



Richard "Dick" Klassen

June 7, 1943 - January 17, 2019

Richard "Dick" Lee Klassen, 75, of Mason City, IL passed away at his home Thursday, January 17th, 2019. He was born June 7th, 1943 in Boone County, NE to Earl and Nina (Watts) Klassen. He married Genevieve "Sue" Darling on June 24, 1963 in Albion, NE.

Richard is survived by his wife, Sue (Darling) Klassen, children; Richard "Rick" (Tracye) Klassen of Springfield, Ronald "Ronnie" (Shari) Klassen of Mason City, and Sue Ann (Rusty) Bubert of Mason City, grandchildren; Amber Oller, Tanner Klassen, Kellie Klassen, Kortnie (Joey) Cooper, Kaytie Klassen, Zachary (Stephanie) Bubert, Amanda Attebery, Bradlee Bubert, and Genevieve "Genna" Bubert, great grandchildren; Rhyanna Jibbens, Noah Veech, Keiley Jibbens, Carter Cooper, Ryker Cooper, Calvin Attebery, and Delaney Attebery, and one great-great grandchild Carter Wilham. He is also survived by his siblings, Don (Mae) Klassen, Bernie McIntosh, Sharon (Jerome) Beenders and a sister in law, Lois Klassen.

Richard was preceded in death by his, parents Earl and Nina, one brother, Earl Klassen, and one sister, Ramona Livingston.

He was a member of the Mason City Community Chapel. Richard was also a past member of the Mason City Soil and Water Association, Illinois Groundwater Professionals, Rural Water Authority, Illinois Fruit and Vegetable Association, and the Indiana Groundwater Association. He also held an Indiana Pump Contractor License. He retired after 40+ years from Grosch Irrigation as Branch Manager in Illinois. In his free time, he enjoyed hunting

and fishing, and was an avid Cardinals fan. His biggest claim to fame was that he got to sleep with his secretary every night.

A visitation will be held Monday, January 21st, 2019 from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm at Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City, IL with a service immediately following at 1:00 PM. Brian Durbin will officiate. Burial will follow at Mason City Cemetery in Mason City, IL. Memorial contributions may be made to Pets Without Parents or the Mason City Community Chapel.

Condolences may be left, and memories shared at www.hurleyfh.com. Hurley Funeral home in Mason City, IL is assisting the family with arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Mason City Cemetery

Mason City, IL 62664

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 21. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Mason City
603 East Chestnut
Mason City, IL 62664
(217) 482-5959
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

Funeral

JAN 21. 1:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Mason City
603 East Chestnut
Mason City, IL 62664
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Tribute Wall



“ *Richard "Dick" Klassen*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Richard "Dick" Klassen.*



January 21, 2019 at 08:55 AM



“ *My prayers are with you all god bless dick n sue and all the family RIP dick you were the best father in law may the angles be with you amen*



Tracye klassen - January 19, 2019 at 05:44 PM



“ *The Decker Family purchased the Grande Gourmet Fruit Basket for the family of Richard "Dick" Klassen.*



The Decker Family - January 19, 2019 at 01:36 PM

MO

“ *One great guy that will be missed by all. Prayers and thoughts to Sue and family*

Michelle Oest - January 19, 2019 at 12:36 PM

PH

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Sue and family. Our prayers for peace and comfort.*
Pat Harris & family.

Pat Harris - January 19, 2019 at 11:39 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Richard "Dick" Klassen.*



January 19, 2019 at 10:51 AM

RK

“ *Ron, Jan, Kris, Tim, Mark, Sherri and Keith purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Richard "Dick" Klassen.*



Ron, Jan, Kris, Tim, Mark, Sherri and Keith - January 19, 2019 at 10:33 AM

Debbie Skelton

“ *Dick and I are sending our sympathy to all of your family. Hopefully, Dick is at rest with no more pain and the rest of your family will have peace and comfort.* ”



Debbie Skelton - January 19, 2019 at 09:34 AM

DW

“ *Our deepest sympathy and prayers to the family! Dorothy (Kramer) and Loren Wright* ”

Dorothy Kramer Wright - January 19, 2019 at 07:41 AM

GB

“ *Gaileh Barrow lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dick" Klassen* ”



Gaileh Barrow - January 18, 2019 at 10:14 PM

LL

“ *LIZZ LEAMON lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dick" Klassen* ”



LIZZ LEAMON - January 18, 2019 at 06:02 PM

CH

“ *Charlotte(seward)veronesi lit a candle in memory of Richard "Dick" Klassen*



charlotte(seward)veronesi - January 18, 2019 at 06:02 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Richard "Dick" Klassen.*



January 18, 2019 at 03:33 PM