



Andrew "Andy" Walden Bolin

August 9, 1927 - March 17, 2025

Andrew "Andy" Walden Bolin, 97 of Grand Island passed away on Monday, March 17, 2025, at Grand Island VA Medical Center. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, March 24, 2025, at All Faiths Funeral Home, visitation one hour prior. Dan Naranjo will officiate. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation. Condolences can be left at www.giallfaiths.com.

Andy was born on August 9, 1927, and was the 6th child of 8 on the family farm in Cuming County west of Oakland, Nebraska to Oscar Bolin and Signe Carlson Bolin in Oakland, NE. Andy grew up in the Oakland and West Point Area and received his education from District No. 69 in rural Cuming County. He farmed on the family farm until 1950 when he enlisted in the United States Navy at Fort Omaha, Omaha, Nebraska. Andy was assigned to the Naval Air Station at Jacksonville, Florida and the ZPI Naval Squadron at Elizabeth City, North Carolina where he worked on anti-submarine warfare operations and served during the Korean War. Andrew was employed by the Railway Express Agency in Omaha, Nebraska after the war.

Andy was united in marriage to Flora Scheer in June 1965 in North Platte, Nebraska, following their marriage they lived in Omaha until they moved to Grand Island in 1968. Andy was a real estate agent, and later a ticket agent for Greyhound. He retired in 1990 and enjoyed managing the family farm in Osceola, Nebraska due to his love of the land and gardening. Andy was a history buff that was sparked by his military career and the world around him.

He was gifted with a remarkable memory right up to the end of his life. Andy was a member of the Elks Club, Saddle Club, VFW, and Platt-Deutsch. Andy also had a strong foundation in his faith as a practicing Jehovah Witness.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife, Flora; children, Mark Bolin of Omaha, and Tiffany (Heath) Reinders; grandchildren, Adrianna Reinders and Grayson Reinders of Omaha and many nieces and nephews, as well as extended family and special friends.

Andy was preceded in death by his parents and siblings, Carl Bolin of Omaha, NE, Edward Bolin of Grand Island, NE, Marian Fritz of Huntington Beach, CA, Dorothy Uehling of Omaha, NE, Helen Larson of San Diego, CA, Laura Fineberg of Van Nuys, CA, and Anita Knutson of Omaha, NE.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **24**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall

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“ To Flora, Mark, and Tiffany, we are so sorry for the loss of your adoring, beloved Andy. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Uncle Andy is our mother’s favorite uncle and our grandma’s favorite brother. A great one of the Greatest Generation, we will remember Uncle Andy as humorous, kind, compassionate, hardworking, and patriotic. Most especially, we will remember Uncle Andy as a devoted, loving family man. A talented, prolific writer with beautiful handwriting, Uncle Andy’s letters will continue to be deeply cherished and treasured by our family. It comforts us to know that Uncle Andy is now in heaven with our grandma, his six other siblings, and his parents. We love you Uncle Andy!

With love,
Natalie and Jennifer Cirar

Natalie Cirar - March 24, 2025 at 07:30 PM

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“ Lynn and Cliff Greenwald planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Andrew "Andy" Walden Bolin.

Lynn and Cliff Greenwald - March 23, 2025 at 04:31 PM

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“ Lynn and Cliff Greenwald purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Andrew "Andy" Walden Bolin.



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“ THE BUSCH'S purchased the Simply Elegant Sp
athiphyllum for the family of Andrew "Andy"
Walden Bolin.



THE BUSCH'S - March 23, 2025 at 09:07 AM

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“ Ross and Kim planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Andrew "Andy"
Walden Bolin.

Ross and Kim - March 21, 2025 at 03:29 PM

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“ Ross and Kim purchased the Emerald Garden Ba
sket for the family of Andrew "Andy" Walden
Bolin.



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“ *The Peterson Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Andrew "Andy" Walden Bolin.*



The Peterson Family - March 20, 2025 at 10:04 AM