



Joe H. Obermeier

August 29, 1938 - June 9, 2024

'Joe' Joseph H. Obermeier, 85 of Grand Island died Sunday, June 9, 2024. Services will be held at 10:30 AM Monday, June 17th at Messiah Lutheran Church. Reverend Steven Peeler will officiate. Burial will be in the Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 4-6 PM Sunday at All Faiths Funeral Home. Memorials are suggested to Messiah Lutheran Church or the Grand Island Veterans Cemetery.

Joe was born on August 29, 1938 in Hamilton County the son of Carl and Mabel (Bigger) Obermeier. He was raised on family farms near Harvard and Giltner, graduating from Giltner High School class of 1956. He served in the Nebraska Army National Guard.

On April 27, 1959 he was united in marriage to the love of his life, Dixie Ingram. This union was blessed with children, Anita, Bill and Tami. Joe worked as a mechanic for Bill and Bud's Texaco, Diers Ford and then for several years at New Holland, retiring in 1985.

His memberships included Messiah Lutheran Church, volunteering as an usher for many years, Platt Duetsch, American Legion and NCHA Camping Club. He and Dixie traveled to square dances. They enjoyed camping and traveling with friends Hump and Betty. They wintered in Texas for many years. He enjoyed volunteering at the Salvation Army serving meals. Joe loved woodworking, building toy boxes, cradles, Nativity Scenes. He also loved riding his motorcycle, 'Miss Dixie'.

Those left to cherish his memory include his children, Anita (Mike) Harmon of rural Trumbull, Bill (Teresa) Obermeier of Wichita, KS and Tami (Doug Otte) Obermeier of St. Paul, NE; grandchildren, Justin (Mikenzie) Harmon, Stephanie (Bryce) Anderson, Jacob (Kerri) Harmon, Gabe (Felicia) Harmon, Clay (Bethany) Harmon, C.J. Happold and Breanne Wilton and 14 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Dixie on April 22, 2005; his parents; sisters, Doris (Virgil) Lange and Julia Elaine (Melvin) Dukesherer and brother, Donald (Marcella) Obermeier.

Cemetery Details

Westlawn Memorial Park

3826 West Stolley Park Road
Grand Island, NE 68803

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

JUN 17. 10:30 AM (CT)

Messiah Lutheran Church
7th and Locust St.
Grand Island, NE 68801

Visitation - 4-6 PM Sunday at All Faiths Funeral Home

Tribute Wall

DA

“ Dear Anita and Family - I am so sorry to hear about Joe's passing. He was such an incredible man and I don't think I ever saw him without a smile on his face and a twinkle in his eyes, always so easy going. Dixie and Joe were such a mainstay for Messiah. I know they will be missed by many. Sending hugs - Danita (Battles) Alderton

Danita S. Alderton - June 28, 2024 at 10:57 AM

KW

“ Joe was a great neighbor and friend. He was so proud of his kids and grandkids. He missed Dixie so much and my only solace that he is gone is he gets to be with her now.

Kim Witter - June 16, 2024 at 12:02 PM

LS

“ Love, Mario Schillace, Valerie & Sandi purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joe H. Obermeier.



Love, Mario Schillace, Valerie & Sandi - June 15, 2024 at 11:42 AM

LS

“ Love, Mario Schillace, Valerie & Sandi planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joe H. Obermeier.

Love, Mario Schillace, Valerie & Sandi - June 15, 2024 at 11:42 AM

MA

“ *Midland Area Agency on Aging purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Joe H. Obermeier.*



Midland Area Agency on Aging - June 14, 2024 at 10:55 PM

KB

“ *Anita and Family. I am so sorry to hear about Joe. We are thinking of you all and sending prayers.. Bill and Kathy Bartunek*

Kathy Bartunek - June 14, 2024 at 05:32 PM

TH

“ *I always felt accepted with Joe, never did I see him without a big smile. He will be missed.*

Terria Hampton - June 13, 2024 at 11:01 PM

PL

“ *My sincerest condolences to the family.*

Pete Longfellow - June 13, 2024 at 01:59 PM



“ *The one thing I can say about Joe is he raised some Beautiful Children who has grown in his footsteps. You will be dearly missed by your loving Family and Friends.*

Tammy Schwieger - June 12, 2024 at 09:56 PM

TR

“ Tim R. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joe H. Obermeier.

Tim R. - June 12, 2024 at 03:27 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joe H. Obermeier.



June 12, 2024 at 03:21 PM

TO

“ Bill, Anita and Tami, I am so very sorry for the loss of your father. In my many conversations with your dad, he always talked about all the family vacations, swim meets and the love of his family. He told me so many times how proud he was of each and every one of his children and grand children. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. May God watch over you. Peace and blessings to all of you, Teresa Obermeier

Teresa Obermeier - June 12, 2024 at 11:00 AM