



Victor W. Carpenter

November 30, 1942 - May 28, 2022

Victor W. Carpenter, 79 of Kearney passed away Saturday, May 28, 2022 at Central Nebraska Veterans Home in Kearney. Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m. Thursday, June 2, 2022 at Kearney First United Methodist Church with Pastor Matt Fowler officiating. Interment will follow at Riverside Cemetery in Gibbon with Military Honors provided by Gibbon American Legion Post #310 in conjunction with the U.S. Navy Funeral Honors Team. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday at O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral Home and one hour prior to the service at the church.

Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Condolences may be shared online at www.osrfh.com. Services are entrusted to O'Brien Straatmann Redinger Funeral and Cremation Services.

Victor Wayne Carpenter was born November 30, 1942 in Gibbon, Nebraska to Arthur and Pansy (Dunn) Carpenter. He was raised in Gibbon and received his education from Gibbon High School. Victor joined the U.S. Navy in 1959 and proudly served until his honorable discharge in 1964. He then was united in marriage to Karen Boggs. To this union, two children were blessed. The couple later divorced. In his early years, he was a farm hand, then worked at Gibbon COOP until he began driving truck for Yellow Freight in Kearney. Victor drove for 32 years and during that time he received a One Million Mile Safe Driving Award and later a Two Million Mile Safe Driver Award.

Victor was a member of the Gibbon American Legion. He was an avid fisherman, and enjoyed hunting with his son, son-in-law and grandsons. He loved the outdoors and living at his lake home. Victor was also known for his love of golf and billiards. Most of all, he loved spending time with his family.

Left to cherish his memory are his children, Monie (Reynalda) Carpenter of Wood River and Hallie (Brian) Hagan of Kearney; grandchildren, Riley Carpenter, Rachel (Alex Lumburg) Carpenter, Hattie (Nate Burns) Hagan, Brogan (Madyson Cumpston) Hagan; great grandchild, Rowynn Carpenter; sister, Violet Andersen of Gibbon; brother, Don (Irene) Carpenter of Florida; as well as many nieces, nephews and extended family and his special friend, add Marlys Farm of Minden.

Victor was preceded in death by parents; brothers, Darrell, Dewey, Arthur, Dewayne and Terry Carpenter; and sisters, Irene Edwards, Lois Reynolds, Darlene Aarons.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

45400 85th Road
Gibbon, NE

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 1. 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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Funeral Service

JUN 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
4500 Linden Drive
Kearney, NE 68847

Tribute Wall



“ *Victor W. Carpenter*

January 28, 2023 at 08:01 AM



“ *So very sorry to hear of Vic's passing, and equally as sorry I did not know about it until today. Much sympathy and many prayers to the family. Vic was a table mate of my mom's when she lived at Wel-Life. He loved ice cream, even though he wasn't supposed to have it, and would always offer to share it with me when I was there. My mom always enjoyed eating time with all three of her table mates, and Vic always said he missed her when she wasn't there. The four of them made a little "family" for themselves, and would sometimes spend over an hour after mealtime just sitting and talking. I missed seeing Vic when my mom moved out and Covid allowed no one in.*

Marilyn Moseman - June 04, 2022 at 08:44 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Victor W. Carpenter.*



June 01, 2022 at 01:24 PM

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“ To all the family members of Vic Carpenter. Hugs and prayers during this very difficult time.. I have so many treasured memories of all our road trips, camping and fishing and our times at our cabins at Harlan County. Sorry I won't be able to attend the service, but want you to know I am thinking of you all. Rest in Pease my friend. Friends always.....Judy Adams



Judy Adams - June 01, 2022 at 09:45 AM

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To the Family: Heartfelt condolences and deepest sympathy. We will all miss vic and his great smile and laughter. I will miss all the great times we had together hunting, fishing, golfing and just hanging out together. He was a great freind, mentor and uncle. He will be missed dearly. May peace and love be with him forever. Lew Edwards

lewis edwards - June 03, 2022 at 01:05 PM



“ 9 files added to the album Pictures of Dad



Hallie Hagan - June 01, 2022 at 09:04 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Victor W. Carpenter.*



May 31, 2022 at 07:02 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Victor W. Carpenter.*



May 30, 2022 at 09:16 AM



“ *So sorry to hear about Vic's passing. I really enjoyed working with him for a number of years at Yellow. Lots of great memories. He will be missed. Lynn Hendrickson*

Lynn Hendrickson - May 29, 2022 at 05:43 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Pictures of Dad*



Hallie Hagan - May 29, 2022 at 01:31 PM