



Larry Baker

November 23, 1947 - January 21, 2024

Larry Baker, 76, of Omaha, formerly of Grand Island, passed away on January 21, 2024 at Bergan Mercy Hospital in Omaha. A visitation gathering will be held on Sunday, January 28th from 2-4 pm at All Faiths Funeral Home.

Larry was born on November 23, 1947 in Valentine, NE to Don and Lela (Lovejoy) Baker. Larry was raised and received his education in Valentine, graduating from high school in 1966. He then went on to attend the Grand Island School of Business, graduating in 1967.

On September 22, 1968, Larry was united in marriage to Karen Nelson. Two daughters, Kala and Kandra, were born into this union. Larry made his career in sales, first working for the Nestle company and then moving to the Pacesetter Corporation.

In his spare time, Larry enjoyed going to Fonner Park, was an avid pool player, and loved watching the Sooners play football.

Those left to cherish his memory include his daughters, Kala Rojas and Kandra (Bryan) Pell, all of Omaha; grandchildren, Jared (Gabby) Wilson, Andrew Rojas, Jacob (Kelli) Wilson, Matthew Rojas, Abby Rojas, Jadyn Wilson; great grandchildren, Nash Wilson, Beckham Rojas; and sister, Donna Fickes.

Larry was preceded in death by his wife, Karen; parents, Don Baker and Lela Lewis; step-father, Evan Lewis; and son-in-law, Nick Wilson.

Memorials are suggested to the family for later designation.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **28**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ So very sorry to hear about Larry's passing. My family moved next door to the Baker's when Larry and I were five years old. We lived in the two adjacent houses on the old State Farm in Valentine. Larry, Donna and their mother taught my brother and I how to play canasta, one of my earliest acquired life skills. We stayed with them when my mother went to the hospital for the birth of my sister. I hadn't seen Larry since our graduation in 1966 but occasionally got updates through mutual friends. I extend my deepest sympathies to his family and friends.

Tom May - February 03, 2024 at 09:37 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Larry Baker.



January 26, 2024 at 01:19 PM



“ *Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses* was purchased for the family of Larry Baker.



January 26, 2024 at 08:12 AM

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“ Larry was our home siding contact years ago, then a neighbor for a short time. Always enjoyed his funny, outgoing personality, especially since we had a shared connection to so many folks in GI. Fly high Larry to the arms of God. Take good care. Jim & Marge Shade

Jim & Marge Shade - January 24, 2024 at 08:44 AM