



## Harold Zessin

November 8, 1926 - June 4, 2021

Harold V. Zessin, 94, of Grand Island, passed away on Friday, June 4, 2021. Service and celebration of Harold's life will be held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday at All Faiths Funeral Home. Dan Naranjo will officiate. Burial will follow in Grand Island City Cemetery with military honors.

There will be a visitation for friends and family beginning at 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday until time of the service.

Harold was born November 8, 1926, at Meadow Grove, NE, the son of Victor and Josephine Zessin. Growing up near Meadow Grove, he attended country school until 8th grade and then had to help his father on the farm.

On September 9, 1952, Harold was inducted into the U.S. Army, serving during the Korean War. During his tour he drove the truck carrying the ammunition for the 105mm Howitzer he towed behind. He was honorably discharged June 19, 1954.

Harold married Arlene Stueckrath on February 25, 1956. The couple farmed in Pierce County, retiring in 1976. They then moved to Norfolk and Harold worked at the Norfolk Livestock Sale Barn. Harold later worked at the Norfolk Regional Center before being transferred to the Grand Island Veterans' Home in 1981. He and Arlene made Grand Island their final home.

Following his retirement from the Veterans' Home, Harold spent his time doing odd jobs and looking after the elderly that needed extra help.

Those left to cherish his memory include his daughter and son-in-law, Kathy and Karl Siemon and his beloved grandson, Craig Siemon, all of Grand

Island; sister and brother-in-law, Donna and Orville Thompson of Omaha. He is also survived by his brother-in-law, Robert and wife, MaryAnn and their family of Madison, NE; sister-in-law, Donna Hughes and family of Hastings; several nieces and nephews and many wonderful friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 59 years, Arlene; his parents; sister and brother-in-law, Delores and Hillard Klug; and three sisters-in-law and two brothers-in-law.

Memorials are suggested to The ARC of Central Nebraska.

Online remembrances may be left at [www.giallfaiths.com](http://www.giallfaiths.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 9. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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

## Celebration of Life Service

JUN 9. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Harold Zessin*

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“ *Just wanted you to know how sorry we are for your loss. We always enjoyed visiting with "Grandpa" at the Arc dances. Jim, Gerre and Kevin Kurtenbach*

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