



Roger Beach

December 3, 1937 - May 27, 2020

The graveside service for Roger Beach, of Clarissa, will be held at noon on Saturday, May 30, at the Pleasant Mound Cemetery near Clotho.

Visitation will be held on Saturday at the United Methodist Church in Clotho from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the graveside service.

Under the tender care of CTCCC staff, Lakewood Hospice, and surrounded by his children, Roger, age 82, was called home to join Ginny for a good game of cards on Wednesday, May 27, 2020.

Roger Dean was born December 3, 1937 in Leslie Township, to George and Gladys (Hooseline) Beach. He attended country school until the 8th grade, and Eagle Bend Public School until the 10th grade. When he ended his school days he went to work for Johnny Sadlemyer hauling cattle and freight. He then was employed by Starry Construction of Long Prairie for 18 summers.

Roger had many stories of “fun” in his younger days and working on the road. In December of 1974, he met the love of his life, Virginia “Ginny” Pontius and they were married on March 21, 1975. The newlyweds decided the farm was where they wanted to raise their family; and in September of 1976, they made the move to the home farm in Burleene Township. It was there they raised

their three children and created many fond memories.

Roger drove red tractors and Ford trucks. He loved working the fields, bringing in the harvest, tending to his animals, and his many pets. Roger enjoyed spending time with family and friends.

Some of Roger's favorite pastimes included ice racing, snowmobiling, tractor pulls, four wheeling and relaxing with a cold beverage. After retiring he enjoyed checking crops, reading the paper, watching traffic on Hwy 71 and making special memories with his grandchildren.

In early 2003, Roger and Ginny sold their dairy cows. In 2004, the farm was sold to the third generation and they made their home in Clarissa. Roger's family made the difficult decision in 2015 to move him to Central Todd County Care Center where he resided until his death.

Preceding him in death: wife Virginia of 41 years (June 2016), parents George and Gladys Beach, in-laws Matt & Olga Pontius, brother Norman Beach, and several brother and sisters in-law.

Left to celebrate Roger's legacy are his children: Nancy (David) Toensing of Farmington, Bonnie (Jeremiah) Johnson of Bertha, Daniel (Nicole) Beach of Eagle Bend. Grandchildren: Connor, Quinn, and Wesley Toensing, Madison and Boston Johnson, Kaeden, Delani, and Harper Beach. Brothers: Myron, Dennis (Karen), Terry (Edna), Alan (Sheryl) Beach and their families. Special lifetime friends Doug and Pam Sherman. In-laws, Janet Thorud, Helen Pontius, and Lonna Olson, along with many nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers are David Toensing, Jeremiah Johnson, Bryan Olson, Dale Olson, Jeff Sarff, and Eric Denny. Honorary Pallbearers are his grandchildren.

Burial will be in held in Pleasant Mound Cemetery, Clotho, MN.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Mound Cemetery

Leslie Township, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY **30**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

United Methodist Church - Clotho
15427 Co Rd 38
Clotho, MN 56440

Graveside Service

MAY **30**. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (CT)

Pleasant Mound Cemetery
Leslie Township, MN

Tribute Wall



“ Schuller Family Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Roger Beach



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - May 29, 2020 at 03:56 PM

DT

I am so so sorry that I did not see when the service was I feel terrible that I did make it over there the Rodger and to see you guys to tell you I'm very sorry I am for your loss and just to be with you guys I really would have enjoyed that so so much I love you guys and I'm sure Judy my sister would have loved to attend with me she spent a lot of time with your parents have a wonderful day all of you my condolences again love Dan and Linda and Judy

Dan Thorud - May 31, 2020 at 09:26 AM

JJ

“ Jon Johnson lit a candle in memory of Roger Beach



Jon Johnson - May 29, 2020 at 05:13 PM

GV

“ Dan & Nicole,

So sorry hear of your Dad's passing. He and your Mom were always so friendly and giving to Ann and me. May you and your children be blessed with wonderful memories!

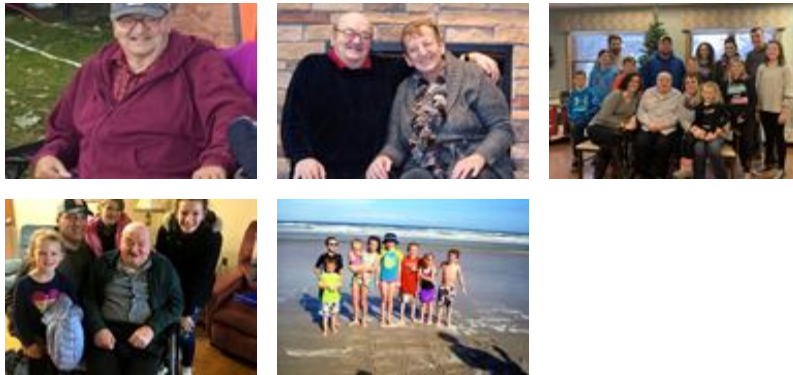
Blessing,

Pastor Gerry Vuchetich

Gerry Vuchetich - May 29, 2020 at 04:26 PM



“ 45 files added to the album Life Tributes



Schuller Family Funeral Homes - May 29, 2020 at 03:49 PM

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“ Friends at Long Prairie Rotary. purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Roger Beach.



Friends at Long Prairie Rotary. - May 29, 2020 at 02:55 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roger Beach.*



May 29, 2020 at 07:57 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Roger Beach.*



May 29, 2020 at 05:30 AM