



## Steven C. Ensley

May 2, 1953 - January 17, 2020

Steven Ensley, age 66, of Storm Lake, Iowa passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on Friday, January 17, 2020 at his home in Storm Lake.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 25, 2020 at 1:30 p.m. at the Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in STORM LAKE. Visitation will take place on Friday, January 24, 2020 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home in STORM LAKE. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the family to aid in expenses. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Steven Ensley was born to Carroll Ensley and Eva (Waldstrom) Ensley on May 2, 1953, in Sioux Rapids.

Steve was united in marriage to Val Schossow, his best friend and soul mate, on November 13, 1982 in Laurens, Iowa. To this union, they were blessed with a daughter, Hope Ensley, on July 22, 1991.

Hope was the love of his life; they had a special relationship.

Throughout his working career, Steve owned his own roofing company, Ensley Roofing. He also liked to operate heavy equipment and worked in road

construction.

Steve loved riding motorcycles, old cars, going camping and fishing. Steve had developed a new passion working with wood, making walking sticks and sharing them with friends. Steve enjoyed life to the fullest and enjoyed spending time with his family and friends. Most of all, he enjoyed spending time with Hope.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Val of Storm Lake; daughter, Hope from Schaller; sister, Kaye (Regan) Haucshen of Sioux Rapids, Iowa; Raye (Paul) Thul of Arkansas; Chuck (Julia) Ensley of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Darlene Landsness of Washington; brother-in-law, Gerald Sassman of Sioux Rapids, Iowa; also many family, nieces and nephews. Also, his very special pets: Sandy, Gizmo, Lucy and Snuggles.

Steven was preceded in death by his parents, Carroll and Eva Ensley; brothers, Don Ensley and Rick Ensley; Shirley Willeford; Barb Sassman; maternal grandparents and paternal grandparents.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **24**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 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 **25**. 1:30 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Steven C. Ensley*



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**Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home** - January 24, 2020 at 11:39 AM



Joyce Williams

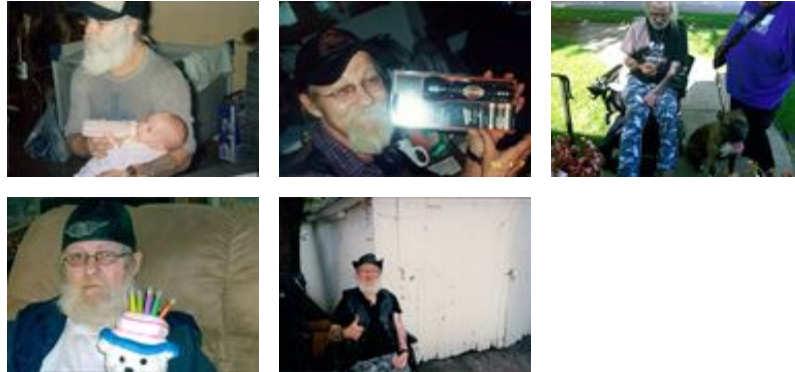
*That was beautiful! Steve & Val were a great couple together. Steve was always so kind.*

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**Joyce Williamson** - April 23, 2020 at 11:35 AM



“ *27 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home** - January 24, 2020 at 11:40 AM



“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - January 23, 2020 at 03:26 PM



“ Good bye Uncle Steve, thanks for the laughter! My prayers and blessings to everyone. - Tracy Ensley McGuire

Tracy Ensley McGuire - January 21, 2020 at 09:05 PM



“ Sorry for your loss Val

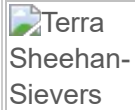
Amy Edberg - January 21, 2020 at 07:07 AM



“ Hevyn lit a candle in memory of Steven C. Ensley



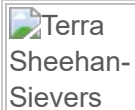
Hevyn - January 20, 2020 at 08:24 PM



“ *A piece of my heart is missing, since you left us Steve....I have never met a more pleasant and a big heart of a man such as him. I loved his humorous comebacks, no matter what was said. I've enjoyed working with you, and I will miss our walks in the parks and picking up big limbs and sticks then bring them back to your house. I will always keep my 2 beautiful "Walking Sticks" that you made for me, I will always cherish them. God's Blessings to your wife Val, and daughter, Hope.*

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**Terra Sheehan-Sievers** - January 20, 2020 at 07:25 PM

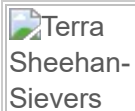


“ *Terra Sheehan-Sievers lit a candle in memory of Steven C. Ensley*



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**Terra Sheehan-Sievers** - January 20, 2020 at 07:18 PM



“ *Terra Sheehan-Sievers sent a virtual gift in memory of Steven C. Ensley*



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**Terra Sheehan-Sievers** - January 20, 2020 at 07:17 PM

PK

“ Steve will be deeply missed. We loved Him so very much.



Pamela Kuhn-schossow - January 20, 2020 at 05:53 PM

SZ

“ Suè Zemke lit a candle in memory of Steven C. Ensley



Suè Zemke - January 20, 2020 at 05:20 PM

BM

“ My sincere condolences to Val & Hope & the other family members. May he R I P. Sincerely, Bonnie Mester

Bonnie Mester - January 20, 2020 at 03:00 PM

SM

“ Val and Hope,

*I cannot begin to tell you how sorry I am for your loss. Steve has such a special place in my heart. I remember how we used to joke that I was one of many backup wives he had if something ever happened to Val. He was always making everyone around him laugh no matter how much pain he was in. He will truly be missed.*

*Shelby*



Shelby McLaughlin - January 20, 2020 at 12:03 PM

LH

*Val and hope . I am so sorry for your loss . Steve was an amazing funny person and he will be greatly missed . Wish I could make it back up that way to come to the service . Prayers to you all .*

**Lori hanlin** - January 20, 2020 at 07:01 PM

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“ *Shelly Schossow (LaVerne) lit a candle in memory of Steven C. Ensley*



**Shelly schossow (LaVerne)** - January 19, 2020 at 09:59 PM

VJ

“ *Vicki Jensen lit a candle in memory of Steven C. Ensley*



**vicki jensen** - January 19, 2020 at 11:30 AM

Jl

*Prayers to Steve's Family*

**Janice lhry** - January 20, 2020 at 05:50 PM

VJ

“ *i am so sorry for your loss Val i loved steve he will be missed but i take comfort in knowing that his long fight is now over and he can ride like the wind on his harley now God's Blessing to all the family give Hope a hug for me*

**vicki jensen** - January 19, 2020 at 11:29 AM

PH

“ So very sorry for your loss of Steve. May God hold you all in the palm of His and give you peace!

*Lynette Hansen  
John and Pam Henderson*

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**Pam Henderson** - January 18, 2020 at 05:11 PM

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**Pam Henderson** - January 18, 2020 at 05:08 PM