



Neil Pollard

June 20, 1941 - August 20, 2023

The memorial service celebrating the life of Neil Pollard of Clarissa, will be held at 11:00a.m. on Saturday, August 26, at the Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church in Clarissa with Pastor Allen Mortenson presiding. Visitation will be held at the church on Saturday, from 9:30 a.m. until the time of the service.

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Neil's service can be viewed at [www.facebook.com/p/Schuller-Family-Funeral-Homes-Cremation-Services](http://www.facebook.com/p/Schuller-Family-Funeral-Homes-Cremation-Services)

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With family at his side, Neil passed away at the age of 82 on August 20, 2023, with loving care by his family and Moments Hospice.

Neil Robert Pollard was born to Lester and Ellen "Violet" (Peterson) Pollard on June 20, 1941, on the family farm at Lake Osakis, MN. At the age of six, his family moved to Eagle Bend where at the age of 15 he met Shirley Irene Moen, the love of his life. He graduated from high school in 1960 and they were married at Trinity Lutheran Church in Eagle Bend on July 29, 1961.

During the Vietnam war, Neil served in the U.S. Army from February 1966 until his honorable discharge January 1969. His education continued with the Army Electronics Devry Institute. Over the years he worked at Sears in Minneapolis, as a farmer, and mowed at cemeteries, sold headstones, along with driving

school bus.

As a lifetime member of the VFW he devoted many years in various ways; as a District Youth Activities Director, Unit Leader, Post Commander, and National Aide de Camp appointments. He belonged to the NRA, Church Council, and Cemetery Board.

Preceding Neil in death were his parents, Lester and Violet; brother, Dale; and parents-in-law, Dorothy and Sam Moen.

Missing Neil will be his wife, Shirley; children, Jonathan Pollard of Richmond, Jeffrey Pollard of Milaca, and Jennifer (Rick) Pollard-Winczewski of the Richmond and Eagle Bend area; two grandchildren; along with a host of extended family, friends and neighbors.

Burial will be in Hope Lutheran Cemetery in Eagle Bend, MN.

Cemetery Details

Hope Lutheran Cemetery

15115 County Road 22
Eagle Bend, MN 56446

Previous Events

Gathering of Family & Friends

AUG 26. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church
312 US Highway 71 East
Clarissa, MN 56440

Memorial Service

AUG 26. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Neil Pollard*



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - August 23, 2023 at 08:11 PM



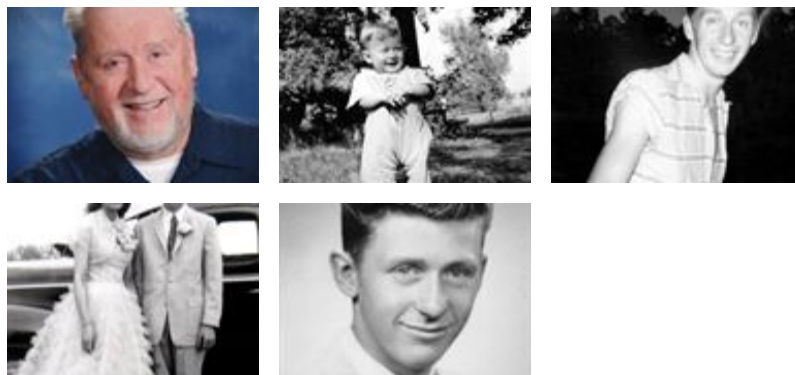
“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Neil Pollard.*



August 23, 2023 at 10:28 PM



“ *52 files added to the album Life Tributes*



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“ Mike & Jenny Aksamit & the ATI Family purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Neil Pollard.



Mike & Jenny Aksamit & the ATI Family - August 23, 2023 at 12:50 AM

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“ 3 files added to the tribute wall



Jenny Aksamit - August 23, 2023 at 12:16 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Neil Pollard.



August 22, 2023 at 09:57 PM

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“ Jon Johnson lit a candle in memory of Neil Pollard



Jon Johnson - August 21, 2023 at 06:01 PM