



## Robert "Bob" Henry Lenners

November 11, 1936 - June 25, 2024

Robert "Bob" Henry Lenners, age 87, of Grand Island, passed away Tuesday, June 25, 2024 at CHI St. Francis Medical Center.

A funeral service will be held on Saturday, June 29th at 10:30am at Messiah Lutheran Church with Pastor Steven Peeler officiating. Visitation will be held on Friday, June 28th from 5 to 7pm at All Faiths Funeral Home. Interment will take place at Westlawn Memorial Park Cemetery. Condolences can be left at [www.gjallfaiths.com](http://www.gjallfaiths.com).

Robert was born on November 11, 1936 in rural Beatrice to Renken and Elizabeth (Meints) Lenners. He grew up in Rockford and graduated from Filley High School in Filley, NE. Bob served in the Army National Guard for several years.

On November 5, 1961 he was united in marriage to Hildamae "Mae" Trauernicht. The couple lived in Filley until 1966 when they moved to Grand Island. Bob was employed with Fritzen Construction and then entered the insurance business. He was a General Agent and owned his own agency. Bob was with the same company for 45 years.

Bob was a member of Messiah Lutheran Church. He played, coached and sponsored softball for many, many years. In 1990, he was inducted into the Nebraska Softball Hall of Fame. After retirement he began wood carvings, fish

and animals were his specialty. He enjoyed fishing, gardening, cards, bowling and his coffee groups. His greatest joy was spending time with his family, especially when everyone was able to be together.

Those left to cherish his memories include his wife, Mae; daughter, JuDean (Mark) Hudnall of Chapman; son, Cory (Jill) Lenners of Grand Island; daughter in-law, Denise (Steve) Lenners-Kleine; grandchildren, Amanda (Troy) Gebhardt, Molly (Mitch) Green, Ryan (Kasey) Hudnall, Derrick (Kasie) Hudnall, Alicia Lenners, Brittany (Reed) Gardner, Courtney Lenners, Nicole Lenners, Cole Schank and Ella Schank; brothers, Raymond of Beatrice and Duane of Filley; sisters, Nelvadeen Schwab, Leona Siems and Marilyn Koch all of Beatrice and numerous other relatives and friends.

Bob is preceded in death by his parents; son, Tony Lenners; brothers, Virgil and Eugene; sister, Lois and numerous other relatives.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **28.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

JUN **29.** 10:30 AM (CT)

Messiah Ev Lutheran Church  
122 W 7th St  
Grand Island, NE 68801-4323  
(308) 382-3471

# Tribute Wall

PM

“ We were saddened to read of Bob's passing. Sending our thoughts, prayers and love to Mae and family.  
*Phou & Morganne Manivong*

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**Phou and Morganne Manivong** - July 05, 2024 at 03:09 PM

KC

“ Condolences to Robert's family. Sorry I wasn't able to attend the funeral but you are all in my thoughts & prayers. *Karen Rathe Chloupek*

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**Karen Chloupek** - July 01, 2024 at 02:15 PM

PT

“ So very sorry for your loss!!  
*Thinking of you!*

*Patty Gronewold Thomas*

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**Patty Gronewold Thomas** - June 29, 2024 at 12:04 PM

DL

“ One of my best memories was going to Filley where Robert and Mae lived on the Fourth of July. Baseball game fireworks and of course homemade ice cream. It was special time in my life with many memories of Robert and Mae and of course all of my Aunts and Uncles. I also remember watching Uncle Robert, my dad and my grandpa play baseball. Something I will always cherish!

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**Dan Lenners** - June 28, 2024 at 10:47 PM

DH

“ Mae and family, so sorry for your loss. We will miss his charming smile. We knew him for so many years through his insurance company. Tom & Dee Hayes

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**Dee Hayes** - June 28, 2024 at 12:34 PM

RL

“ For a period of time, I had the absolute pleasure of working with Bob in his role as a Regional Manager for National Travelers Life. He was a gentleman and I both respected and like him immensely. Mae and his family are in my prayers. Bob Ley

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**RJ Ley** - June 28, 2024 at 11:13 AM

DA

“ Mae - I was so sorry to see that Bob had passed. He was a wonderful, talented man and I know Mom & Dad always enjoyed their time with him as well. Please take care. Danita (Battles) Alderton

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**Danita** - June 28, 2024 at 10:51 AM

RP

“ Bob and Mae were our neighbors when we lived in Grand Island. We spent so much time with Bob and Mae and their family. Oh my goodness...so many pranks were pulled on Bob. One of the hardest things Jeff and I ever have ever done was saying goodbye to Bob and Mae when we moved to Phoenix. "Hey Neighbor" was how we greeted each other. A few times when they would get home after 10p we would shine a flashlight out our door and say..."Do you have any idea what time it is? You're both grounded." Well, I could go on and on and on about the 6 years we lived across the street from our friends/family.

Bob, you impacted our lives so much. Thank you for the love you showed us. Heaven really has gained a beautiful angel.

Mae, Jeff and I love ❤️ you. You are in our thoughts and prayers. JuDean and Cory and family, You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Love ❤️ you

Thinking of you all,

Jeff and Ronda Parrott

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Ronda Parrott - June 28, 2024 at 09:25 AM

RP

“ Ronda Parrott lit a candle in memory of Robert "Bob" Lenner



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Ronda Parrott - June 28, 2024 at 08:55 AM

TO

“ The Christmas seasons when Bob and Mae would host a neighborhood party are fond memories. Great food, good conversation, fun games, and the warmth of their hospitality made it an evening to look forward to. For me, the best part was knowing upon leaving that I would get to choose one of Bob's special Christmas tree ornaments he had carved. It is a collection I treasure! There is no doubt there will be carver's tools for Bob in Heaven so he can share that special talent with all the good Souls there. Heaven shines brighter with you in it, Bob!  
Toni Ochs

Toni Ochs - June 28, 2024 at 07:59 AM

AW

“ Sorry to read about your loss. Thinking of you all. Arvid and Althea Wiest Beatrice

A Wiest - June 27, 2024 at 08:57 PM

CR

“ Chris and Tracey Roberts planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Robert "Bob" Henry Lenners.

Chris and Tracey Roberts - June 27, 2024 at 06:53 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Henry Lenners.



June 27, 2024 at 06:53 PM

SF

“ *Sandra, Lorene, Clarence and families purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Robert "Bob" Henry Lenners.*



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**Sandra, Lorene, Clarence and families** - June 27, 2024 at 04:43 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Robert "Bob" Henry Lenners.*



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June 27, 2024 at 01:53 PM

KA

“ *Sending our thoughts and prayers to you all. Dave, Karla Holland & girls.*

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**Karla** - June 27, 2024 at 10:38 AM

BB

“ *So sorry for your loss, Mae....Bob was such a gentle, kind man and always had a smile on his face....He will definitely be missed by all of you and his many friends* ❤️❤️❤️

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**Bonnie Beed** - June 27, 2024 at 08:29 AM