



## Richard L. Barlow

November 14, 1940 - March 25, 2019

Richard Barlow  
Kearney resident

Dr. Richard Lee Barlow, retired UNK Professor of Statistics, died Monday, March 25, 2019 in Kearney. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Thursday, March 28, 2019 at the O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home in Kearney. A private family burial will take place at a later date.

Memorials are suggested to the Salvation Army. 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.

Richard was born November 14, 1940 in Kearney, NE to Robert and Josephine (Svanda) Barlow. He attended Kearney State College and graduated in 1962 with a bachelor's degree in mathematics. Richard furthered his education at the University of Kansas where he earned his master's degree. He later obtained his Doctorate at the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley, CO.

Richard was a member of the First Christian Church in Kearney. He was a charter member of KAPPA MU EPSILON and a Golden Legion member of PHI DELTA THETA. He enjoyed purchasing and remodeling rental properties,

family vacations and his beloved dogs.

Left to cherish his memory are his sister, Roberta Barlow of Kearney. He was preceded in death by both his parents in 2002; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

# Cemetery Details

## Kearney Cemetery

4400 Avenue I  
Kearney, NE 68847  
(308) 233-3244

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 28.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Homes and Cremations  
4115 Ave N  
Kearney, NE 68847  
(308) 234-3500  
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# Tribute Wall



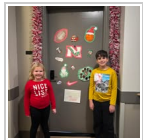
“ *Richard L. Barlow*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *Dr. Barlow had an enjoyable eclectic sense of humor. My remembrances of him are as a teacher & when I worked at the college/univeristy. He was commendably dedicated to the statistics profession and teaching. My condolences on his passing.*

**Duane Hess** - March 29, 2019 at 02:49 AM



“ *We had a lot of fun with Dr. Barlow as the Phi Delta Theta chapter advisor. Brother in the bond. May his memory be eternal.*

**Tim O'Dea** - March 28, 2019 at 11:19 AM



“ *Richard was a friend to my whole family, and I have great memories of him going back to my preschool years--morning coffee on Saturdays and holidays, playing Santa Claus (the first gift he ever gave me was a set of four Big Little Books), helping my mother move a stove when my father was out of town, rescuing a turtle that got stranded in his back yard, hilarious slide shows at New Years Eve parties, cheering for KU in football, two guys I worked with at Little King (and who rented an apartment from Richard and Roberta) being surprised that he was too nice to evict them, and MANY practical jokes. Thank you, Richard and Roberta, for being friends.*  
*David Lee Amstutz.*

**David Lee Amstutz** - March 28, 2019 at 10:39 AM

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“ *Roberta, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of loss. So good to have seen and visited with you both about 5 yrs ago. Although we didn't keep in touch during our adult years, I will always cherish the fun and memories we had as kids at church.*  
*Sharon (Wagner) Stovall*

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**Sharon (Wagner) Stovall** - March 27, 2019 at 07:41 PM