

## LuVerne F. Vonnahme

October 7, 1927 - May 7, 2019

LuVerne F. Vonnahme, age 91, of Remsen, Iowa and formerly of Storm Lake, Iowa died Tuesday, May 7, 2019 at Happy Siesta Health Care Center in Remsen.

Funeral Mass will take place Saturday, May 11, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Storm Lake. Burial will be in the St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery. Visitation will take place Friday, May 10, 2019 from 4-8:00 p.m. with a rosary at 7:15 p.m. followed by a vigil service all at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in STORM LAKE. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

LuVerne Francis Vonnahme was born October 7, 1927 in Carroll, Iowa the son of William and Laura (Noethe) Vonnahme. As an infant, LuVerne was baptized at Holy Family Church in Lidderdale, Iowa.

Growing up, LuVerne attended school in Carroll and graduated from Carroll High School in 1946.

On May 24, 1949, LuVerne was united in marriage to Alice Pudenz at Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church in rural Carroll. Together, they were blessed with five children: Neil, Mark, Tim, Alan, and SueAnn.

LuVerne was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Storm Lake where he belonged to the Knights of Columbus. His faith was very important to him. In his spare time, LuVerne enjoyed traveling with his wife, Alice. He also loved dining with family and friends. Family was very important to him and he treasured spending time with them. LuVerne will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved him.

Those left to cherish his memory include his children: Neil (Denise) Vonnahme of Redmond, Washington; Mark (Rosie) Vonnahme of LeMars, Iowa; Tim (Barb) Vonnahme of Henderson, Nevada; Alan (Kimberly) Vonnahme of Villisca, Iowa; SueAnn (Tom) Lastuvka of Clive, Iowa; grandchildren: Adam (Sarah) Vonnahme; Jeff (Nicole) Vonnahme; Stephanie (Adam) Jones; Matt (Tara) Vonnahme; Mason Vonnahme; Morgan Vonnahme; Molly (Brandon) Bauer; Jill (Alexis) Marmol; Becca (Matt) Klein; Michael Lastuvka; Rachel (Garrett) York; Aaron Lastuvka; 16 great grandchildren; brothers-in-law: Ken (Karen) Pudenz and Fred (Theresa) Pudenz; extended family and friends.

LuVerne was preceded in death by his parents, Bill and Laura Vonnahme; wife, Alice Vonnahme; two brothers: Darrell Vonnahme and Bill Vonnahme; one sister, Ruth Schwartzkopf; and daughter-in-law, Teresa Vonnahme.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 10. 4:00 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>

## Rosary

MAY 10. 7:15 PM (CT)

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## Vigil Service

MAY 10. 7:30 PM (CT)

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## Funeral Mass

MAY 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church -- Storm Lake  
320 Seneca Street  
Storm Lake, IA

# Tribute Wall

DH

“ *LuVerne will be greatly missed by the Remsen community. He was a beloved resident at Happy Siesta Care Center. He was kind, compassionate and a very holy man. We loved taking communion to him on the weekends. He was so insightful to talk to and was always so appreciative to receive the Eucharist. He always called us "you people" and was quick to add words of praise for the day and thanks to God.*

*Our prayers are for LuVerne and his family. May God's perpetual light shine upon him, and may the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.*

*Doug and Vicki Heeren*

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**Doug & Vicki Heeren** - May 12, 2019 at 09:12 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.*



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May 10, 2019 at 05:04 PM

HS

“ *Harold and Karen(Pudenz) Schlichter purchased the Springtime Wishes for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.*



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**Harold and Karen(Pudenz) Schlichter** - May 10, 2019 at 10:04 AM



“ *Springtime Wishes was purchased for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.*



May 09, 2019 at 11:33 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White was purchased for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.*



May 09, 2019 at 04:03 PM



“ *Healing Tears - Yellow and White was purchased for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.*



May 09, 2019 at 02:54 PM



“ *2 files added to the album Memories Album*



**Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home** - May 09, 2019 at 01:38 PM



“ *Multicolor Bright Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.*



May 09, 2019 at 11:22 AM



“ *Springtime Wishes was purchased for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.*



May 09, 2019 at 10:53 AM



“ *White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.*



May 09, 2019 at 09:49 AM



“ *We here at Happy Siesta wish the family condolences as Vern was such a vital part to our facility everyday. He is missed by all, including residents, families and caregiving staff. God Bless!!*

**Lisa Loringg** - May 09, 2019 at 09:43 AM

KM

“ Kevin & Julie McKinney lit a candle in memory of LuVerne F. Vonnahme



Kevin & Julie McKinney - May 08, 2019 at 09:25 PM

JD

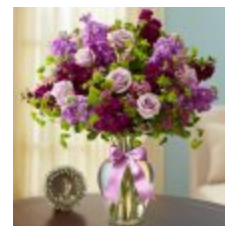
“ John/Connie Demers lit a candle in memory of LuVerne F. Vonnahme



John/Connie Demers - May 08, 2019 at 05:52 PM



“ Shades of Purple was purchased for the family of LuVerne F. Vonnahme.



May 08, 2019 at 04:18 PM

PG

“ Our sympathy & prayers to the family of LuVerne Vonnahme. May he RIP with your mother Alice. So we lit a candle in his memory.

Love, Lary & Patty Gunville  
Storm Lake, Iowa



PATTY GUNVILLE - May 08, 2019 at 08:57 AM

TC

“ *LuVerne was truly a "gentleman.".....and a "gentle man"....so sorry you're mourning his passing.*

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**Tim/Pegi Cavanaugh** - May 08, 2019 at 08:33 AM

KS

*When LuVerne worked for us in ServiceMaster he was such a good worker and dependable!! Enjoyed always "catching up with him"!! He was a very special person committed to his family and work! Peace to everyone*

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**Ken and Janet Strouse** - May 08, 2019 at 12:42 PM

SM

“ *Oh, we are so sorry to here about LaVerne :( Please know that we are thinking of you during this difficult time! KeithnShari*

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**Shari Meyer-Roethler** - May 07, 2019 at 04:38 PM