



Glenn Thomas Harrington

September 26, 1920 - March 9, 2015

Glenn Thomas Harrington, age 94, of Storm Lake, Iowa died March 9, 2015 at Buena Vista Regional Medical Center in Storm Lake.

Funeral services will be held Friday, March 13, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. at Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. Burial will be in the Buena Vista Memorial Park Cemetery in Storm Lake with full Military Rites. Visitation will take place Thursday, March 12, 2015 from 5-7:00 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.

Glenn Thomas Harrington was born September 26, 1920 in Sioux Rapids, Iowa the son of Brett and Emma (Knadel) Harrington. He was baptized, received first communion and was confirmed at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Storm Lake.

Growing up, he attended school at St. Mary's Catholic School where he graduated in 1939.

On September 20, 1942, Glenn enlisted in the United States Navy during World War II. He was with the West Coast Blimp Squad 1 as an Airship First Radioman. He was honorably discharged in November 1945.

On September 10, 1947, Glenn was united in marriage to Ardis Jean Burger at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Storm Lake. Together, they were blessed with three children: Cynthia, Vincent, and Leigh Ann.

Glenn worked at the Buena Vista County Engineer's Office for over thirty-five years, overseeing all the paving of the roads in Buena Vista County. He retired in 1983.

Glenn was a Commander at AMVETS Post #66 and an Elk member for over 40 years.

He was an avid fisherman, especially fishing for walleyes. Glenn enjoyed playing snooker at Max's Cigar Store. He received a lot of pleasure from working in his garden. Glenn loved going south to Padre Island for the winter months and traveling to other places. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather and friend. He will be greatly missed.

Those left to cherish his memory include his children: Cynthia Harrington (M.R.) of Omaha, Nebraska; Vincent (Pat) Harrington of Storm Lake, Iowa; Leigh Ann (Gregory) Schriber of Storm Lake, Iowa; grandchildren: Matthew (Nancy) Harrington of Wheaton, Illinois; Alexander Schriber of Storm Lake, Iowa; great grandson, Jackson Harrington of Wheaton, Illinois; sister, Patricia McKenna of Storm Lake, Iowa; extended family and friends.

Glenn was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Ardis Jean Harrington; grandson, Jeremy Winebrinner; brothers: Ray and Edward Harrington; and one sister, Violet Frederick.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Storm Lake
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Service

MAR 13. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Glenn Thomas Harrington*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - March 12, 2015 at 10:58 AM

FH

“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Homes - March 12, 2015 at 04:56 PM

DJ

“ *Deb And Kevin Jesse lit a candle in memory of Glenn Thomas Harrington*



Deb and Kevin Jesse - March 12, 2015 at 11:50 AM

DJ

Thinking of you.

Deb and Kevin Jesse - March 12, 2015 at 11:51 AM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Glenn Thomas Harrington.*



March 11, 2015 at 09:57 AM



“ *Janet Schneider lit a candle in memory of Glenn Thomas Harrington*



Janet Schneider - March 11, 2015 at 07:07 AM



“ *To the family of Glenn Harrington, I will not be able to attend the services, but I want to tell you Vince and your sisters that your Dad and I had a lot of great times together for a good number of years at the engineers office. He was a great man and friend. Here is thinking of you all. Jerry McKeever macminnie @msn.com*

Jerry McKeever - March 10, 2015 at 06:31 PM

SL

“ *Sallie & Duane Leibhart lit a candle in memory of Glenn Thomas Harrington*



Sallie & Duane Leibhart - March 10, 2015 at 05:55 PM

JD

“ *John And Connie Demers lit a candle in memory of Glenn Thomas Harrington*



John and Connie Demers - March 10, 2015 at 03:42 PM

DB

“ *I joined the staff at the Buena Vista County Engineers office in February of 1963. Glenn was a member of the staff so we became very well acquainted. He was a great guy to work with and I have so many great memories of our good times. He loved fishing, and shooting pool. Our sympathy and prayers to his children and other family members. I had a nice long visit with him just a short while back. Darel Burns*

Darel Dean Burns - March 10, 2015 at 12:39 PM

PC

“ *Pegi Cavanaugh lit a candle in memory of Glenn Thomas Harrington*



Pegi Cavanaugh - March 10, 2015 at 07:27 AM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Glenn Thomas Harrington.*



March 09, 2015 at 05:57 PM