



"Roger" John Eilers

October 29, 1936 - January 18, 2018

"Roger" John R. Eilers, 81, of Grand Island died Thursday, January 18, 2018. Services will be 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, January 23, 2018 at All Faiths Funeral Home. Daniel Naranjo will officiate. Visitation will be one-hour prior. Burial will take place on Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Schuyler Cemetery.

Roger was born October 29, 1936 in the Madison area, to John (Jack) and Goldie (Peterson) Eilers. He was raised and received his education in Madison, and later moved to the Octavia area.

He married Elizabeth (Betty) Divis on November 19, 1966. They lived in Schuyler, where Roger worked in maintenance at the Schuyler packing plant. They moved to Grand Island in 1979 where he continued to work maintenance at Monfort. After retiring, he maintained Mirror Image Car Wash. Roger enjoyed fixing cars and caring for his yard. He was a handyman who could fix anything. He also enjoyed NASCAR, football, classic cars, boating and spending time with family and friends.

Survivors include his wife, Betty; daughters, Kim (Jamie) Slipke of Milford, IA, Kelly (Dave) Fuller of Grand Island, and Karla (Terry) Nitsch of Kearney; grandson, Wyatt Slipke; granddaughter Alexandra Fuller; and great granddaughter, Angelina Fuller.

Also surviving are sisters LaVonne Stone of Columbus and Pat (Gus) Strauss of Lincoln. Sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Joanne Miller of Grand Island, Geri Lanc of Rising City, Marie Codr of Columbus, Milo and Darlene Divis of Rogers, Jean and Mike Nahony of Columbus, Martin and Theresa Divis of

Rogers; and many nieces and nephews.

Preceding Roger in death are his parents; brothers, Robert and Vernon; and sister, Sharon.

In lieu of flowers memorials are suggested to Sammy's Superheroes in Columbus (raising awareness for childhood cancer) or to the donor's choice.

Cemetery Details

Schuyler Cemetery

Schuyler, NE

Tribute Wall



“ *"Roger" John Eilers*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of "Roger" John Eilers.*



January 21, 2018 at 12:47 PM



“ *Garden of Serenity Bouquet was purchased for the family of "Roger" John Eilers.*



January 20, 2018 at 06:09 PM



“ *Emma Coburn purchased the Pretty Please for the family of "Roger" John Eilers.*



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