



Terry L. Houser DVM

June 8, 1946 - August 16, 2020

Terry L. Houser D.V.M., 74, of Grand Island passed away at home on Sunday, August 16, 2020.

Memorial services in his honor will be held at 7 p.m. on Friday at 1st Presbyterian Church Lawn. Pastor Lisa Ewald will officiate. CDC guidelines and social distancing will be followed; face masks are required. Bring your lawn chair and your dog.

All Faiths Funeral Home is entrusted with arrangements.

Memorials are suggested to Crane Trust.

Terry was born on June 8, 1946 in Coral Gables, FL, son of Thomas and Marion (Wickstrum) Houser.

He grew up in Wichita, Kansas. Terry excelled in academics and after 12 years of secondary education he first worked as a chemist before graduating from K-State with his Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine.

Terry owned and operated his own Veterinary practice in the early 80's. He then went on to become the local circuit supervisor for the USDA.

He served in the US Army during the Vietnam War.

On August 3, 1985 he was united in marriage to Lynda Waring in Liberal, Kansas.

Terry was never idle; he was a scout master for Troop #119, member of the American Legion, an active member of AA, and deacon at 1st Presbyterian Church in Grand Island.

He enjoyed participating in Civil War reenactments and collected WWII memorabilia. Terry was skilled at restoring Model A cars and a WWII Jeep. Terry loved his family, his dogs, nature and always learning something new about this beautiful world!

Terry is survived by his wife of 35 years, Lynda Waring-Houser of Grand Island; children, Josephine Houser of Baltimore, MD and Reuben Houser of Omaha; sister, Connie (Bryan) Mann of Wichita, KS; brothers, Mark (Patricia) Houser of St. Paul, KS, and Michael Houser of Topeka, KS; numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and infant daughter, Amelia Jayne.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

AUG **21**. 7:00 PM (CT)

First Presbyterian Church
2103 W Anna St
Grand Island, NE 68803

Tribute Wall



“ *Terry L. Houser DVM*

October 08, 2023 at 11:02 PM



“ *Terry was a great scoutmaster for Troop 119 and will be dearly missed. So very sorry for your loss.*

Whelan and Lounsbury family



Lisa Whelan - August 21, 2020 at 03:42 PM



“ *Gary & Linda, Jim & Vonda, Gregg & Diane Mailen purchased the A Full Life for the family of Terry L. Houser DVM.*



Gary & Linda, Jim & Vonda, Gregg & Diane Mailen - August 21, 2020 at 11:10 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Terry L. Houser DVM.*



August 19, 2020 at 06:09 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Terry L. Houser DVM.*



August 19, 2020 at 04:20 PM



“ *Delightful Dieffenbachia was purchased for the family of Terry L. Houser DVM.*



August 19, 2020 at 01:43 PM



“ *Linda and Family,, We are so sorry to read of your loss Terry. Ron and Cathy McKown*

Ron Mckown - August 19, 2020 at 11:19 AM



I'm so sorry for this great loss if yours. He sounds like he was a wonderful, giving man and husband.

Joanne Jannetta - August 19, 2020 at 06:10 PM

PC

Rest in peace Dr. Houser. It was a pleasure to work with you at the USDA and I will remember with fondness the times we talked about your jeep.

Dr. Phil Carlson

Phil Carlson - August 20, 2020 at 07:26 PM

JD

My sincere sympathies to the entire Houser family. I worked with Terry in the USDA for many years. Wonderful man. Came to our rescue more times than I can ever count when we were overwhelmed with more work than we could handle. He was a mentor to me which I will never forget. God be with you Terry. John McConnaughay, DVM

John McConnaughay DVM - August 25, 2020 at 09:32 PM

TP

“ I am so sorry & shocked to hear of your loss of Terry. He will be missed & was loved by many. May God comfort you & give you peace, that he has now. Sharing good & fun memories will help. Be well & safe. Teresa Pesek

Teresa Pesek - August 19, 2020 at 10:35 AM



“ Ghirardelli Gift Basket was purchased for the family of Terry L. Houser DVM.



August 19, 2020 at 08:34 AM