



Susan E. Meinke

May 20, 1951 - November 28, 2015

Norfolk - Funeral Service for Susan Elaine Meinke, 64, of Norfolk will be held at 10:30 am, Thursday, December 3, 2015 at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Norfolk with burial at the Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery. Officiant will be Rev. Lee Weander and Liturgist is Rev. Frank Brink. Visitation will be held 4-7:00 p.m., Wednesday, at Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk. Susan passed away Saturday, November 28, 2015 at her residence in Norfolk. Stonacek Funeral Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Susan was born to Richard Haas and Irene Anna Kuhl on May 20, 1951. In 1956 Irene married Duane Marks who helped raise Susan as if she was one of his own. Susan asked for a brother or a sister and she ended up with 6 siblings whom she loved very much and enjoyed "bossing" around. She was baptized September 16, 1951 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Plainview, NE. She was confirmed at Christ Lutheran Church in Norfolk by Pastor Bostleman. She graduated from Pierce High School in 1969. She later graduated from Northeast Community College with an Associate of Arts degree in Nursing. Susan married Dave Meinke on June 26, 1971 at Christ Lutheran Church in Norfolk. To this union were two sons, Jeff of Battle Creek and Jason of Madison. They have five grandchildren, Kailey, Caden, and Delaney (Jason's) all of Battle Creek and Abby and Jace (Jeff's) all of Battle Creek. Dave and Sue helped raise two nephews, Chris (Mandy) Coulter of Battle Creek and Justin Pedrosa of Norfolk.

During her lifetime Sue worked five years at Sherwood Medical and then later

went on to work for the Nebraska Department of Human Services for 13 years in the counties of Hall, Lancaster, Seward, and Knox. She then sold insurance for 5 years. At the age of 40 she realized her lifelong dream and became a nurse. She retired in 2003 due to health problems. She then started Big D Snacks Company, a distribution company selling snacks across the United States. She was always planning family get togethers' and parties and we are sure she is in heaven getting parties organized.

Susan was a member of the Nebraska Jaycees, Jaycee Women, and started many new chapters across the state and won many awards for this. She was also a Sunday School Teacher and a member of the Ladies Aide for several years.

Sue is survived by her husband David Meinke of Norfolk, son Jeffrey Meinke of Battle Creek, Jason Meinke and friend Kimberly of Madison, five grandchildren, parents Duane and Irene Marks of Norfolk, siblings Nyla Pedrosa (Gary Fletcher) of Lincoln, Cindy (Terry) Rasmussen of Norfolk, Tammy (Ron) Stender of Norfolk, Thomas (Vicki) Marks of Norfolk, Lee (Betty) Marks of Red Lake Falls, MN, Lisa (Chris) Kallhoff of Pierce.

Casket Bearers will be Mike Kiepke, Justin Pedrosa, Aaron Marks, Landon Stender, Nate Stender, Josh Rasmussen, Jake Rasmussen, Logan Kallhoff. Soloist will be John L. Petersen.

Condolences may be expressed to the family on-line at www.stonacekfuneralchapel.com

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery - Norfolk

1950 N. 13th St.
Norfolk, NE 68701

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 2. 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/>

Service

DEC 3. 10:30 AM (CT)

Our Savior Lutheran Church
2420 W. Omaha Ave.
Norfolk, NE 68701
<http://www.oursav.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ *Susan E. Meinke*

October 05, 2023 at 03:46 AM



“ *To Dave and family, so sorry to hear about Sue. It was a pleasure to meet her and your family and spend some time working with you at Big D Snacks. I wish the best for you and pray for all of you. Taryn Bellar*

Taryn Bellar - December 02, 2015 at 02:13 PM



“ *Our deepest sympathy to your family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.*

peggy ke sting - December 01, 2015 at 07:57 PM



“ *You folks were insured at New Century Agency for several years & then we also wrote coverage on the snack business. I saw you both at the HyVee West store a couple of months ago and spoke with you. New Century Agency has closed and sold the personal lines business to Town & Country Agency. I always enjoyed seeing you folks out as I walked at Physicians Clinic. Susan fought a long and courageous fight! Blessings to Dave for his care to her! ❤️ Lavonne Nightengale*

Lavonne Nightengale - December 01, 2015 at 05:33 PM

LH

“ Linda H. purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Susan E. Meinke.



Linda H. - December 01, 2015 at 10:53 AM

DS

“ Dr. Nate, Amanda, and Jace Stender purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Susan E. Meinke.



Dr. Nate, Amanda, and Jace Stender - November 30, 2015 at 11:59 AM

RH

“ Sorry to hear of Sues passing. working and getting to know Sue was memorable. She always had so much energy, and positive outlook on everything. Thoughts and prayers to the family---Rose Harnly-Seward Health and Human services

rose harnly - November 30, 2015 at 10:19 AM

PG

“ My thoughts and Prayers are with you Dave, Jeff, and Jason, and families. I will miss her posting on Facebook, my last memory of her is when Aunt Arlene passed away and she was working away in the kitchen making rootbeer floats for everyone and pop corn, while the elders were in the living room visiting. I'll never forget her, she was always so good to us growing up until we moved to Tennessee, Odis really enjoyed being there, he said he wouldn't mind living in Norfolk, i still miss Norfolk, i guess i always will, but know that you have a sport team here also. I love you Dave, Connie, Roger, Jason, Jeff.. and all your children. love Odis and Patricia (Patty)Kay Gross-Ledbetter

Patricia Kay Gross-Ledbetter - November 29, 2015 at 10:09 PM

JT

“ I remember working with Sue @ Osmond General Hospital in Osmond! She was such a great and caring nurse. Bless her heart and heaven has gained another angel. We send sympathy to the family. I too have lost a sister and brother-in-law to cancer. It isn't ever easy, but none of us want to see them suffer. Blessings to all. Joyce and Roger Tacey of Osmond.

Joyce Tacey - November 29, 2015 at 09:29 PM

JH

“ I am sorry for your loss. I'm sure all of you will miss her greatly. Bob, Jayne and Blake Heller

jayne heller - November 29, 2015 at 09:29 PM

CM

“ Chad & Jayni Roemeling and Riley McFadden purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Susan E. Meinke.



Chad & Jayni Roemeling and Riley McFadden - November 29, 2015 at 07:46 PM

RL

“ Dave, so sorry for your loss I know she will be missed. I wish I could have gotten to know her better. I enjoyed spending time with her when we were out there to visit. She was a delightful lady. I know shes in a better place, pain free & at peace. Give our best to all the family. Joe & Rosie Lewis In B.G. Mo

Rosie Lewis - November 29, 2015 at 06:28 PM

CC

“ Chris & Mandy Coulter sent a virtual gift in memory of Susan E. Meinke



Chris & Mandy Coulter - November 29, 2015 at 05:46 PM