



Marlyn Raymond Knott

July 18, 1934 - March 6, 2019

Marlyn Knott, 84, of Iowa Falls, passed away Wednesday, March 6, 2019 at his home. Funeral services will be 1:00 PM Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at the Immanuel Memorial United Church of Christ in Alden. Burial will be at the Northlawn Memory Gardens. Visitation will be from 5:30-7:30 PM on Monday, March 11 at the Woodley Funeral Home. Woodley Funeral Home, LLC of Iowa Falls is caring for Marlyn and his family.

Marlyn Raymond Knott was born on July 18, 1934 on a farm near Iowa Falls, Iowa, the son of Fred and Viola (Chaplin) Knott. After High School, Marlyn went on to honorably serve his country by enlisting in the United States Army from 1955-1957.

On October 5, 1960 Marlyn was united in marriage to Gloria Akers at the Little Brown Church in Nashua, Iowa. Marlyn worked in various capacities including farming and trucking, which he owned his own truck in 1958. In true truck driver fashion, he loved communicating over the CB and was known by his CB handle "Ole Blue". He met many friends throughout his truck driving career by communicating over that CB. In 1960 he began driving for IPC until his retirement in 2011. Marlyn was a proud member of the Elks Lodge and a Loyal Order of the Moose member, where he spent much of his time playing cards with classmates. He was loved by all that knew him and will be remembered for being a very generous man with a huge heart. His greatest joy in life was

spending time with his family.

Marlyn Knott is survived by his loving grandchildren: Jaime (Troy) Roelfs, Michael Roelfs, Chelsey Wagoner, Chase Wagoner and Caitlyn Gapp; special friend of the family, Alaine Sprain; a sister, Shirley (Gene) Moats and many nieces, nephews and friends. He was preceded in death by his wife Gloria; children, Debra and Rick; his parents and one brother, Lloyd Knott.

Cemetery Details

Northlawn Memory Gardens

Iowa Falls, IA 50126

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 11. 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 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

Immanuel Memorial United Church of Christ
212 West Street
Alden, IA 50006

Tribute Wall

TA

“ *What a kind and helpful man. I was able to escort for him and then work with him escorting other drivers. In all the time I knew him I never heard him say a bad word about a single sole. We could learn a lot from you. Rest in peace my friend.*

Tom Atkinson

Tom Atkinson - March 11, 2019 at 05:41 PM

KK

“ *Uncle Marlyn, you will be greatly missed. You have touched so many hearts during your life, including mine. Thank you for always reminding me, I am family. It meant the world to me ever time I heard it. Those words almost always came with a big hug and a smile. Love you, Kim*



Kim Kluesner - March 09, 2019 at 05:05 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marlyn Raymond Knott.*



March 09, 2019 at 12:24 PM

DP

“ We have known Marlyn and Gloria for many years, two great friends. He was such a quiet man and friend to many!! Had so many good times at the Moose and other places doing karaoke with him. Rest In Peace Marlyn.

Darlene Polzin and Wilbert Ubben

Darlene Polzin - March 08, 2019 at 11:13 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marlyn Raymond Knott.



March 08, 2019 at 05:40 PM

LG

“ The Grove Family of Wilmington, Ohio sends our deepest sympathies on the loss of a wonderful man, classmate, and dear friend. We will remember him fondly and always!



Lynn & Inga Grove - March 08, 2019 at 01:54 PM

PI

“ Plastic Recycling of Iowa Falls, Inc purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Marlyn Raymond Knott.



Plastic Recycling of Iowa Falls, Inc - March 08, 2019 at 12:44 PM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marlyn Raymond Knott.*



March 08, 2019 at 11:42 AM



“ *I was on my first job as a truck driver when we met. Blue taught me a lot about how to calm down, be patient and to take pride in my work. He always gave great advice. The world is short without him in it. Rest well Blue. I'll always remember you.*

Tracy Snyder - March 08, 2019 at 08:07 AM



“ *Sheryl Luppen Kevin Luppen lit a candle in memory of Marlyn Raymond Knott*



Sheryl Luppen Kevin Luppen - March 08, 2019 at 01:05 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Marlyn Raymond Knott.*



March 07, 2019 at 09:44 PM

VH

“ I will miss this man even though we didn't see each other every day I looked up to him all my life and the exsample that he had made of himself always caring ,loving , full of hugs ,smiles .,and always and always put family first and never missed a reunion or Holiday . You needed help he was there needed the shirt off his back it was yours period and he was by far the hardest working man I have ever seen nor did I ever see him raise his voice. And I I am positive that Grandpa and Grandma Knott were so proud of the man he is and the exsample that he put forth. Love You Uncle Marlyn I will miss you . May you. rest in peace now and are back with Gloria



Vince Hanson - March 07, 2019 at 06:59 PM



So sorry for your loss Vince

Sarah Knowles - March 07, 2019 at 07:39 PM

BS

“ Such a genuine and kind man. Rick didn't fall far from that tree either. Both will be missed dearly. RIP.



Ben Schlachter - March 07, 2019 at 05:44 PM



Agreed sad!!!

Steve Brannick - March 07, 2019 at 09:03 PM

AR

“ *OMG! I am so - so very sorry to hear this. Our heart breaks for the family and all they have gone through. We have many MANY good years of memories with Marlyn and Gloria and Deb at the bowling alley. We have watched Marlyn's grandkids grow up out there. Our deepest sympathies are with you.....*



Al & Brenda Robison - March 07, 2019 at 09:24 AM

RH

“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family, so many fond memories with Marley and Rick from the Bowling, nutting and tree cutting days! They will both be truly missed but are in a better place now with our Lord & Savior. Sincerely, Randy & Willie*

Randy Hartkopp - March 07, 2019 at 06:23 AM

TB

“ *Todd And Mary Blohm lit a candle in memory of Marlyn Raymond Knott*



Todd and Mary Blohm - March 07, 2019 at 12:09 AM

LR

“ *I'm so sorry to hear this. Our Thoughts and Prayers our with this family. Marley and Rick were two great men. Two of the hardest working guys I know.*

*I've known both of them since I was little. Dave trucked with Marley for years. Rick poured our shop floor. We lost two awesome men. RIP TO MARLEY AND RICK. You will be so missed. With Love,
Dave (Smiley) and Lorreca (blondie) Rieck*

Lorreca Rieck - March 06, 2019 at 10:38 PM