

Lowell Bartel
January 2, 1944 - December 27, 2019

Lowell Roger Bartel, 75, of Breckenridge, died Friday December 27, 2019, at Sanford Medical Center in Fargo.

Lowell was born January 2, 1944, to Fred Bartel and Augusta Radel in Frazee, MN. He grew up in Frazee on the family farm. He attended school in Frazee and then later attended the Fergus Falls Community College. He also served in the Minnesota National Guard.

In June of 1967 he married Elaine Esser in Fergus Falls. The couple resided in rural Frazee and then relocated to Fergus Falls. He was the owner and operator of Bartel Drywall in Fergus Falls for over 40 years. Lowell was also employed as a resident manager at Lake Region Half Way House.

He married Lynette Harworth in 1990 in Sisseton, SD.

Lowell was active with the ALANO Club and also AA, leading meetings at the Ottertail County Jail. He loved music and would sing and play guitar at family parties, some of his favorite country music performers were Hank, Willie, and Waylon. Other activities he enjoyed were playing cribbage, reading, watching westerns on tv, and taking Scott and Bailey to BMX races.

He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Kenny and Freddy, and sisters, Gladys Hendrickson and Clarice Mayer.

Lowell is survived by his children, Lee (Mark) Anderson of St. Cloud, MN, Todd Bartel and Scott Bartel both of Fergus Falls; grandchildren, Bailey (Marta) Bartel of Columbus, GA, Izik Bartel of Burnsville and their mother, Kera Thibodeau, Maci Bartel of Fergus Falls and her mother, Abby Barry, and Daxton Garza of Fergus Falls; siblings, Ethel Quade of Frazee, Donna Walsh of Spokane, WA, and Millie Johnson of California; sister-in-law, Bev Bartel, and many nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life service will be held at a later date.

Arrangements are provided by the Olson Funeral Home in Fergus Falls.

Online condolences may be sent to www.olsonfuneralhome.com

Comments



66 Fonda Knudson lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Fonda Knudson - January 10, 2020 at 01:36 AM



LeAnn Jorgensen lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



LeAnn Jorgensen - January 06, 2020 at 09:04 PM



66 Uncle Lowell - you're now at peace. We will all miss you

Cathy (Bartel) Tabbert - January 05, 2020 at 08:09 PM



66 Kera Thibodeau lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Kera Thibodeau - January 01, 2020 at 08:52 PM





66 Stephanie Barry lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Stephanie barry - January 01, 2020 at 12:06 PM



66 Lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel.



Sherlee Waasdorp - January 01, 2020 at 07:31 AM



Vonnie Newborg Swenson lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Vonnie Newborg Swenson - December 31, 2019 at 11:34 PM





66 Amber Mrozek lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Amber Mrozek - December 31, 2019 at 04:19 PM



I used to care for Lowell when he lived at Patriot Assisted Living. He was such a kind and sweet man. He was quiet and never complained about anything. He loved it when his son Scott would come visit with his granddaughter. May he Rest in Peace.

Susan Fronning Stratton - December 31, 2019 at 05:05 AM



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Scott bartel - December 30, 2019 at 04:32 PM



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Amber - December 31, 2019 at 04:20 PM





Deane Williams lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel





66 Lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Sherlee Waasdorp - December 29, 2019 at 08:42 PM



Ryan Ott lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Ryan Ott - December 28, 2019 at 08:36 PM



66 Shelly Bartels lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Shelly Bartels - December 28, 2019 at 05:56 PM





Trevor And Connie Barry lit a candle in memory of Lowell Bartel



Trevor and Connie Barry - December 28, 2019 at 03:10 PM