



Darwin Dean Katzberg

June 15, 1944 - December 21, 2017

Darwin Dean Katzberg, 73, of Grand Island passed away on Thursday, December 21, 2017, surrounded by loved ones.

A memorial service and celebration of life will be held at 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, December 27th at All Faiths Funeral Home. Burial of ashes will be at a later date.

Darwin was born June 15, 1944 in Hartwell, NE, the son of Albert and Dorothy (Groff) Katzberg. He attended school in Kenesaw, graduating with the class of 1962. He then attended Barber School in Lincoln and he barbered for several years in Grand Island. On August 30, 1964, he married Connie (Murphy) Allen. They lived in Grand Island and also for a short time in Palm Desert, CA. He was the owner and manager of Katzberg Concrete Construction until he retired. Darwin married Judith Ann "Judy" (Linden) Christensen on April 27, 2004. They loved taking road trips, short ones on his Harley motorcycles and longer ones in the "Winnie". Darwin had an adventurous spirit, always trying new things and loved living his life on the edge. His additional enjoyments included woodworking, fishing and shooting one of his many guns. Darwin always seemed to have a project to work on and loved passing time with his friends at The Bunkhouse. He also enjoyed his grandchildren and great-grandchildren, giving countless rides on the tractor, mower, four wheeler or gator.

Those left to cherish his memory include his children, Gregory (Lisa) Katzberg of Hastings, Kristi Katzberg of Grand Island and Michael (Lisa) Katzberg of

Grand Island; stepchildren, Brenda Karr (Todd Friesen) of Grand Island, Angie (Kelly) Fegter of North Carolina, Amy (Jason) Deras of Grand Island and Carissa Christensen Rickard of Grand Island; sister, Sherry Katzberg McComas of Kansas; the mother of his children, Connie Allen of Grand Island; 15 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and many extended family and dear friends.

He was predeceased by his wife, Judith Ann Katzberg; his parents; and sister, Loene Wessels.

Memorials are suggested to the family.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

DEC 27. 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Darwin Dean Katzberg

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ Dear Greg, Kristi, Michael, Brenda, Angie, Amy, and Carissa, and families,

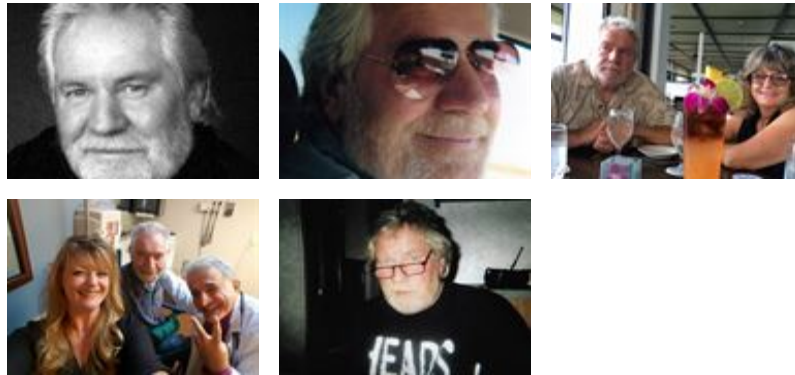
I am thinking of all of you and your families in the loss of Judy and Darwin this year. I am sorry I could not attend either of the funerals. I was blessed to get reconnected with both of them in 2016 during Darwin's stay at the hospital in Kearney when my sister-in-law Glane Lambrecht was also a patient there right next door. We had some good laughs and he was ornerier than I remembered him. Much like my 4 brothers. That Katzberg humor is contagious. So sad that both of them are gone from earth, but both together again. I know your Christmas brought pain, but thanks to God sending that baby in the manger, we have hope that we can be with our loved ones again forever. I am sending a donation to the American Cancer Society in their memory. This first year without them will be painful but from my own experience as time goes by, you will find the pain replaced with fond memories of your parents, and may even find yourself acting or talking like them and smile. May God heal your broken hearts and may you feel His presence through family and friends who loved your parents, too.

*In Christ's love,
Cousins Jim & Carolyn (Lambrecht) McCurry*

Carolyn McCurry - January 07, 2018 at 05:27 PM



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All Faiths Funeral Home - December 27, 2017 at 09:32 AM

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“ My sincere condolences. Darwin was such a kind person. I have never forgot about the short time I was fortunate enough to work for him. Sorry for your loss.

Bob Ketchmark

Bob Ketchmark - December 25, 2017 at 08:25 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Darwin Dean Katzberg.



December 24, 2017 at 04:39 PM

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“ *What a great person, worked with Darwin here in California, we had a great time on the job. My condolences to the family.*

- Kent Dreher

Kent Dreher - December 24, 2017 at 02:55 PM