



## Dale Cates

August 10, 1941 - April 24, 2017

Dale E. Cates, age 75, of Storm Lake, Iowa died Monday, April 24, 2017 at the Buena Vista Regional Medical Center in Storm Lake.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, April 29, 2017 at 10:30 a.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. Burial will be in the Ferguson Cemetery in Lake View, Iowa. Visitation will take place Friday, April 28, 2017 from 4-8:00 p.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Dale Edwin Cates, the son of Byrhl and Garlene (Toomer) Cates, was born near Lake View, Iowa, on August 10, 1941. He lived his youth in the Lake View vicinity and received his education there, graduating from the Lake View High School. Following high school, he worked on farms near Lake City and Wall Lake, Iowa.

In December of 1962, Dale was united in marriage to Marilyn Byriel in Lytton, Iowa, and to this union two children were born: Bill and Amy. Dale was employed at the tile plant in Lake View for 21 years. Marilyn died in May of 1979. After Marilyn's death, Dale moved to Storm Lake and was employed with IBP (Tyson) for the next 25 years. On November 13, 1982, Dale was united in marriage to Marilyn Luckow and they enjoyed 34 years together.

Following his retirement from Tyson, he worked for the City of Storm Lake taking care of the city parks for 5 years.

While residing in Lake View, Dale was a volunteer fireman. He was also a member of the Lion's Club in Storm Lake. Some of Dale's favorite pastimes included refinishing furniture, raising rabbits, fishing and gardening.

Dale's life will always be cherished and honored by his family which include his wife: Marilyn of Storm Lake, Iowa; children: Bill (Kay) Cates of Lake View, Iowa; Jeff (Judi) Peters of Harlingen, Texas; Julie Christiansen and her fiancée, Tony Ebel of Storm Lake, Iowa; Joelle (Pat) Ryherd of Newell, Iowa; and Jeanna (Vince) Krepps; grandchildren: Caitlin, Ashley and Noah Peters; Melissa Christiansen-Kloss (Eric) Kloss; Dan (Amber) Christiansen; Dillon and Dustin Ebel; Patrick (Emily) Ryherd, Levi (Morgan) Ryherd; Trevor, Tayla, Tyler, and Tristan Krepps; great grandchildren: Sawyer Kloss, Laiken and London Christiansen, and Emma Ryherd; brother, Ronald (Beth) Cates of Carroll, Iowa; two sisters: Jan (Jim) Truelson of Kalona, Iowa; Marilyn (Craig) Evans of Sioux City, Iowa; a niece, nephews, other extended family and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Marilyn; daughter, Amy; and grandson, Nick Peters.

# Cemetery Details

## Ferguson Cemetery -- Lake View

Lake View, IA 51450

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **28**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Storm Lake  
1615 W Milwaukee Ave,  
Storm Lake, IA 50588  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Dale Cates*

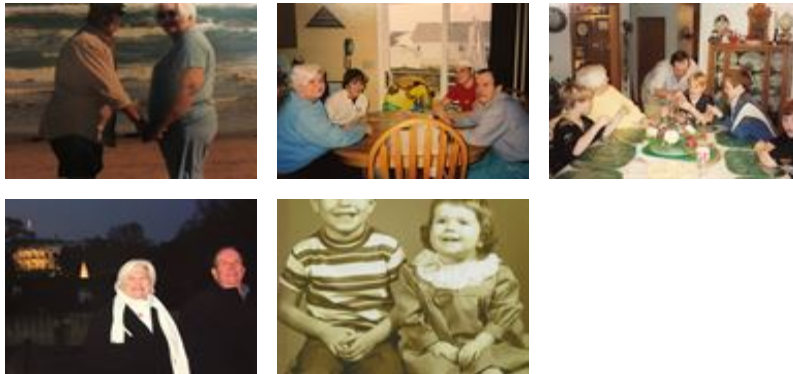


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**Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home** - April 27, 2017 at 03:38 PM



“ *172 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home** - April 27, 2017 at 02:46 PM



“ *Bill, Kay and Dale's Family Our Deepest Sympathies to you all!*



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**Mark and Tami Auen** - April 27, 2017 at 09:13 AM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Dale Cates.



April 26, 2017 at 04:01 PM



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Homes - April 26, 2017 at 10:46 AM



“ Billy, Kay, Marilyn, and family members Prayer and Thoughts be with each one of you when you remember and cherish the wonderful memories of Dale! I meet him when he started raising rabbits like my dad alot of awesome memories from Lake View .Dale is with his maker and the people who loved him so much !!!

Bruce and Deb Laursen - April 25, 2017 at 07:17 PM



“ Bruce And Deb Laursen lit a candle in memory of Dale Cates



Bruce and Deb Laursen - April 25, 2017 at 07:07 PM

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“ A CANDLE HAS BEEN LIT IN MEMORY OF DALE. OUR THOUGHTS & PRAYERS FOR YOU, MARYLIN & FAMILY.  
LARY & PATTY GUNVILLE



PATTY GUNVILLE - April 25, 2017 at 04:31 PM

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“ The Rohrbaughs sent a virtual gift in memory of Dale Cates



The Rohrbaughs - April 25, 2017 at 01:14 PM

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Our thoughts and prayers to Marilyn, Bill and to all who knew and loved Uncle Dale.

The Rohrbaughs - April 25, 2017 at 01:18 PM

JP

“ Marilyn and family,  
I was so sorry to hear of Dales' death. My sincere sympathy to all of you. Your comfort is knowing that he now rests in our Everlasting Father's arms. My prayer is for all of you. God's Blessings, Joan K. Petersen

Joan K. Petersen - April 25, 2017 at 11:52 AM

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“ *Ron Luckow, Lynette Stickney, and Lance Luckow purchased the White Standing Spray for the family of Dale Cates.*



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**Ron Luckow, Lynette Stickney, and Lance Luckow** - April 25, 2017 at 11:13 AM

KZ

“ *Kim Zimmerman lit a candle in memory of Dale Cates*



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**Kim Zimmerman** - April 25, 2017 at 10:44 AM