



## Mark Ashworth

September 3, 1954 - May 11, 2026

Mark Ashworth, age 71, of Gretna, NE, passed away on May 11, 2026. He was surrounded by family and loved ones and will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Born on September 3, 1954, in Kingsport, Tennessee. Mark was the beloved son of Ivan and Mary Ann Ashworth. He lived in Connecticut in his early years and moved to Townsend, Tennessee and graduated from High School and the University of Tennessee. Mark built a career as an Accountant working for American Limestone in Knoxville, Tennessee and later moved to Omaha, Nebraska where he met his wife Deb and worked as an Accountant at the Offutt Air Force Base in Bellevue. He took an early retirement due to complications from rheumatoid arthritis and diabetes.

Mark married his best friend, Deb Rae and together they shared 25 years filled with travel, going to grandkids' events and playing cards (Mark was an avid card player!) Mark found joy in being Captain of his Pontoon Boat on Kuester Lake with First Mate, Deb. Above all, he treasured time with family and helping his wife as she toured Nebraska teaching rail safety.

Those left to cherish him include his wife, Deb Rae (Croot) Ashworth; his stepchildren, Larry Erickson Jr. and wife, Kelli with children Abby, Larry III, Matthew, Lilian, Oliver, Samantha, and Nicholas, along with great grandchildren Natalee, Taylee, Trexin and Liam; Marcy Dorram and husband Casey with children Levi and Haley, and Kevin Erickson; and siblings, Tim and wife Hiedi; Robert and wife Nancy; Marjorie and husband Bob Hood; Teresa

and husband Brett Schaffer

Mark was preceded in death by his parents Ivan and Mary Ann Ashworth of Townsend, Tennessee.

A visitation and celebration of life/funeral service will be held on Monday, May 18th at 12:30PM visitation and service at 1PM at All Faith's Funeral Home 2929 S Locust St Grand Island, NE 68801. Burial will follow later.

The family would like to thank Bergan Mercy Hospital, Select Specialty Hospital and St. Croix Hospice for their compassion and support.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 18. 12:30 PM - 1:00 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

MAY 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Mark was such a fun loving brother who brought smiles and compassion to all He was around. Will miss so much. Love you with all our hearts. Your sister,  
Margery & Bob Hood.

Margery Hood - May 18 at 10:36 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mark Ashworth.



May 18 at 07:30 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Mark Ashworth.

May 18 at 07:30 AM



“ Katie, Nathaniel, Aria + Anderson purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Mark Ashworth.



Katie, Nathaniel, Aria + Anderson - May 17 at 11:43 PM

KA

“Katie, Nathaniel, Aria + Anderson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mark Ashworth.

Katie, Nathaniel, Aria + Anderson - May 17 at 11:43 PM

DW

“Dawn, Mike & Robert Wilson purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Mark Ashworth.



Dawn, Mike & Robert Wilson - May 16 at 05:20 PM

LL

“Love, Kevin, Marcy, Larry purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Mark Ashworth.



Love, Kevin, Marcy, Larry - May 15 at 06:34 PM