



## Robert Denis Dahl

September 26, 1940 - September 2, 2022

Robert Denis Dahl, 81, of St. Paul passed away on Friday, September 2, 2022 at CHI-Health St. Francis.

Visitation will be held Friday, September 9, 2022 from 5 to 7 p.m. at All Faiths Funeral Home.

Memorial services will be held on Saturday, September 10, 2022 at 1 p.m. at All Faiths Funeral Home. Dan Naranjo will officiate. Military honors will be rendered by the U.S. Army and United Veterans Honor Guard.

All Faiths Funeral Home is entrusted with arrangements. Memorials are suggested to the family for future designation.

Denis was born on September 26, 1940 at Omaha, NE, son of Henry Low and Genevieve (Miner) Dahl. He grew up on the family farm near Tecumseh, Ne where he graduated from High School. Denis moved with his parents to Bergen Park, Colorado where they raised ponies and he was employed by Hiwan Ranch as a true cowboy. He learned the value of hard work and listening to the stories of his elders and what the animals had to say.

After moving back to Nebraska, Denis began tree trimming to clear the high voltage power lines. He enjoyed his days up in the trees, often without what

would qualify as a safety harness of today.

On April 13, 1962 he was united in marriage to Sharon Gustin. The couple made their home near Fremont. They were blessed with daughter, Jill.

In 1966, Denis was drafted into the U.S. Army and was stationed in Germany for most of two years.

After his honorable discharge, Denis began employment with the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission. He was soon transferred to Grand Island when Mormon Island State Wayside Area was being built. He served as park superintendent until his retirement in 2005. Denis and Sharon then made their home in St. Paul following his retirement.

Denis was a proud member of the American Legion for over 38 years, past president and vice president of the Grand Island Rifle Club, and Benefactor Member of the NRA. He was passionate about teaching hunter and tree stand safety and had been educating youth since 1985. Denis graduated from the Nebraska Law Enforcement Training Center and was a member of the Hall County Sheriff's Reserves.

As "Rawhide Bob", he was a member of the Single Action Shooting Society, National Congress of Old West Shootist, and enjoyed competing. Denis was proud of hunting in numerous states, most recently wild hog hunting in Texas with his daughter, Jill. He loved his family and enjoyed camping, hunting, fishing, traveling and time spent with his wife and daughter. Denis loved the outdoors he was always prepared and a proud American and true cowboy.

Denis is survived by his wife, Sharon of St. Paul and daughter, Jill Dahl of Grand Island; numerous extended family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents.



# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Gathering

SEP **9**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

All Faiths Funeral Home  
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## Celebration of Life Service

SEP **10**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *All Faiths Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Robert Denis Dahl*



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**All Faiths Funeral Home** - September 10, 2022 at 01:48 PM

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“ *You are missed, Rawhide.*

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**Gregg and JoAnne Clement** - September 05, 2024 at 06:05 PM



“ *Robert Denis Dahl*

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October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM

JG

“ *Our sympathies to Sharon & Jill, sorry to hear of Denis' passing. My first permanent job with G&P was working for/with him some 44 years ago at Mormon Island SWA.*

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**Jim & Jana Gleim** - September 08, 2022 at 03:04 PM

BH

“ I knew Denny when he and his family were at Mormon Island. We had a lot of good conversations mostly about about Cowboy shooting and equipment we used. Truly one of the good ol' boys. Fare thee well. Doc and Linda

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**Bob Humrich** - September 08, 2022 at 11:18 AM

AH

“ I met Denis many years ago he would come into orschelns and we would sit and talk and talk, years down the road Denis was one of my teachers for hunter safety and the numerous gun classes I took , and what were the chances that when I moved to st. Paul with my family that he lived across the street. Denis is a great person and I will miss that friendly wave everytime he was outside and just watching Denis and Sharon sitting outside just enjoying each other's company.

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**Amber Holthaus** - September 07, 2022 at 03:53 PM

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“ The Wilsons,Bill Shirley Deb Scott & Pam purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Robert Denis Dahl.



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**The Wilsons,Bill Shirley Deb Scott & Pam** - September 06, 2022 at 04:07 PM