



Eric E. Stelk

April 30, 1952 - July 1, 2019

Eric E. Stelk, 67, of Grand Island passed away on Monday, July 1, 2019, with his family at his side.

Mass of Christian burial will be 10:30 a.m. Monday at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church. Father Marty Egging is the celebrant. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. Sunday at the church with a Vigil Service at 7:00.

Eric was born April 30, 1952, in Grand Island, the son of Elmer and Delma (Kuhlman) Stelk. He attended District 23 country school in southern Hall County. In 1959, he and his family moved to Merrick County and he attended District #1 Lockwood. Eric graduated from Northwest High School, class of 1970 and in 1974 graduated from Kearney State College with a Bachelors' degree in Business Administration.

In 1973, Eric married Chris Bolin and they raised two sons, Jeremy and Evan. Upon graduating college, Eric entered the banking business with First National Bank. He later worked for Schuppan Sales and Service and then spent the majority of his working years with a career at Five Points Bank. A career he thoroughly enjoyed. In addition to his professional career, he also worked the family farm until his death.

Eric was not a man of many hobbies, but was involved in 4-H and FFA and FFA Alumni as his sons grew up. He thoroughly enjoyed square dancing and ballroom dancing where he made many friends. He was a member of Blessed Sacrament Church and the Platt Duetsche.

Those left to cherish his memory include his sons, Jeremy (Kristy) Stelk of

Chapman and Evan (Heidi) Stelk of St. Paul; four grandchildren, Katlynn, Cassidy, Elijah and Mikah; brother, Monte (Karla) Stelk of Grand Island; many nieces and nephews and their families; and numerous cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Memorials are suggested to Eric Stelk Memorial, which will be placed in a scholarship fund for Northwest High School FFA.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church
518 W State St
Grand Island, NE 68801-3552
(308) 384-0532

Vigil Service

JUL 7. 7:00 PM (CT)

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Mass of Christian Burial

JUL 8. 10:30 AM (CT)

Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church
518 West State Street
Grand Island, NE 68801

Tribute Wall



“ *Eric E. Stelk*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *I'm very sorry for the loss of your brother -,father,grandfather,Monte and to the rest of the family , I grew up along side Eric and Monte as my parents and their parents were good friends. Eric later on would come by and visit my mom and dad ,my dad especially enjoyed his visits. I will send a memorial in Eric's name*

Carol Rief Johnson - July 15, 2019 at 10:24 AM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Eric E. Stelk.*



July 05, 2019 at 12:03 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Eric E. Stelk.*



July 03, 2019 at 12:41 PM

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“ *Jeremy, Evan and families....I enjoyed working with your dad for so many years at the bank. He had numerous stories he enjoyed sharing....and loved his family dearly. He will be greatly missed. Thoughts and prayers are sent your way. Janie and Gary Trump*

Janie Trump - July 02, 2019 at 11:04 PM



Robb and I send our deepest sympathy to your family. I attended High School with Eirc and he was a great friend then and always. He will be missed. Bob Hersh Geer NWHS 70

Robert Hershgeer - July 05, 2019 at 10:16 AM

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*Monte,
I am sorry for the loss of your brother.
Tracy Miller*

Tracy Miller - July 05, 2019 at 04:23 PM

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My Sympathys to the Family of Eric. I graduated with Eric at Northwest high school. Linda (Briseno) Smith

LindaSmith - July 07, 2019 at 11:38 PM