



John Heuberger

February 28, 1954 - February 1, 2023

John Casey Heuberger, 68, of Sheffield, passed away Wednesday, February 1, 2023, at MercyOne North Iowa Medical Center in Mason City, Iowa. Visitation will be held from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Sunday, February 5, 2023, at First United Methodist Church in Sheffield, Iowa. Memorial services will be held at 11:00 a.m., Monday, February 6, 2023, at First United Methodist Church in Sheffield. Burial will take place at Hillside Cemetery in Sheffield. Counsell Woodley Funeral Home and Cremation Services of Sheffield is caring for John and his family.

John was born February 28, 1954, in Mason City, Iowa, the third of four children to Clarence “Casey” and Barbara (Heuermann) Heuberger. He grew up on the family farm, located two miles south of Sheffield where he helped his father and siblings farm and raise cattle and pigs. He graduated from Sheffield Chapin High School, class of 1972, and then attended North Iowa Area Community College in Mason City. After college, he returned to the family farm until the mid-1980s.

John was united in marriage to Sally Worley on August 20, 1977, at Wesley United Methodist Church in Mason City. He worked as a Farm Bureau Insurance agent and for HSPS Legal Services. John was an active member of First United Methodist Church in Sheffield, specifically the coffee club, and also served as an adult Sunday School teacher for many years.

John's favorite hobbies (in between knotting rope for every.single.object) were always focused on being outside to enjoy nature, regardless the season. Hunting for deer was especially a favorite sport of his from childhood through to today. His father Casey started the yearly tradition with John of traveling to Lansing, Iowa, for day-long adventures in the hills, searching for deer. In the warmer months, John stayed busy fishing the pond and traveling to Minnesota to catch whatever would bite. In between trips to the water, he worked to perfect his cast iron recipes and grilling while camping with close friends and family.

John is survived by his wife Sally Heuberger of Sheffield, with whom he proudly raised two children: daughter Katie & Robert Jensen and their son Landry Ketelsen of Sheffield; son Josh & Lauren Heuberger and their children Larson and Eloise, of Sheffield. His self-promoted nickname was G.O.M (Grumpy Old Man) or Grumpy Grandpa became his mantra whenever greeted by the grandkids.

John is also survived by his sister Jean Ann Hartman of Florida; brother Jim & Becky Heuberger of Mason City; aunt Irene Mosiman of Merservey; along with many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother William Heuberger.

Those who knew John never saw him without a cup of coffee (recently warmed in the microwave for 33 seconds), a dog or three by his side, and the uncanny ability to strike up a conversation with anyone and everyone.

Cemetery Details

Hillside Cemetery

Sheffield, IA 50475

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 5. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
510 Thompson Street
Sheffield, IA 50475

Service

FEB 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

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510 Thompson Street
Sheffield, IA 50475

Tribute Wall



“ Woodley Funeral Home and Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of John Heuberger



Woodley Funeral Home and Crematory - February 04, 2023 at 09:34 PM

RL

So sorry for your loss Sally and family.. may you have many memories..

Randy and Deb Levenhagen - February 05, 2023 at 03:13 PM

PD

Dear Sally, My Heartfelt Sympathies for you & your family. I am sending my love & support your way & know you are in my thoughts . You will experience many Life Changes, take one moment at a time & treasure your memories.

Pat Davison - February 06, 2023 at 11:22 PM

EC

“ Just wanted to give our condolences from the Crabtree family.
From Larry and Elaine Crabtree

Elaine Crabtree - February 05, 2023 at 06:26 PM

KL

“ Dear Sally and family, So sorry to hear about John. You are in our prayers.

Kathy Levenhagen - February 04, 2023 at 07:03 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Heuberger.*



February 04, 2023 at 11:13 AM



“ *Sally and family,*

We were so sorry to hear about John. May God hold you lovingly and grant you peace as you start this challenging chapter in your lives.

Rick and Mary Hurlbut

Mary Hurlbut - February 04, 2023 at 11:06 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your family's loss. Keeping you in my prayers.*
Marilynn Darg-Anderson

Marilynn Darg-Anderson - February 03, 2023 at 03:52 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of John Heuberger.*



February 03, 2023 at 02:58 PM

CS

“ *Sally & family,
So sorry for your loss.
Sending our thoughts & prayers to each of you.
David & Carol Stadlander*

Carol Stadlander - February 03, 2023 at 11:15 AM

WH

“ *Wyffels Hybrids purchased the Simply Elegant S
pathiphyllum for the family of John Heuberger.*



Wyffels Hybrids - February 03, 2023 at 07:26 AM

DD

“ *My memories of John are, you never knew
what he was going to say...thinking of you
Sally, so very sorry for your loss.*



Diane Duzenbury - February 02, 2023 at 02:45 PM