



## Milo "Eugene" Horn

August 25, 1930 - October 7, 2019

Milo "Eugene" Horn, 89  
Holdrege resident

Milo "Eugene" Horn, 89, of Holdrege passed away Monday, October 7, 2019 at Mary Lanning Hospital in Hastings, NE. An open house Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, October 19, 2019 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Phelps County Senior Center in Holdrege.

Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. 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 of Kearney.

Milo "Eugene" was born on August 25, 1930 in Holdrege, Nebraska to Milo William Horn and Viola Ester Marie Peterson.

Gene grew up in Holdrege and Ragan, Nebraska and received his education at Holdrege Public Schools. He entered the National Guards on 1950 and served during the Korean War.

He was honorably discharged on October 14, 1959. He was united in marriage to Joan May Verbeck on August 25, 1952 in Holdrege, Nebraska. The couple made their home in Holdrege, Nebraska where he began a

lifelong career as a self-employed brick mason.

Gene was a member of Bethel Lutheran Church in Holdrege.

He was an avid outdoors man who enjoyed camping, fishing, hunting, archery, storm chasing, pool and billiards table.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Joan May Horn of Holdrege; sons, Tom Horn of Avon, CO and his wife, Dawn of Reno, CO, Steve Horn and wife, Brenda of Grand Island, and Mike Horn and wife, Laurie of Holdrege; daughter, Jeanette (Horn) Young and husband, Randy of Holdrege; 13 grandchildren; and 19 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Milo and Viola; and sister, June Viles.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

OCT **19**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

Phelps County Senior Center  
416 Garfield Street  
Holdrege, NE 68949

# Tribute Wall



“ Milo "Eugene" Horn

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ I never had the privilege of meeting Gene, but his legacy was passed on to his Son Steve Horn who is a dear friend. May our God comfort and keep you and make his face to shine upon you during this hard time in life !!!

Clark Pedersen

Clark Pedersen - October 14, 2019 at 11:15 AM



“ Sending our Sympathy and Prayers, Mike and Susan Larson

Susan Larson - October 13, 2019 at 12:47 PM



“ Tom lit a candle in memory of Milo "Eugene" Horn



Tom - October 12, 2019 at 02:41 PM



“ So many memories of Gene as I was growing up in Holdrege. Gene always had a smile on his face and always wanted to know how you were doing. Love to each of you along with thoughts and prayers as you share memories of Gene

Don Sickels - October 12, 2019 at 02:31 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Milo "Eugene" Horn.*



October 12, 2019 at 12:53 PM



“ *Your laugh was infectious and your kind heart will never be forgotten. My heart goes out to the Horn Family and Friends.*

**Sunshine Viles** - October 12, 2019 at 12:42 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Milo "Eugene" Horn.*



October 12, 2019 at 09:48 AM



“ *My deepest sympathies. What a kind, kind man. I am so sorry for your loss*

**Sandy Tilson** - October 12, 2019 at 08:24 AM

DN

“ *This world is not as bright and beautiful without this wonderful man here. I always admired Uncle Gene's gentleness and kindness - such a good and Christ-filled man. Praying that God will bless and heal your broken hearts, Aunt Joan and family.*  
*Peace & Love,*  
*DeAnn*

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**DeAnn Nickel** - October 12, 2019 at 08:03 AM

KE

*He was such a really good man and always enjoyed knowing him as a neighbor.*

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**Kitty Eltiste** - October 12, 2019 at 11:39 AM

LF

“ *Love from,, The Soto family purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Milo "Eugene" Horn.*



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**Love from,, The Soto family** - October 12, 2019 at 07:28 AM

KB

“ *Mike - Jeanette and family..my heartfelt sympathies to you. Your Dad was always so kind and pleasant to converse with. I am so very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your dear Mother.*  
*Kathryn Bannister*



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**Kathryn Bannister** - October 09, 2019 at 06:45 PM

JY

*Thank you so much Kathryn. He will be greatly missed !*

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**Jeanette Young** - October 11, 2019 at 09:51 PM



*Sincere Sympathy*

**Kent Robert Verbeck** - October 12, 2019 at 01:22 PM



*Sorry for your loss I played pool with him*

**Tom** - October 12, 2019 at 02:42 PM



*Sending our sympathy, hugs, and prayers. Jennifer Combs Carlson and Donna Peitzmeier. Think of your family often, we were in Holdrege a few weeks ago, and drove by, it was late, so sorry we didn't stop in. Love you!*

**Jennifer Carlson** - October 21, 2019 at 10:28 PM