



Glen W. Bauer

August 24, 1925 - October 12, 2017

Glen W. Bauer, age 92, of Alta, Iowa died Thursday, October 12, 2017 at the Buena Vista Regional Medical Center in Storm Lake.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, October 28, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Alta. A private family burial will be in the Holstein Cemetery. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Alta is in charge of the arrangements.

Glen William Bauer was born August 24, 1925 in Holstein, Iowa the son of Fred and Elsie (Lamp) Bauer.

Growing up, Glen attended school in Holstein where he graduated from Holstein High School in 1943.

Following high school graduation, Glen enlisted in the United States Army where he proudly served his country during World War II. Glen served as part of the Honor Guard for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. He was honorably discharged.

On December 4, 1946, Glen was united in marriage to Jean Hummel at St. John Lutheran Church in Cushing, Iowa. Together, they were blessed with three children: Delane, Diane and Donna.

Glen and Jean moved to Alta in 1958. He worked for Becker Manufacturing for 16 years before opening his own woodworking shop called Bauer's Woodshed in 1974. There he made beautiful handcrafted wood cabinets and furniture until he retired in 2005 at the age of 80.

Glen enjoyed fishing, playing cards and coffee with friends. Vacationing with family especially to the Black Hills was a favorite pastime of Glen's. He had a passion for taking a plain piece of wood and making it into a work of art. Glen treasured being able to spend time with family and will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Jean Bauer of Alta, Iowa; children: Delane (Charla) Bauer of Floral City, Florida; Diane (Ted) Gordon of Swan, Iowa; Donna (John) Trickel of Des Moines, Iowa; six grandchildren; two great grandchildren; extended family and friends.

Glen was preceded in death by his parents; one sister; and one grandson.

Cemetery Details

Holstein Cemetery

Holstein, IA

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT 28. 2:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church -- Alta
401 West 2nd Street
Alta, IA 51002

Tribute Wall



“ *Healing Tears - All White* was purchased for the family of Glen W. Bauer.



October 27, 2017 at 04:59 PM

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“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Funeral Home - October 27, 2017 at 12:39 PM



“ *Sympathy Arrangement In Basket (Large) - Multicolor Bright Mixed Flowers* was purchased for the family of Glen W. Bauer.



October 24, 2017 at 09:18 AM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White* was purchased for the family of Glen W. Bauer.



October 22, 2017 at 08:43 PM

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“ *Bruce and Beth Trickel purchased the Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray* for the family of Glen W. Bauer.



Bruce and Beth Trickel - October 21, 2017 at 06:12 PM

LM

“ Loreen Moneypenny lit a candle in memory of Glen W. Bauer



Loreen Moneypenny - October 14, 2017 at 05:03 PM

LM

“ I am so heartbroken to see this today. Glen was such a good man, husband, father, grandfather and a wonderful family friend to me and my family. My parents and Glen and Jean were such good friends and they and we visited them often all through my life. I just can't find the words to express how sorry I am and send you, Jean and family my deepest sympathies to you. So many wonderful memories of him and remembering his cute laugh. I love you Jean, Delane, Diane and Donna. God comfort you all through this difficult time.

Loreen Moneypenny - October 14, 2017 at 05:02 PM

KH

“ Kathy Hazen lit a candle in memory of Glen W. Bauer



Kathy Hazen - October 13, 2017 at 02:13 PM