



Robert "Red" Wilson

April 23, 1938 - October 8, 2018

Robert "Red" Wilson, 80
Elm Creek Resident

Robert "Red" Wilson, 80 of Elm Creek, died Monday, October 8, 2018 at the Kearney Regional Medical Center. A Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:00 am Tuesday, October 16th at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Elm Creek with Father Alex Borzych officiating. Inurnment will follow at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery in Elm Creek. The family will receive friends 6:00 to 7:00 pm Monday at the church followed by a Vigil Prayer service beginning at 7:00 pm.

Robert Joseph "Red" Wilson was born April 23, 1938 in Kearney, Nebraska to Kermit and Marie (Broe) Wilson. He received his education from Elm Creek High School, graduating in 1957. Red was united in marriage to Peggy Lou McElhinny on June 8, 1957 at the Immaculate Conception Church in Elm Creek. The couple made their home in Elm Creek, where Red was a longtime employee of the Haymill. He also sold seed corn for several years before starting his career as an agent for American Family Insurance. He was a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. Red will be remembered for his quick wit and his ability to tell jokes.

Left to cherish his memory are his son Mike Wilson of Omaha; daughter

Ginger Quast and her husband, Art of Omaha; grandchildren Emma and Grant Quast; brothers Jack Wilson and wife Patsy of Pella, IA and Ed Wilson of Kearney; special friend Bonnie Poppert; as well as many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife Peggy Lou Wilson and his sister Alice Denson.

Memorials are suggested to the Elm Creek Fire and Rescue Department. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Cemetery Details

Immaculate Conception Cemetery

900 N Mill
Elm Creek, NE 68836

Previous Events

Family receiving friends

OCT 15. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church
Elm Creek, NE 68836

Vigil / Prayer Service

OCT 15. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

OCT 16. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Elm Creek, NE 68836

Tribute Wall



“ Robert "Red" Wilson

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert "Red" Wilson.



October 15, 2018 at 11:13 AM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Robert "Red" Wilson.



October 14, 2018 at 01:04 AM



“ Ruth Kishkunas Stewart lit a candle in memory of Robert "Red" Wilson



Ruth Kishkunas Stewart - October 12, 2018 at 11:46 AM