

Stanley Brastad

February 13, 1923 - July 3, 2017

The Memorial Mass for Stanley Brastad, formerly of Staples, will be celebrated at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 15, at the St. Hubert's Catholic Church in Blue Grass with Father Lauren Germann as celebrant. Visitation will be held at the church on Saturday from 9:30 a.m. until the time of Mass. Stanley, 94, passed away on July 3, 2017, at the Lakewood System Care Center in Staples, MN.

Stanley was born to Einar and Ann (Gilbertson) Brastad on February 13, 1923 in Browerville, MN. He completed high school and entered the US Army in 1942, where he served during WWII. He received honorable recognition earning six bronze stars and was discharged in 1945. Stan married Lucille Kasper on April 19, 1947. They moved to the Twin Cities where he was employed in the plumbing industry. After retiring they moved and lived in Staples area for 22 years.

Stanley found fulfillment in working and caring for his family. A special focus was helping his kids and grandkids achieve their life goals.

Stanley was preceded in death by his wife Lucille on August 3, 2010; parents Einar and Ann; and daughters Patricia Keegan and Karin Frenz.

He is survived by sons Larry (Diane) Brastad of Buffalo and Einar Brastad of

Staples; daughter Phyllis (Mike) Willis of Plymouth; along with 10 grandchildren, 21 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild.

Honorary pallbearers will be Oran Willis, Jason Brastad, Brian Brastad, Adam Frenz, Michael Lother, Mark Lother, Jeff Dagen and Dan Batten.

Burial will be held at St. Hubert's Catholic Cemetery, Blue Grass, MN.

Cemetery Details

St. Hubert's Catholic Cemetery

17343 220th Street
Sebeka, MN 56477

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 15. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Hubert's Catholic Church
22008 Co Rd 23
(10 miles N. of Verndale on Co Rd 23)
Blue Grass, MN 56477

Service

JUL 15. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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“ *Sorry to hear about Stanley's passing. We owned land next to his and enjoyed his neighborly friendship. The Sartell Brothers (Dan, Jim, Bill)*

Dan Sartell - August 01, 2017 at 11:42 AM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Stanley Brastad.*



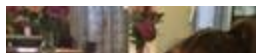
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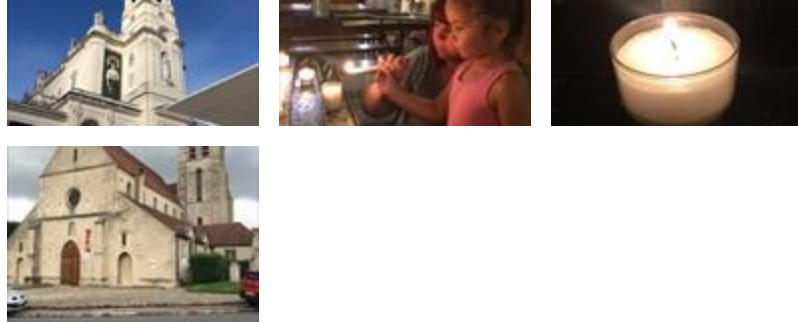
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“ Since your passing I visited several churches,
Each time reflecting on my time with you,
You are gone but not forgotten,
Please know that I will always remember you.

Miss you
No words I write can ever say
How much I miss you everyday
As time goes by, the loneliness grows;
How I miss you, nobody knows!
I think of you in silence,
I often speak your name.
But all I have are memories
And photos in a frame.
No one knows my sorrow,
No one sees me weep
But the love I have for you
Is in my heart to keep
I've never stopped loving you
I'm sure I never will;
Deep inside my heart,
You are with me still.
Heartaches in this world are many
But mine is worse than any.
My heart still aches as I whisper low,
"I need you and I miss you so."
The things we feel so deeply are often the hardest to say
But I just can't keep quiet anymore,
So I'll tell you anyway.
There is a place in my heart
That no one else can fill;
I love you so, grandfather
And always will.

Author Unknown





Kristie How - July 12, 2017 at 01:58 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Stanley Brastad.



July 12, 2017 at 01:10 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Stanley Brastad.



July 10, 2017 at 02:37 PM



“ *We are extending our sympathies to Larry and Diane and family. The Vierkant Family*



Myrtle Vierkant - July 07, 2017 at 04:06 PM



“ *Myrtle Vierkant lit a candle in memory of Stanley Brastad*



Myrtle Vierkant - July 06, 2017 at 04:14 PM



“ *Alan & Shirley Malone lit a candle in memory of Stanley Brastad*



Alan & Shirley Malone - July 06, 2017 at 12:21 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Stanley Brastad.*



July 06, 2017 at 12:20 PM