



Gerald R. "Jerry" Larson

June 26, 1934 - January 12, 2017

Gerald "Jerry" Larson, 82, of Central City, Nebraska died Thursday, January 12, 2017 at Bryan East in Lincoln, Nebraska. Memorial services will be Saturday, January 21, 2017 at 11 a.m. at the United Methodist Church in Central City with Pastor Tom Lucas officiating. Visitation will be Saturday, January 21st from 9 a.m. until service time. Burial of ashes will be in Lindale Cemetery at 3 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the Central City United Methodist Church, Central City Sportsman's Club, or American Legion Post #6. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.soltwagnerfuneral.com

Jerry was born on June 26, 1934 to Clarence and Florence (Anderson) Larson in Central City, Nebraska. He grew up and attended Central City Schools graduating in 1952. He married Ruth Anderson on September 19, 1954 in the Hordville Baptist Church. After graduation Jerry entered the United States Navy in 1953 and was honorably discharged on November of 1957. Following his honorable discharge from the Navy Jerry worked for the railroad in Schuyler. He then came back home to help Ruth's parents on their family farm, until 1972. Jerry then began selling Master Mix Livestock Feed as well as livestock buildings for the Central City Vet Clinic. In 1980, he started his own feed business, Master Mix - Larson Feeds. This business led to Jerry and his two sons building a farrowing hog operation. In the mid 1990's, Jerry

began selling cars for Grosshans until retiring in 1999. Jerry and Ruth moved to Central City in 1998.

Jerry was a member of the United Methodist Church in Central City and the Baptist Church in Hordville. He was a 40 year member of the Sportsman Club, a life time member of the American Legion Post #6, and the Grand Island VFW. He served 40 years on the Hordville Volunteer Fire Department, and several years on the Hordville Village Board and the Hordville School Board.

Jerry is survived by his wife – Ruth of Central City, NE; two sons- Larry and Nancy Larson of Omaha, NE; Rick and Cris Larson of Central City, NE; one daughter- Renae and Todd Hanquist of Swede Home; two brothers – Wayne and Janet Larson of Fremont, NE and Gene and Judy Larson of Hot Springs, AR; and one sister-in-law – Ramona Larson of CO; 9 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren with one on the way.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his daughter Linda Tatum and his brother Don Larson.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 21. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

United Methodist Church, Central City

Memorial Service

JAN 21. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

United Methodist Church, Central City

Burial

JAN 21. 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM (CT)

Lindale Cemetery
Hordville, NE

Tribute Wall

GJ

“ TO THE FAMILY OF JERRY LARSON

We are sad to hear about the passing of Jerry. He was a very nice friend of our family and we are sure he will be deeply missed. We're sorry we were unable to attend the memorial services. You are in our thoughts and prayers that the Lord will give you strength and comfort at this time.

With Deepest Sympathy,

Glenn & Dorothy (Bush) Jares

Glenn & Dorothy (Bush) Jares - January 22, 2017 at 08:39 PM

DF

“ *Dave, Janet & Family purchased the Fruits and B looms Basket for the family of Gerald R. "Jerry" Larson.*



Dave, Janet & Family - January 21, 2017 at 10:41 AM

BB

“ *To the family of Gerry Larson, We respectfully send our deepest sympathies to your whole family. What a wonderful man he was. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all especially tomorrow as you celebrate his life together.*

Bill and Laurie Bankson

Bill and Laurie Bankson - January 20, 2017 at 05:24 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Gerald R. "Jerry" Larson.*



January 20, 2017 at 05:10 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Gerald R. "Jerry" Larson.*



January 19, 2017 at 06:57 PM



“ *Ruth and family- My sympathy to you all at the loss of Jerry. Always loved visiting with the both Ruth and Jerry each and every time we were in Central City. So many fun card games were shared with the neighbors in Newtown Estates. Because of Jerry's faith in Jesus, may God's promise of eternal life bring comfort to you during this time of grief.*
Ronda Lippincott Anderson

Ronda Anderson - January 19, 2017 at 03:45 PM



“ *Ruth & Family*
We were sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. It was a pleasure knowing him. Our thoughts & prayers are with you all.
Ron & Geanene Schafer

Ron & Geanene Schafer - January 17, 2017 at 10:39 AM

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“ I will never forget all the great times I spent at Jerry and Ruth's house growing up in Hordville, hunting and fishing. He always welcomed me like one of his own sons in to their home, as much time as I spent there he was like a second Dad to me. A great man, Dad, and Grandpa.
Your family is in my prayers.

Larry Ortegren (Ort as Jerry always called me)

Larry Ortegren - January 16, 2017 at 06:35 PM

DK

“ I really enjoyed bowling with and against Gerry he always so calm and enjoyed the fellowship he will be missed. i am sorry for you loss may God help you in this difficult time

Dennis Galen Keas - January 16, 2017 at 11:42 AM

VB

“ Ruth I am so sorry to learn of Jerry's passing. Please know you are in my prayers.
Vicki (Rasmussen) Boord

Vicki Boord - January 16, 2017 at 07:50 AM

KR

“ Thoughts and Prayers to the family Jerry was a very kind man and would be there for anyone.

Kerry and Marlene Rodysill

Kerry & Marlene Rodysill - January 14, 2017 at 07:34 AM

