



Charles Henry Dahl

November 4, 1940 - April 11, 2026

Charles H. Dahl, age 85, of Alta, Iowa died Saturday, April 11, 2026 at Methodist Manor Retirement Community in Storm Lake.

Funeral services will take place Tuesday, April 21, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. at Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in ALTA. Burial will be in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Alta. Visitation will be held two hours prior to the service at the FUNERAL HOME. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Alta is in charge of the arrangements.

Charles Henry Dahl was born on November 4, 1940, in Alta, Iowa, to Charles Vernon and Pearl (Peterson) Dahl.

Charles grew up in Alta, where he attended school and graduated in 1958. During his high school years, he enjoyed participating in track and field. Following graduation, he continued his education at Buena Vista College in Storm Lake, where he also lettered in track in field while earning a degree in Business in 1962.

On July 12, 1963, Charles was united in marriage to Barbara McCullough at the Methodist Church in Scranton, Iowa. Together, they were blessed with one son, Charles Christopher "Chris" Dahl.

Charles carried on a proud family tradition as a fourth-generation blacksmith in Alta.

In his spare time, he enjoyed spending time at his blacksmith shop catting with friends.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Barbara Dahl of Storm Lake, Iowa; son, Chris (Claudette) Dahl of St. Charles, Missouri; granddaughters: Shannon and Lily Dahl of St. Louis, Missouri; sister, Frances (Chester "Chip") Comstock of Ames, Iowa; extended family and friends.

Charles was preceded in death by his parents, Charles Vernon and Pearl Dahl.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn

Alta, IA

Previous Events

Visitation

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

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Alta
301 Alta Vista Street
Alta, IA 51002
(712) 284-2141
jensenfuneralhomes@gmail.com
<https://www.fratzkejensen.com>

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - April 20 at 03:11 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Charles Henry Dahl.



April 20 at 01:20 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Charles Henry Dahl.

April 20 at 01:20 PM



“ Kevin, Jennifer, and Jack Patterson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Charles Henry Dahl.

Kevin, Jennifer, and Jack Patterson - April 19 at 08:19 PM

KP

“ Kevin, Jennifer, and Jack Patterson purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Charles Henry Dahl.



Kevin, Jennifer, and Jack Patterson - April 19 at 08:19 PM

KT

“ I always looked forward to solving the world problems on Saturday mornings in Chucks office. One of my favorite people, he will be deeply missed.

Kim Triggs - April 16 at 01:12 PM

KT

“ Kim Triggs lit a candle in memory of Charles Dahl



Kim Triggs - April 16 at 01:10 PM

JH

“ Jim & Vicki Hammer purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Charles Henry Dahl.



Jim & Vicki Hammer - April 16 at 08:30 AM

JH

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family of Charlie.*

I always looked forward to seeing him and hearing his tales on my visits back to Iowa

Jim Hammer

James Hammer - April 16 at 07:51 AM

JC

“ *Jeff and Jean Chindlund lit a candle in memory of Charles Dahl*



Jeff and Jean Chindlund - April 13 at 08:51 PM