



LaVon A. Wachter

September 9, 1935 - January 2, 2024

PIERCE – Funeral service for LaVon A. Wachter, 88, of Pierce will be held at 10:30 a.m., Friday, January 5, 2024 at Zion Lutheran Church, Pierce with Reverend Gordon Bruce and Vicar Wesley Johnson officiating. Interment will take place at Prospect View Cemetery, rural Pierce. Visitation will be held from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m., Thursday, also at Zion Lutheran Church, Pierce. LaVon died on Tuesday, January 2, 2024 at her residence in Pierce. Stonacek Memorial Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

LaVon was born on September 9th, 1935, in rural Pierce to Rudolph and Mildred (Brummels) Warneke. She was baptized at her home on Sept. 15, 1935 and confirmed on April 10, 1949 at St. John's Lutheran Church rural Pierce. She attended rural school Dist. 20 until 4th grade and then St. John's Parochial School through 8th grade. LaVon graduated from Pierce High School in 1953. Following her graduation, she worked for Bankers Life Insurance Co. in Norfolk. On December 20, 1955, LaVon married Frank Wachter, Jr. at St. John's Lutheran Church, Pierce. LaVon was a homemaker and for a number of years did babysitting and caregiving in her home. She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church, Zion's Ladies Aid, served on the Greeting Committee for a number of years and since 1984 has helped assemble the monthly Zion news Letter. She was also a member of the Pierce County Historical Society. LaVon was a loving grandmother and great grandmother to all her grandkids and they all loved her.

LaVon is survived by two sons, Jim (Karen) Wachter of Pierce, Jerald (Suzie) Wachter of Pierce, daughter Janet (Mark) Knobel of Fairbury, NE, eight grandchildren, and sixteen great-grandchildren with one expected in June. She was preceded in death by her husband Frank of 48 years in 2004, her parents Rudolph and Mildred, and brother and sister in-law Wilbur and Marlene Warneke.

Casket bearers will be Jason Wachter, Scott Wachter, Craig Wachter, Adam Wachter, Jared Ziegelbein, Trevor Menke, Austin Koehlmoos, and Trent Tietjen. Honorary casket bearers will be Kara Ziegelbein, Traci Menke, Heather Koehlmoos, Haley Tietjen, Sarah Wachter, Jane Wachter, Cassidy Wachter, Emily Wachter, and Amanda Pestel. Music will be by organist Lori Koehler congregational hymns "Abide With Me" , "Just A Closer Walk With Thee" , "The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want".

Online condolences may be sent to www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com.

Cemetery Details

Prospect View Cemetery - Rural Pierce

Pierce, NE

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Zion Lutheran Church - Pierce
520 East Main Street
Pierce, NE 68767
<http://www.zionlutheranpierce.com>

Funeral Service

JAN 5. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Jim and Karen. So sorry to hear of your Mother passing away! She will be there waiting for you to join her in Heaven.
John and Nancy Lubischer

john lubischer - January 06, 2024 at 08:01 PM

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“ My condolences and care to LaVons' family. I remember her helping at Zion School, active in church and always friendly. Take comfort in knowing she will be reunited with friends and family.



Renee Otto-Berglund - January 04, 2024 at 01:16 PM

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“ Aunt LaVon was the kind lady that we loved. She always was ready to welcome us with open arms. Always had a smile on her face. Will miss her but she is now in Jesus arms so we can't be sad for that, but will miss her dearly.

Angie Mittelstaedt - January 04, 2024 at 12:59 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of LaVon A. Wachter.



January 04, 2024 at 12:27 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of LaVon A. Wachter.



January 04, 2024 at 11:15 AM



“ Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses was purchased for the family of LaVon A. Wachter.



January 03, 2024 at 11:22 PM



“ Kumpf/Jordening families planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of LaVon A. Wachter.

Kumpf/Jordening families - January 03, 2024 at 11:22 PM



“ Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of LaVon A. Wachter.



January 03, 2024 at 09:13 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of LaVon A. Wachter.*



January 03, 2024 at 07:53 PM



“ *LaVon was a good friend of my Mom Winell. My sympathy to the family.*
Marlene Moritz

Marlene - January 03, 2024 at 07:19 PM



“ *LaVon was a perfect example of Christian kindness and humility. Though sad to hear of her death, I rejoice knowing she is now in heaven reunited with loved ones. We await the return of Christ or our death to see her again. God bless family and friends who mourn her death.*

Julie A Maas - January 03, 2024 at 04:21 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of LaVon A. Wachter.*



January 03, 2024 at 03:36 PM

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“ Cary & Amy Tietjen, Scott & Allie Klever purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of LaVon A. Wachter.



Cary & Amy Tietjen, Scott & Allie Klever - January 03, 2024 at 02:54 PM

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Cary & Amy Tietjen, Scott & Allie Klever - January 03, 2024 at 02:54 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of LaVon A. Wachter.



January 03, 2024 at 02:50 PM