



Gerald D. Nieland

March 18, 1952 - September 15, 2020

Gerald D. Nieland, age 68, of Newell, Iowa died on Tuesday, September 15, 2020 at his home in Newell.

Graveside services will take place on Monday, September 28, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. at the Newell Cemetery in Newell. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Newell is in charge of the arrangements.

Gerald Duane Nieland, the son of Cyril and Barbara (Reis) Nieland, was born on March 18, 1952 in Sac City, Iowa. Gerald was baptized and confirmed at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Sac City.

Growing up, he attended grade school and high school at Newell Providence. He earned his high school diploma in 1971. Later, Gerald attended Taxidermy school.

On August 14, 1989, Gerald was united in marriage to Debra Robinson Creley in Wall Lake, Iowa.

In his free time, Gerald enjoyed being outdoors whether it was hunting, fishing, camping, or taking motorcycle rides. He also was a carpenter and enjoyed taxidermy. Above all, he loved spending time with his friends and family.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Debra Nieland of Newell, Iowa; daughter, Jennifer Tovar of Newell, Iowa; brother, Bruce (Robin) Nieland of Newell, Iowa; sisters: Shirley Mitchell of Fonda, Iowa; Anne Bonde of Alexander, Iowa; Brenda (Coby) Shank of Clive, Iowa; grandchildren, Jon Sebastian Tovar of Newell, Iowa and Alicia Tovar of Fonda, Iowa; brother-in-law, Philip (Babs) Robinson of Spokane, Washington and sister-in-law, Sharon (Harley) Grau of Newell, Iowa; extended family and friends.

Gerald was preceded in death by his parents, Cyril and Barbara Nieland; siblings, Steve Nieland and Jean Ann Nieland; infant grandson, Jose Christian Tovar; and brother-in-law, Randy Bonde.

Cemetery Details

Newell Cemetery

Previous Events

Graveside

SEP **28**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Newell Cemetery
E. Jensen St.
Newell, IA 50568

Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - September 24, 2020 at 05:27 PM

JM

“ *Very sorry for the Nieland family in the loss of Jerry. I live in Holstein and just saw the obituary online. I'm 81 now so my memory is not the greatest. My Husband was Lawrence McGuire and he sold Moorman feed. People knew him by Hooley only. We lived in the farm house outside of Sac City, I believe it would be No. Of Cyril & Barb farm. Not positive, I had a Son Kelly and twin Daughters still in highchairs. We visited a lot with Cyril and Barb & remember a real cute little girl and of course 2 boys. Son Kelly used to walk from our place over to the Nieland farm. Maybe he was just pestering but he liked going there. My Husband and I were good friends with Cyril and Barb. May you be blessed with the family surrounding you at this time of loss, and the Lord be with you. Jan McGuire*

Janice McGuire - October 03, 2020 at 04:58 PM

JM

“ *Janice Mcguire lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Janice Mcguire - October 03, 2020 at 03:04 PM

JL

“ *My prayers to you all, I feel your pain. I have so many fond memories of Jerry I could fill several volumes, most of my childhood in fact. We were best buds. Like the time we tried to catch the black and white striped cat. Only it wasn't a cat and when we went in to the house Aunt Barb marched us to the cow tank where we stay what seemed like days! Or going to the SAC county fairs, double dating, sneaking into the drive in, sneaking our parents booze, cruising town in his Pinto, cutting doughnuts in the snow, skipping over to Storm Lake for hamburgers and fries at the Village Inn, getting arrested for what we didn't do. I could go on and on for there are so many memories that I will cherish forever, well until we meet up again Lord willing. He left a hole in my heart and I will miss him so much. We were Cuzs for life. God bless you all.*

Jeff Ludwig - September 25, 2020 at 10:57 AM

 Linda Lowry-Howard

“ *There's just to many memories to list. Camping, games, cookouts, parties. Sure going to miss you Jerry. Such a Great person. R.I.P. my friend.*

Linda Lowry-Howard - September 25, 2020 at 10:21 AM

Linda Lowry-Howard

“ *Linda Lowry-Howard lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Linda Lowry-Howard - September 25, 2020 at 10:19 AM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Gerald D. Nieland.*



September 25, 2020 at 09:28 AM



“ *83 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - September 24, 2020 at 05:25 PM

KP

“ Kim Piercy lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland



Kim Piercy - September 24, 2020 at 05:00 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - September 24, 2020 at 12:50 PM

CS

“ I was a classmate of Jerry's. He always was so much fun to be around! I will never forget he drove a blue Ford Maverick💙. Deepest Sympathy to Deb and Family! Cathy (Piercy) Sanders

Cathy Sanders - September 23, 2020 at 10:55 AM

LS

“ I've known Jerry all my life. What a fun loving guy!



laura sinons - September 22, 2020 at 08:43 PM

PS

“ *Paul & Ina Rae Shannon sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Paul & Ina Rae Shannon - September 21, 2020 at 09:03 PM

RJ

“ *Ronald Jensen lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Ronald Jensen - September 20, 2020 at 10:40 PM

NL

“ *Nancy Lynch lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Nancy Lynch - September 19, 2020 at 04:06 PM

JE

“ *He always made sure to say hello and gave hugs every time we crossed paths. I will for sure miss him. My heart goes out to my family. My deepest sympathy to all. (Jessica Evers*



jessye - September 18, 2020 at 03:57 PM

VS

“ Vicki Sorbe lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland



Vicki Sorbe - September 18, 2020 at 02:37 PM

DJ

“ Deb and family, I am deeply sorry for your loss. May God wrap his loving arms around you and flood your mind with wonderful memories 🙏

Diane Johnson - September 18, 2020 at 11:50 AM

SB

“ Scott & Kristin Bodholdt lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland



Scott & Kristin Bodholdt - September 18, 2020 at 10:31 AM

BW

“ Becky White lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland



Becky White - September 18, 2020 at 09:42 AM

SM

“ *Steph/Sharon Mickelson lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Steph/Sharon Mickelson - September 18, 2020 at 09:34 AM

Terra Sheehan-Sievers

“ *Terra Sheehan-Sievers sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Terra Sheehan-Sievers - September 17, 2020 at 07:41 PM

Terra Sheehan-Sievers

“ *Terra Sheehan-Sievers lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Terra Sheehan-Sievers - September 17, 2020 at 07:40 PM

BT

“ *Bill And Danis Thompson lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland*



Bill and Danis Thompson - September 17, 2020 at 07:35 PM

GB

“ Greg & Mary Baskerville lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland



Greg & Mary Baskerville - September 17, 2020 at 04:06 PM

SW

“ Suana Wessendorf lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland



Suana Wessendorf - September 17, 2020 at 01:21 PM

CF

“ Craig And Mary Farrell lit a candle in memory of Gerald D. Nieland



Craig and Mary Farrell - September 17, 2020 at 11:49 AM



“ So sorry to hear of Jerry's passing. I have wonderful memories of him and spending time at the family farm

Midge Townsend - September 17, 2020 at 01:09 AM

RW

“ *Ruth Westergaard lit a candle in memory of
Gerald D. Nieland* ”



Ruth Westergaard - September 16, 2020 at 04:14 PM