



Jerome "Jerry" Ament

December 7, 1946 - June 19, 2016

The memorial service for Jerome "Jerry" Ament will be celebrated at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 23, at the St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Bluffton, with Father Aaron Kuhn as celebrant. Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m., at the Johnson-Schuller Chapel in Wadena. Visitation will resume at the church on Thursday from 12:30 p.m. until the time of service.

Jerry passed away Sunday, June 19, 2016 at Tri-County Healthcare Hospital in Wadena, MN.

Jerry was born to Norbert and Theresia (Braith) Ament on December 7, 1946 near Bluegrass, MN. He was united in marriage with Margaret Skaro on June 15, 1968, at St. Hubert's Catholic Church in Bluegrass. Three children were born to this union, their twins Brian and Michele, and two years later, Dick.

Jerry worked with his dad on the farm until he was 20 years old. He went to work for Uselman Motors as a parts-man, Montgomery Wards and later Dick N Dale's Coast-to-Coast as a salesman. He also worked for Homecrest as a welder, Olson's Feed Store, Monarch Ice Cream, Purity Milk, and Beloved Computers. Jerry also worked in dairy farming. When time allowed, he loved being outdoors, especially when hunting and fishing.

In 2001 Jerry had a heart attack and stroke which made it necessary for him to reside at the Elder's Home in New York Mills and later Fair Oaks Lodge in Wadena.

Preceding Jerry in death were his parents Norbert and Theresa and brother Jeffrey.

Surviving Jerry are his devoted wife Margaret of Wadena; sons Brian (Kelly) of Vergas and Dick (Stephanie) of Lakeville; daughter Michele (Vaughn) Smith of Elk River; 10 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren; sisters Terri Kern, Karen (Tony) Mattson and Sheila (Tim) Maijala; brothers Norbert (Dianne), Stan (Jean) and Keith; along with numerous nephews, nieces, and aunts and uncles.

Burial will be in Leaf River Cemetery, Wadena, MN.

In lieu of flowers the family requests memorials go to a charity of your choice.

Cemetery Details

Leaf River Cemetery

12195 170th Street
Wadena, MN 56482

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN **22**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Johnson-Schuller Chapel
205 4th Street Southwest
Wadena, MN 56482
(218) 631-3632

Visitation

JUN **23**. 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
310 Main St.
Bluffton, MN 56518

Service

JUN **23**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
310 Main St.
Bluffton, MN 56518

Tribute Wall



“ *Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - June 21, 2016 at 07:51 PM

SO

“ *Sharyl Olson lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



sharyl olson - June 25, 2016 at 09:02 PM

JG

“ *Jim And Barb Gorghuber lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Jim and Barb Gorghuber - June 24, 2016 at 02:38 PM

BH

“ *Bob And Donna Haman lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Bob and Donna Haman - June 23, 2016 at 11:59 AM

RP

“ *Rick, Tracy, Joey & Ricky Price lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Rick, Tracy, Joey & Ricky Price - June 23, 2016 at 11:47 AM

VO

“ *Vining O. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Jerome "Jerry" Ament.*



Vining O. - June 22, 2016 at 01:30 PM

KA

“ *Kurt & Rachel Ament lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Kurt & Rachel Ament - June 22, 2016 at 11:57 AM

MT

“ *Missy Tabery lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Missy Tabery - June 22, 2016 at 07:51 AM

DS

“ *Dave Seaton lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Dave Seaton - June 22, 2016 at 06:28 AM

JB

“ *Jack & Lucille Belch lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Jack & Lucille Belch - June 21, 2016 at 11:05 PM

VK

“ *Vern And Jean Kemper lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Vern and Jean Kemper - June 21, 2016 at 10:37 PM

DT

“ Dave And Norie Trout lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Dave and Norie Trout - June 21, 2016 at 10:20 PM

RA

“ Roger & JoAnn Anderson lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Roger & JoAnn Anderson - June 21, 2016 at 07:24 PM



“ 27 files added to the album Life Tributes



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - June 21, 2016 at 07:24 PM

PB

“ I am so sorry for your loss Margaret, your children and their families. I have so many memories of Jerry as you do. My deepest sympathy to the entire family.



Patty Bernstetter - June 21, 2016 at 11:25 AM

CP

“ Dick, Steph and family,
We are very sorry for your loss! You all are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.
Our deepest sympathies,
Cindy, Dan and Dylan Pennington



Cindy Pennington - June 21, 2016 at 10:29 AM

RJ

“ I will surely miss Jerry at the Friday morning Mass at Fair Oaks. I really got to know him and his Dad when Terry was at the nursing home. They shared the same table at meals and we had such good conversations when I was there to feed Terry.
Jerry is now free, like Terry. They are free of that body that kept them from doing all the things they dreamt of doing when confined to a wheel chair.

Rose Johnson - June 21, 2016 at 09:57 AM

SD

“ Shelly & Josh Dukowitz lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Shelly & Josh Dukowitz - June 21, 2016 at 08:00 AM

LE

“ Lorraine Endres lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Lorraine Endres - June 21, 2016 at 06:52 AM

DK

“ Dan Kern lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Dan Kern - June 21, 2016 at 05:43 AM

PO

“ Pollyanderson lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



pollyanderson - June 21, 2016 at 04:26 AM

PO

We are all going to miss Jerry at Fair Oaks Lodge what a wonderful man he was. I am gonna miss him say Hey Polly wolly every time he would see me. He would always make my day, our hearts go out to his wonderful Wife who was always by his side , and to all of his Family , Jerry will be Greatly missed Love Polly Anderson

pollyanderson - June 21, 2016 at 04:38 AM

FO

“ *From your pals Tiffany & Little Joe Orsello purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Jerome "Jerry" Ament.*



From your pals Tiffany & Little Joe Orsello - June 21, 2016 at 01:31 AM

JT

“ *Jim And Vickie Thompson lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Jim and Vickie Thompson - June 20, 2016 at 10:37 PM

DS

“ *Doris (Ament) Schiele lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Doris (Ament) Schiele - June 20, 2016 at 09:40 PM

TB

“ Tom And Joan Brauch sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Tom and Joan Brauch - June 20, 2016 at 09:17 PM

 Debi Rohr

“ Debi Rohr lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Debi Rohr - June 20, 2016 at 09:15 PM

 Paula Swenson

“ My best childhood memories are mostly from spending time in Wadena, especially family reunions where we could catch up with family that we didn't see often enough. Much love to Margaret and Brian, Shelly, and Dick and the whole family that Jerry leaves behind. We love you!! Maybe Jerry and dad are enjoying a cup of coffee together and watching over us all...

Paula Swenson - June 20, 2016 at 09:13 PM

KW

“ Kim Wien sent a virtual gift in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Kim Wien - June 20, 2016 at 09:00 PM

KW

Sending you a hug, Margaret! Thinking of you and praying for you.

Kim Wien - June 20, 2016 at 09:01 PM

TK

“ *Tammie Klawitter lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Tammie Klawitter - June 20, 2016 at 08:22 PM

BB

“ *Bruce And Barb Brown lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



bruce and barb brown - June 20, 2016 at 06:38 PM

GW

“ *Glen Donna Wood lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament*



Glen Donna Wood - June 20, 2016 at 05:58 PM

TT

“ Tony's Transfer purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Jerome "Jerry" Ament.



Tony's Transfer - June 20, 2016 at 05:17 PM

LB

“ Londa Burgau lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Londa Burgau - June 20, 2016 at 04:28 PM

LB

“ Londa Burgau lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



londa burgau - June 20, 2016 at 04:24 PM

LB

“ Thoughts and prayers to you all. Jerry is at peace and probably literally running around up there making commotion 😊

londa burgau - June 20, 2016 at 04:22 PM

MS

“ Mike And Lea Snyder lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Mike and Lea Snyder - June 20, 2016 at 04:16 PM

JA

“ Joan Ament lit a candle in memory of Jerome "Jerry" Ament



Joan Ament - June 20, 2016 at 03:18 PM