



David Kohlhase Sr.

March 3, 1927 - September 22, 2016

A private service will be held for David John Kohlhase, Sr. of Bertha. David, age 89, passed away on Thursday, September 22, 2016 at his home in rural Bertha, MN.

David was born to Rudolph and Lillian (Kreutzer) Kohlhase at their home in Bertha Township, Todd County, MN, on March 3, 1927 where David lived his entire life. He completed his education at Bertha High School and became a dairy and crop farmer who never knew how to retire. His love for the outdoors was continued as he fished and also deer hunted for the elusive 20 point buck! David was united in marriage with Kimberly Kolstad on December 13, 1991 in Long Prairie. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, American Legion and National Farmers Organization (NFO).

David was preceded in death by his parents Rudolph and Lillian; brothers Charles, Philip, and Robert Kohlhase; and sisters Marie Busch and Ruth Messer.

He is survived by his wife Kim of Bertha; sons David Jr, Jonathon, and Jeremy Kohlhase all of Bertha and Anthony Kohlhase of Sauk Centre; daughters Christine Vorgert of OR, Melissa Lindell of De Smet, SD, and Tina Myrum of Freeport; along with 11 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren, with one more on the way.

David wanted to thank all of his family and friends for a good and fulfilling life.

Tribute Wall

BS

“ I am a cousin of David's from the NH branch of the family. I met him once when my husband and I biked across the country. My dad was Webster Kohlhase the 10th child of EJ and Maria. I was amazed at all the cousins I met who looked so very like us.

Barbara K Stone - June 24, 2025 at 09:40 PM

CH

“ Chris sent a virtual gift in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Chris - October 02, 2016 at 04:30 PM

NR

“ Nancy Rach lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Nancy Rach - September 30, 2016 at 02:59 PM

NR

“ Kim - I am so sorry for you loss. Our sympathy is extended to you and your family.
Nancy & Harry Racy

Nancy Rach - September 30, 2016 at 02:59 PM



“ Love you grandpa



Colette Underwood - September 29, 2016 at 09:53 AM

JD

“ John And Rhonda Dittberner sent a virtual gift
in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



John and Rhonda Dittberner - September 29, 2016 at 08:28 AM

TE

“ Sorry to hear this - our thoughts and prayers
are with all of you!



Tammy Elgin - September 29, 2016 at 08:05 AM

JS

I'm sorry for you're dad passing . God called another Angel home

Judy shultz - September 29, 2016 at 10:15 PM

DT

“ *Diane Teigland lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.*



Diane Teigland - September 28, 2016 at 09:45 AM

PA

“ *Polly Anderson lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.*



polly anderson - September 28, 2016 at 02:39 AM

PA

Kim, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. My prayers are with you. If you need someone to talk to call me. love, Polly

polly anderson - September 28, 2016 at 02:40 AM

AD

“ *Audrey Davis lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.*



Audrey Davis - September 27, 2016 at 09:17 PM

WV

“ Wayne And Marilyn Voge lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Wayne and Marilyn Voge - September 27, 2016 at 07:32 PM

BR

“ Brenda Roberts lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Brenda Roberts - September 27, 2016 at 09:56 AM

LS

“ Lea And Mike Snyder lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Lea and Mike Snyder - September 26, 2016 at 12:23 PM

MS

“ Mike Stokes lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Mike Stokes - September 26, 2016 at 12:15 PM

HS

“ Heidi Stokes lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Heidi Stokes - September 26, 2016 at 10:02 AM

RM

“ Robert & Maria Miner lit a candle in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Robert & Maria Miner - September 26, 2016 at 08:07 AM

TK

“ Tammie Klawitter sent a virtual gift in memory of David Kohlhase Sr.



Tammie Klawitter - September 25, 2016 at 08:54 PM