



Merle Galvan

May 29, 1956 - February 18, 2016

Merle J. Galvan, 59 of Grand Island died Thursday, February 18, 2016 at CHI Health-St. Francis.

Family will be greeting friends from 4-6 p.m. Sunday with a Celebration of Life Service beginning at 6 p.m. at All Faiths Funeral Home. Dan Naranjo will officiate. If available, Denver Bronco attire is requested.

Merle was born May 29, 1956 at Kearney the son of Merle and Micaila (Huerta) Galvan.

Survivors include his wife of 38 years, Darla; their children, Merle Dean Galvan of Grand Island, Aaron (Melissa) Galvan of Grand Island, Kyle (Brandy) Galvan of Grand Island, Brittany Galvan of Lincoln and Halie Galvan of Grand Island; grandchildren, Danyka, Caden, Skylar and Gage; his mother, Micaila Galvan of Omaha; brothers, John, Steve and Marty Galvan and sisters, Vivian Johnson, Kathy Galvan and Juanita Galvan.

He is preceded in death by his father and sister, Carmen.

Merle graduated from Kearney Catholic, class of 1976. He served in the Job Corp. On October 1, 1977 he was united in marriage to Darla Stubbs. They made Grand Island their home where Merle has worked for Platte Valley Winnelson for the past 21 years.

Some of his enjoyments include the Denver Broncos, having enjoyed watching them win another championship; fishing and gardening with the grandkids.

A memorial fund will be established in memory of Merle.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Gathering

FEB **21**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home
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Grand Island, NE 68801
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Tribute Wall



“ *Merle Galvan*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *Merle and Halie used to stop in Willmans; I always had candy and dog treats for her and Chica. Such a nice nice man and always so friendly .My thoughts and prayers to all.*

Bills Herron - February 21, 2016 at 08:26 AM



“ *Our sympathy to the family. Ron has enjoyed working with Merle. A \$25.00 memorial has been given to the Burwell Veterans Memorial in honor of Merle. With Sincere Sympathy, Ron and Judy Simpson Burwell Plumbing - Burwell, NE*

Ron Simpson - February 20, 2016 at 10:47 AM



“ *So many memories! Merle: Coworker, friend, and brother. Merlie Squirrelie. I will miss you! My thoughts and prayers are with you all! Love, Tammy*

Tammy Beers - February 20, 2016 at 10:20 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Merle Galvan.



February 20, 2016 at 07:55 AM