



Vern Claire Plagman

January 3, 1926 - July 30, 2015

Vern C. Plagman, age 89, of Adel, Iowa and formerly of Alta, Iowa passed away Thursday, July 30, 2015 at Kavanagh House in Des Moines, Iowa.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday, August 4, 2015 at 10:30 a.m. at Faith Lutheran Church in Adel. Burial will be at a later date in the Buena Vista Memorial Park Cemetery in Storm Lake. Visitation will take place Monday, August 3, 2015 from 5-7:00 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church in Adel. Memorials in Vern's name may be directed to: 25103 Calico Creek Lane Adel, Iowa 50003. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Vern Claire Plagman was born January 3, 1926 in Peterson, Iowa to Arthur and Anna (Luetkeman) Plagman. He attended Peterson Community School and played football, basketball and baseball with the nickname 'Tuffy.' He graduated from high school in 1944. He attended the University of Northern Iowa for a short time, before returning home to help on the farm.

Vern was the beloved husband of Phyllis (Goetschius) Plagman for 68 years. They met at the wedding of Phyllis's sister in January 1947 and were married on September 21, 1947. They lived in Linn Grove for a short time. They resided in Alta, Iowa for 40 years where he continued to farm. Vern and Phyllis were long time members of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Alta, Iowa.

Vern enjoyed sports of all kinds, especially baseball. He was a life-long fan of the Iowa Hawkeyes. Some of his favorite hobbies included horseshoes, hunting, walleye fishing and dartball.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother, Charles Plagman, sons, David and Terry Plagman, and daughter, Susan (Plagman) Reimers.

Vern will be forever remembered by his wife, Phyllis of Adel; sister, LaVonne (late-Delbert)

Schuknecht of Linn Grove; daughter, Cindy (Kirk) Schnoebelen of Altoona; sons, Kevin (Kris) Plagman of Adel and Jerry Plagman of Alta; two daughters-in-law: Rexene Plagman of Columbia; Denise Plagman of Runnells; 11 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; 1 great-great-grandchild; sister-in-law, Mary Alice Plagman; and many nieces and nephews.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 3. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Faith Lutheran Church - Adel
602 S. 14th Street
Adel, IA 50003

Service

AUG 4. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Vern Claire Plagman*



Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - August 03, 2015 at 04:08 PM

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“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Funeral Home - August 03, 2015 at 11:50 AM

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“ *Gull Wing Gang -- Al & Angie Wadsley purchased the Fields of Europe for Spring for the family of Vern Claire Plagman.*



Gull Wing Gang -- Al & Angie Wadsley - August 03, 2015 at 08:42 AM