



## David M. Bailey

March 26, 1934 - November 11, 2020

David M. Bailey, 86 of rural Grand Island, died on Wednesday, November 11, 2020 at the Kearney Regional Medical Center of cardiac arrest.

Public visitation will be held on Sunday, November 15th from 5-7 PM at All Faiths Funeral Home. To help protect others, facemasks are required.

A celebration of life service will be at a later date. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designations.

Dave was born on March 26, 1934 on a family farm in Colfax County the son of Glen and Ellen (Andersen) Bailey. He was raised on the farm northeast of Schuyler and graduated from Platte Center High School class of 1952.

He was united in marriage to Josephine "JoAnn" Pensick on April 16, 1955.

Dave and his father started Bailey Digging Service. The name of the company later changed to Bailey Septic Service. He and JoAnn also owned and operated Ye Old Hideaway which was located on South Locust. For many years Dave bartended at Fonner Park Clubhouse.

His enjoyments included gardening and fishing. He was blessed with the ability to out-fish anyone.

Those left to cherish his memory include his wife of 65 years, JoAnn; their children, Dan Bailey, Vicki Hellbusch, Mike (Stacy) Bailey, Bruce Bailey and Brian Bailey all of Grand Island; 11 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren; special niece, Melinda Bailey and her daughter, Snové and cousins Rebecca, Rose, Blohm and Pam.

He is preceded in death by his mom and stepfather, Ellen and John Monie; his

father, Glen; daughter, Christine; twin-brother, Daniel; brother, James and  
aunt, Irene Hahn.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **15**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *David M. Bailey*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *I will miss Dave and and and the time we shared fishing. I can remember Dave, waking me up early in the morning, so we could be down at the tail race at sun rise. We always came back with a stringer full of fish. Dave loved catching catfish! Dad and I even made a few trips to Sherman for the crappie tournaments or just to spend some time together fishing.*

*Growing up it seemed like every weekend our family was at your house or your family was at our house. The sandlot games were always fun. Holidays were alway fun, "especially on the 4th of July" since many were spent at the cabin grilling, swimming, playing king of the raft and just enjoying the time spent with all the relatives. Dave definitely enjoyed the fireworks especially when he could spook someone with a pack of firecrackers. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.*

*Jim and Cindy Gonka*

**Jim and Cindy Gonka** - November 15, 2020 at 06:23 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of David M. Bailey.*



November 14, 2020 at 05:50 PM

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“ *My deepest sympathy to JoAnn and the Bailey Family! I am blessed to have so many wonderful memories at a fishing hole or Fonner Park races with Dave! Like so many, I'm a better fisherman because of him. I am also a better man for having met Dave! Rest In Peace, my friend. 🙏🏻*

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