



Robert Brummer

April 3, 1933 - May 17, 2008

Robert Stanley Brummer, age 75, of Wadena passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, May 17, 2008 in Long Prairie, MN. He was born to William and Mary (Wehmeyer) Brummer on April 3, 1933 in Melvin, IA. Bob was united in marriage with Lois C. Stone on May 29, 1955 in Wadena. Bob will be remembered as a shop foreman at Goetz-Everson Motor, and as a former owner of a used car lot. He owned and operated Black Diamond Limo while also delivering for Auto Value in Wadena. He enjoyed socializing with friends and his weekly coffee buddies, puttering with his limo, painting cars or working under the hood, stock car racing, and was an avid Twins baseball fan. Bob was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Delbert; and sister-in-law, Milly. He is survived by his wife, Lois; son, Robert L. Brummer of Verndale; daughter, Cindy Walz of CA.; 2 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.; sister, Darlene (William) Lawrence of CA; a cousin who has been as close as a brother, George Wehmeyer; and many nieces, nephews, and great nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM on Thursday, May 22, 2008 in the United Methodist Church in Wadena with Pastor Orville Sauter officiating. Interment will be at Greenlawn Cemetery in Verndale. Pallbearers will be Troy Walz, Brian Walz, Keith Summerville, Wayne Stave, Les Leonard, and Jerry Bettin. Honorary Pallbearers will be Denny and Mavis Eckert, George and Marlys Wehmeyer, Ralph Knudson, Edward Papenfuss, and the Staff of Auto Value in Wadena.

Tribute Wall

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“ Bob was a very special brother-in-law. I remember all the rides to the stock car races with him and Lois before Ralph and I were married. Lois and I would cheer him on and then listen to him tell us what he needed to accomplish before the next race. Do you suppose that maybe this is where Troy got his interest in cars?

It seemed like only yesterday when Bob asked me about moving his family to the present home they live in. That was a very wise decision, right, Lois? You have a lot more space now than your first home located next to the cemetery.

It is so comforting to know that Bob had a strong faith and that he felt he was going to leave earth when he was 74. It is obvious to me that God has him in the palm of his hand with angels taking care of the passengers in his beloved limo. Just think how fortunate he is not to have to linger in pain. Yes, it is a shock to you as family members but Bob went just the way he wanted to go and the rest of us will survive.

We also realize he loved each of you. It wasn't easy for him to give a hug or say "I love you" but we know he did. It was so comforting to know that he had called you, Cindy and Bobby, on Saturday morning. You can treasure that in your hearts.

Our love to each of you as you grieve the loss of your husband, dad, grandpa and great grandpa.

*Blessings,
Uncle Ralph and Aunt Noni*

Noni - May 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Lois,

We are sorry to hear of Bob's passing. We have many fond memories of the 3 blessed years we spent in Wadena. We were so blessed to have made many good friends with the people of Wadena. I don't know if you remember us, owning & running the Westside Cafe from June, 1976 - June 1979.

We sure had fun shaking dice, playing cards, visiting and partying, etc. with you and Bob, George & Muggs, Jr & Irene, Ruthie & Maury and on and on. I see Terri Skon (Scott's wife) every so often. She is my "Avon" lady. So, every once in awhile I'd hear news about Wadena.

Russ remembers going with Bob to car auctions & driving cars back for him, too.

We have so many pleasant memories from those 3 years. Thank you so much for being a part of our lives and may God be with you and continue to bless you and yours during this difficult time.

Love, Russ & Mary Nelson, Osseo MN

Russ & Mary Nelson - May 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM