



Charles C. "Charlie" Hunt

May 9, 1953 - March 22, 2025

PIERCE - Visitation for Charles C. "Charlie" Hunt, 71, of Pierce, will be held from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, March 26, 2025 at the Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk. Graveside service will be held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday, March 27, 2025 at the Riverview Cemetery, rural Niobrara. The funeral procession will leave Charlie's Bar in Pierce at 12:00 to process to Niobrara. Officiating the graveside service will be Pastor Martha Atkins. A funeral reception will be held back at Charlie's Bar in Pierce from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m., Thursday, March 27. Charlie passed away on Saturday, March 22, 2025 at the Faith Regional Hospital in Norfolk. Stonacek Memorial Chapel in Pierce is in charge of the arrangements.

Charlie was born on May 9, 1953 to Morris and Betty (Fry) Hunt in Bloomfield, NE. He was baptized and confirmed at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in Lindy, NE. and attended Bloomfield High School. He worked construction for Midwest Bridge in Norfolk, and Top Coat of Yankton, South Dakota. He started his first bar, Charlie's Place "A place where friends meet" in Lindy, NE.

Charlie married Kay Bathke on June 26, 1982 at Niobrara Lutheran Church in Niobrara, NE. He spent many years owning and operating bars, farming and selling farm equipment. He enjoyed his motor cycle and took many trips to Sturgis. He also spent a lot of time at the river fishing and just hanging out.

Survivors include his wife Kay Hunt of Pierce, daughter Karlie (Dan) Brummels of Pierce, niece Sara Hunt of Hartington, sister-in-law Rhonda (Dale) Hopkins of Colome, SD., brother-in-law Randy (Ruth) Bathke of Niobrara, along with many nieces, nephews and cousins. Charlie was preceded in death by his grandson Kolbie Heppner, parents Morris and Betty Hunt, brothers Jim Hunt and Kenneth Hunt.

Honorary Casket Bearers will be Jeff Barger, Caleb Bierman, Mike Kellar, Lee Krohn, Bruce Piepers, Scott Mattson.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be sent to Pierce Rescue. Online condolences may be sent to www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Cemetery, Niobrara

Niobrara, NE 68760

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 26. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Stonacek Funeral Chapel - Norfolk
1200 N.13th St.
Norfolk, NE 68701
(402) 371-7676
info@stonacekfuneralchapel.com
<https://stonacekfuneralchapel.com/>

Graveside Service

MAR 27. 2:00 PM (CT)

Riverview Cemetery, Niobrara
Niobrara, NE 68760

The funeral procession will leave Charlie's Bar in Pierce at 12:00 p.m. to go to Riverview Cemetery in Niobrara.

Funeral Luncheon

MAR 27. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Charlie's Bar
116 S Brown St.
Pierce, NE 68767

Tribute Wall

PR

“ We would like to extend our deepest condolences to Charlie's family. We have many good memories of him in the "Lindy" days.He was a good soul and will be missed by many.

Judy and Tim Bockholt
Peg (Bockholt) Roberts

Peggy L Roberts - April 02, 2025 at 04:04 PM

JK

“ John Hassett and Bellevue Keno purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Charles C. "Charlie" Hunt.



John Hassett and Bellevue Keno - March 26, 2025 at 12:56 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Charles C. "Charlie" Hunt.



March 26, 2025 at 10:15 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Charles C. "Charlie" Hunt.

March 25, 2025 at 05:15 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Charles C. "Charlie" Hunt.*



March 25, 2025 at 05:15 PM



“ *With love, Card Club & Families purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Charles C. "Charlie" Hunt.*



With love, Card Club & Families - March 25, 2025 at 07:14 AM



“ *I went to high school with Charlie & he always seemed like a big teddy bear type of guy. He was polite & I always thought he was soft spoken. Running his bar was something I can imagine he was perfect at. Blessings to his wife & family. Dee Anderson Walters*

Denise Walters - March 24, 2025 at 01:22 PM



“ *When I think of Charlie, I think of LINDY!! We had the best, most exciting time of our lives there!! Charlie was always so kind to everyone, I just ran into him a few weeks ago and had a nice conversation...I thought he looked so good!! This morning is sad but I can only imagine the reunion of Charlie and Kolbe. Priceless!!!*

Cara Hoffman - March 22, 2025 at 08:04 PM

BP

Charlie was a life long friend rode and did business with Charlie for over 50 years. Ride on my friend. Peace and Love to all.

Bruce Pieper - March 25, 2025 at 03:45 PM

JU

Some of my best memories when I lived in Nebraska were hanging out at Charlie's. He was a kind man that wasn't judgemental and would help anyone. Ride free my friend.

Julie - March 25, 2025 at 09:02 PM