to any one's face.*

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**Eric Tappan** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

LA

“ *We was saddened to hear about Mat passing. We hope and pray for you to have strength during this time fo loss. You have our deepest sympathy*

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**Les and Bev Anway** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM

LW

“ *Sue,.  
  
My heartfelt condolences to you and your family. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*

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**laurie wiezorek** - August 21, 2013 at 05:58 AM