



David R. Brinkley

May 26, 1951 - March 3, 2020

David Brinkley, 68, of Iowa Falls, passed away Tuesday, March 3, 2020 at Hansen Family Hospital. Funeral services will be 10:30 AM Saturday, March 7, 2020 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Iowa Falls. He will be laid to rest at the Union Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5:30-7:30 PM on Friday, March 6 at the Woodley Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, those planning an expression of sympathy may wish to consider memorials to the family. Woodley Funeral Home, LLC of Iowa Falls is caring for "Brink" and his family.

David Richard Brinkley was born May 26, 1951 in Milford, Iowa, the son of Dale and Gladys (Stukey) Brinkley. On August 4, 2001 David was united in marriage to Christine Mumm at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Iowa Falls, Iowa.

David graduated with the class of 1970 from Milford High School. He continued his education at the trade school in Emmetsburg, Iowa. After graduating he worked at JB Mertz & Son John Deere in West Bend, Iowa. In 1980 he came to Iowa Falls and worked for the Ackley Sweet Corn Plant on the farm crew. He then worked for Case IH, had his own shop, Brink's Farm Shop and then Held's John Deere in Hubbard until his retirement.

David always had a love of animals, especially his fur babies Winton Dale and Jake George. He and Christy spent many hours at sprint car races and

watching trains whenever they could. They also loved to work in their garden.

David Brinkley is survived by his wife, Christy and their fur baby Jake George of Iowa Falls, Iowa; one sister, Carol Koep of Hartley, Iowa; brothers, Donald (Judy) Brinkley of Milford, Iowa and Dwight (Mary) Brinkley of Lawrence, Kansas; father in-law and mother in-law, George and Lois Mumm of Iowa Falls, Iowa; brothers in-law, Brad Mumm of Carroll, Iowa and Bruce (Christie) Mumm of Des Moines, Iowa as well as numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Dale and Gladys Brinkley.

Cemetery Details

Union Cemetery

Iowa Falls, IA 50126

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 6. 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

Iowa Falls - Woodley Funeral Home
516 S. Oak Street
Iowa Falls, IA 50126
(641) 648-7700

Service

MAR 7. 10:30 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church
313 Lee Lane
Iowa Falls, IA 50126

Tribute Wall

DB

“ So sorry to hear of Dave's passing. I worked with Dave on the "Farm Crew" at Ackley Foods in the 80's. He was always kind and fun to work with and a great employee. He cared about what he did, and always did it right. I learned a lot about work from Dave.

Dane Bogaard - March 10, 2020 at 04:12 PM

SH

“ David Richard, what are the proper words....and since when did we care about the proper words? Thank you for being part of the NW Iowa racing family that took me under their wing in 1989 on the front stretch at the big half mile in Knoxville. Thank you for teaching me all I know today about how a sprint car works, in a barn in Owasa, Iowa. Thank you for your love of Christy dating back to 10/2/99. Thank you for the kidney stones that caused us to take a “smoother route” home from SW Minnesota with The Beach Boys and our bottle of Canadian Pain Killer....and that pesky blue trailer that followed us to every race track whose pit gate we entered. Thank you for always having a smile on your face...unless the motor wasn't banging on all 8, or the Driver was banging into everything but the water truck!!!! Thank you for helping me understand what instant potatoes were, in a house in Owasa, Iowa. Go Fast, Turn Left; Nothin' Runs Like A Deere; and your favorite “Is That Gonna Make The Car Faster”? Thanks for the memories Brink. Slick and Charmin Hauser

Slick and Charmin Hauser - March 06, 2020 at 11:06 PM

SS

“ So very sorry to hear of Dave's passing. Please accept our condolences and prayers for peace and comfort during this difficult time. Hold on to your memories.

Steve and Sue Swenson (Class of '70)

Steve Swenson - March 06, 2020 at 05:01 PM

MT

“ Prayers to the family of a great classmate. We always had so much fun and many laughs with Dave in school here at Milford, may he rest in Peace. Milford Class of 1970 is like a family not just classmates, great memories, RIP Dave.



Mike & Deb Travis - March 06, 2020 at 08:24 AM

KP

“ Christy my prayers go out to you and your family for you lost Kathy Pafford

Kathy Pafford - March 05, 2020 at 03:49 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of David R. Brinkley.



March 05, 2020 at 01:04 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David R. Brinkley.*



March 04, 2020 at 08:54 PM



“ *Always remember working on the race car in Miford and all the good times*

Moose - March 04, 2020 at 08:44 PM



“ *Where do I start? That smile, that laugh, growing up together, ball games, and the ultimate...we GRADUATED! You will be missed my dear friend but the memories will remain. Tell Beaner hello* ❤️

Kathy Studer Morrill - March 04, 2020 at 04:54 PM



“ *Oh where do we start! That smile, that laugh, growing up almost neighbors and fun ball games. You will be missed my dear friend but the memories will carry us through. Tell Beaner hello* ❤️

Kathy Studer Morrill - March 04, 2020 at 04:44 PM