



Randy J. Leonard

September 1, 1965 - July 17, 2023

Randy Leonard, 57, died Monday, July 17, 2023, at his home in Gibbon. Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday July 21, 2023 at the Gibbon Baptist Church with Pastor Roger Wendt officiating. Burial will be at Gibbon Riverside Cemetery following the service. Visitation will be Thursday evening from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. at the Gibbon Baptist Church.

Randy was born September 1, 1965, to Robert and Patricia Leonard, and was one of three sons. On June 9, 1984, he married Misty Cline.

Diagnosed with diabetes at 14 months, his life was filled with many hurdles. He always tried very hard to make everything right with everyone, but his health just didn't always allow it.

Randy loved his family so much. No words can even begin to tell the story of how much he loved his wife, children, and grandchildren. He was so excited to become a dad, but when he became a "Papa," his life was complete. He loved sports, hunting, motor sports and remote-controlled sports, such as airplanes and boats.

Randy is survived by his children, Chancey; Ty, his wife Nicole, and sons Bo (3) and Beckham (1); Jon and his children Kyla (12) and Alec (9); Layton; his wife, Misty; brother, Robby; and best friend, Steve Faber.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Lonny.

Memorials are suggested to the Gibbon Volunteer Fire Department.
Condolences may be shared online at www.OSRFH.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

45400 85th Road
Gibbon, NE

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 20. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gibbon Baptist Church
705 Court St
Gibbon, NE 68840-6228
(308) 468-5323

Funeral Service

JUL 21. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

KC

“ Randy was my 2nd cousin. I remember being very young and we were at the Gibbon swimming pool and Misty was there and Randy said he was going to marry her someday. Randy was a very kind and good man. I remember Steve Farber was the fastest kid I've ever seen. We played a lot, all of us together when we visited Gibbon. His heart was always kind and he never complained about his health struggles, even as a little kid he always just jumped right in. We went sledding and we hitched our sled to a Shetland pony, big mistake, and the pony went crazy but Randy and I still held on for dear life and that pony bucked and ran as fast as he could. We had a blast. Rest in peace Randy. I know you are in all of our hearts. Your Cousin Kathy.

Katherine Conrad - December 13, 2023 at 07:39 AM

BT

“ Leonard family,
We are so sorry for the loss of Randy. I remember living down the street from you all growing up and always seeing Randy smile. It was a joy to hear his laugh, and I always enjoyed being around him when I was younger. Love you all and praying for you all.
Brooke (Jurgens) Gilles Terzi and family

Brooke Terzi - July 21, 2023 at 08:36 PM

TR

“ Our prayers and condolences for the Leonard family. Played state championship football game our senior year in high school against Gibbon and I will always remember that game. Randy, #55, was the Buffs kicker.

Terry Redden - July 20, 2023 at 03:16 AM

TW

“ I have memories of Randy that go back to elementary school. He was always a friend to all. Misty, I remember the way he always showed his love for you. Despite the challenges his health presented, he was always looking out for everyone else. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. The Class of 84 will miss him at our reunions and we will never be the same.

Tracy Wiseman - July 19, 2023 at 09:08 PM

CF

“ Carl Howell & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Randy J. Leonard.



Carl Howell & Family - July 19, 2023 at 08:02 PM

LA

“ Linda Aunkst lit a candle in memory of Randy Leonard



Linda Aunkst - July 19, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Randy J. Leonard.



July 19, 2023 at 01:08 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear about the loss of Randy! He always had a smile for everyone and a memorable laugh. Sending love, hugs, and prayers to the entire family.—Amy Catlin Wozniak

Amy Catlin Wozniak - July 19, 2023 at 01:03 PM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Randy J. Leonard.



July 19, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ Lorna Livingston lit a candle in memory of Randy Leonard



Lorna Livingston - July 19, 2023 at 10:04 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Randy J. Leonard.



July 19, 2023 at 09:32 AM

SH

“ *Sandy Hubbard lit a candle in memory of Randy Leonard* ”



Sandy Fox Hubbard - July 18, 2023 at 08:16 PM