



## Harold V. Bibler

April 10, 1929 - January 8, 2017

Harold V. Bibler, age 87, of Alta, Iowa died Sunday, January 8, 2017 at his home in rural Alta.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 14, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. at Summit Evangelical Free Church in Alta. Burial will follow in the Elk Township Cemetery with full military rites by the Alta VFW Post #6172. Visitation will take place Friday, January 13, 2017 from 6-8:00 p.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake. In lieu of flowers, a memorial fund has been established. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Harold Vernon Bibler was born April 10, 1929 in rural Cherokee, Iowa, the son of Clarence and Bessie (Mason) Bibler.

He attended country school in O'Brien County, Iowa and later graduated from Linn Grove High School in 1948.

In January of 1952, Harold joined the United States Army. He proudly served his country during the Korean Conflict and was honorably discharged in 1953.

On August 12, 1956, Harold was united in marriage to Irene Guthridge at the Riverside Presbyterian Church in Linn Grove. Together, they were blessed

with five children: Dan, Kris, Rick, Cindy, and Becky.

Farming was a life-long passion of Harold's. He devoted countless hours to the land and livestock. In return, he instilled a hard work ethic in his children and grandchildren.

Harold was a member of the Alta VFW Post #6172 and the Sioux Rapids American Legion Post #394. He also was a member of the BV Cattleman's, BV Pork Producers, and the Farm Bureau. A highlight of his later years included a trip on the Honor Flight to Washington D.C. Harold loved seeing all of the memorials and landmarks.

Harold enjoyed bowling, playing cards, telling jokes, and listening to country music. Most of all, family was very important to Harold. He loved spending time with his grandchildren and was always there to support them at events. Harold will be remembered as a loving and devoted husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather, brother, and friend to many. He will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Irene Bibler of Alta, Iowa; children: Dan Bibler of Alta, Iowa; Kris (Tony) Origer of Fairmont, Minnesota; Rick (Yumi) Bibler of Alta, Iowa; Cindy (Brian) Glienke of Aurelia, Iowa; Becky (Dean) Hoffman of Ankeny, Iowa; grandchildren: Kaylynn (Lee) Steinkamp of Fairmont, Minnesota; Tonya (Chad) Carlson of Fairmont, Minnesota; Mark Origer of Mankato, Minnesota; Jake Bibler of Alta, Iowa; Jessy (Travis) Smith of Storm Lake, Iowa; Jackson Mills of Cedar Falls, Iowa; Jesse Boehmer of Cedar Falls, Iowa; Niki (Ben) Carstens of Bagley, Iowa; Adam (Amy) Glienke of Washta, Iowa; Stacie Glienke of West Des Moines, Iowa; Alicia (Brendan Leiran) Hoffman of Bettendorf, Iowa; Michael Hoffman of Iowa City, Iowa; great grandchildren, Luther Steinkamp and Cahpri Carlson; brother, Norm (Lois) Bibler of Waverly, Iowa; sister-in-law, Jeannine (Wayne) Hansen of

Peterson, Iowa; extended family and friends.

Harold was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Gerald Bibler; niece, Joann Sparks; and nephew, Allen Bibler.

# Cemetery Details

## Elk Township Cemetery -- Alta

Alta, IA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 13. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - Storm Lake  
1615 W Milwaukee Ave,  
Storm Lake, IA 50588  
(712) 732-1911  
jensenfuneralhomes@gmail.com  
<https://www.fratzkejensen.com>

## Service

JAN 14. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Summit Evangelical Free Church  
1000 S. Main St.  
Alta, IA 51002

## Interment

JAN 14 (CT)

Elk Township Cemetery -- Alta  
Alta, IA



# Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Harold V. Bibler*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - January 15, 2017 at 11:27 AM

FH

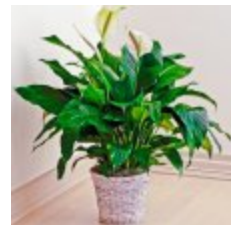
“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Homes - January 13, 2017 at 10:24 AM

DS

“ *Dan & Traci Sliefert purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Harold V. Bibler.*



Dan & Traci Sliefert - January 12, 2017 at 05:38 PM

RB

“ sorry to hear of Harolds passing . Harold was very generous to me in giving me access to his land .Never forget . R.I.P.  
*Bob Bush*

robert bush - January 11, 2017 at 11:46 PM

EF

“ Ed and Lorraine Hoffman and family purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Harold V. Bibler.



Ed and Lorraine Hoffman and family - January 11, 2017 at 10:01 PM



“ Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Harold V. Bibler.



January 11, 2017 at 05:02 PM

BD

“ Brad & Jill Droegmiller lit a candle in memory of Harold V. Bibler



Brad & Jill Droegmiller - January 11, 2017 at 05:01 PM



“ *European Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Harold V. Bibler.*



January 11, 2017 at 03:58 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Yellow and White was purchased for the family of Harold V. Bibler.*



January 11, 2017 at 12:53 PM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – White was purchased for the family of Harold V. Bibler.*



January 11, 2017 at 11:15 AM



“ *Jeff And Lory Krummen lit a candle in memory of Harold V. Bibler*



**Jeff and Lory Krummen** - January 11, 2017 at 10:41 AM

JO

“ Jeff & Marjean O'Bannon lit a candle in memory of Harold V. Bibler



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**Jeff & Marjean O'Bannon** - January 11, 2017 at 06:52 AM



“ Love's Embrace Roses – Red was purchased for the family of Harold V. Bibler.



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January 10, 2017 at 10:21 PM

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“ We send our sympathy to all of you. We remember how Jo loved and talked about her Uncle Harold and we know he will be missed by many. Thinking of you. Dwight and Diane Sparks

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**Dwight and Diane Sparks** - January 10, 2017 at 04:03 PM