



Delphie D. Kosmicki

March 22, 1933 - January 6, 2020

Delphie D. Kosmicki, 86, of Grand Island passed away on Monday, January 6, 2020 at UNMC in Omaha.

Mass of Christian burial will be 10:30 a.m. Monday, Jan. 13, at St. Mary's Cathedral. Father Richard Piontkowski is the Celebrant. Burial is in West Lawn Cemetery with military honors provided by the United States Army and the Grand Island Veterans Honor Guard.

Visitation is from 3-5 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 12, at All Faiths Funeral Home with a Rosary at 5:00 p.m.

Delphie was born March 22, 1933 in Ashton, Nebr., the son of Peter and Julia (Zielinski) Kosmicki. He grew up and received his education in Ashton. On May 28, 1953 Delphie entered the United States Army, serving during the Korean War. He was honorably discharged April 21, 1955. Following his discharge, he attended Kearney State College.

On October 6, 1973 Delphie married Elizabeth Holste. They made their home in Grand Island. He was employed at the Ordinance Plant; however, the majority of his career was in sales.

Delphie was proud to be part of the Korean Hero Flight in 2015.

A member of St. Mary's Cathedral and the Central Nebraska Antique Tractor & Equipment Club, Delphie was dubbed the official BB Gun Repairman for his coffee group. He immersed himself in music, striking up tunes on harmonica or guitar, and frequently took his wife's hand to dance when their favorite songs filled the air. Delphie's inquisitive nature kept him actively exploring new

horizons at the dawn of each day.

Those who will cherish Delphie's memory include his wife of 46 years, Elizabeth; children, Alan Kosmicki, Michael Kosmicki of Grand Island, Devin (Sara) Kosmicki of Lincoln, Andrea (Dave) Hoarau of Jacksonville, FL, and Jennifer Kosmicki (Daniel Zebert) of Lincoln; nine grandchildren, Eric (Chelsey) Kosmicki, Cody (Krystal) Kosmicki, Cooper Kosmicki, Caiden Kosmicki, Maggie (Alex) Heimes, Sydney Novak, and Ezra, Aveline and Ellianna Hoarau; and six great-grandchildren.

He is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews, and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Richard (Alberta) and Leo; and five sisters, Evelyn (George) Petrisor, Dorothy (Bob) Hiser, Loretta (Mike) Pierczyk, Dolores (Ray) Powell, and Irene (Vincent) Bruha.

Flowers are welcome; contributions are suggested to the family.

Cemetery Details

Westlawn Memorial Park

Grand Island, NE

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 12. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
2929 S Locust St
Grand Island, NE 68801
(308) 398-2929
allfaiths@giallfaiths.com
<https://www.giallfaiths.com/>

Rosary

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Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 13. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Cathedral
112 S Cedar St
Grand Island, NE 68801-5897
(308) 384-2523

Tribute Wall



“ *Delphie D. Kosmicki*

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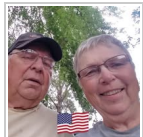
“ *What a great guy. He shared many stories of northern Sherman county. Recently he gave me three canceled pay certificates that were written to Lucille Toczek, my dad's Joseph J Toczek, youngest sister. Delphine was very kind and protective of new enlistee in coffee group. I will miss him.*

Michael A Toczek - January 13, 2020 at 10:00 AM



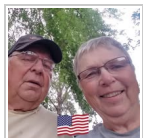
“ *My condolences to you Aunt Elizabeth and family. I always admired Uncle Delphie as he radiated kindness. My thoughts are with you at this time of heartbreak and great loss.*

Angela D. Kosmicki - January 13, 2020 at 07:56 AM



“ *We will miss Delphine at Thursday VA coffee group. Douglas McHenry always enjoyed visiting with him.*

Linda McHenry - January 11, 2020 at 05:19 PM



“ *Linda McHenry lit a candle in memory of Delphie D. Kosmicki*



Linda McHenry - January 11, 2020 at 05:16 PM

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“ *My regards for you Elizabeth and all of Delphie s family on his passing, may God's comfort be with you.*

Dee Rollins - January 10, 2020 at 04:29 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Delphie D. Kosmicki.*



January 09, 2020 at 09:13 PM