



## Dale Stork

August 21, 1944 - November 19, 2021

The direct link to the livestream can be found by clicking here: <https://youtu.be/Fct5F04kghc>

It can also be found by visiting the Sharp Funeral Home YouTube page at <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqd2eeRJK5RTdEJoEooUoAQ>.

Dale Stork, age 77, of Carroll, died Friday, November 19, 2021 at his home in Carroll.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, November 24, 2021 at Holy Spirit Church – St. John Paul II Parish in Carroll. The celebrant will be Fr. Kevin Richter. Music will be by Kathy Halbur. Lector will be Dustin Dinning. Gift Bearers will be Dale's grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Eucharistic Minister will be Cheryl Stork. Honorary Casket Bearers will be Bernie Janning, Ron Meiners, Clint and Lori Petersen, Dave Borkowski, Lynn Pudenz, Pat Derner and Lynn Schmitt. Casket Bearers will be Alyson Stork-Fleming, Emily Ridout, Nick Steinbach, Tyson Rust, Nick Rohde, Jeff Stork, and Dan Otto. Burial will be in Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Carroll with military honors conducted by the Carroll American Legion.

Visitation will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll. The casket will be moved to Holy Spirit Church on Wednesday where

visitation will resume from 12:30 to 1:15 p.m.

Funeral arrangements are under the guidance of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll and online condolences may be left for Dale's family at [www.sharpfuneral.com](http://www.sharpfuneral.com).

Dale, the son of Conrad and Marguerite (Wiederin) Stork was born on August 21, 1944 in Carroll, Iowa. He grew up near Breda. After his formal education, Dale was inducted into the United States Army and proudly served his country from 1965 to 1967, serving predominantly in Germany. Upon his honorable discharge, he returned to the Carroll area where he began working for Witt Flooring.

On July 31, 1971 he was united in marriage to Jolene Rust at Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Carroll. The couple made their home in Carroll where Dale worked for Juergens Feed and Produce; a career that lasted for forty years.

Dale enjoyed bowling, woodworking, and classic cars. Dale owned a Chevy El Camino, in which he won many awards in the various car shows he attended. He also enjoyed watching drag racing and socializing with many friends and family. Most of all, Dale enjoyed spending time with his family. Dale was a member of St. John Paul II Parish in Carroll.

Left to celebrate Dale's life are his children: Kim (Jeff) Irlbeck of Carroll, and Kelly (Marc) Snavelly of Colo; five grandchildren: MacKenzie (Adam) Wittrock of Carroll, Bret (Journey) Stork of Carroll, Chris Irlbeck of Carroll, Kerrington Snavelly of Omaha, NE and Max Snavelly of Colo; four great-grandchildren: Charlotte and Callahan Stork and Corbyn and Raegan Wittrock; Dale's significant other, Elaine Corsbie of Carroll, and her children and families: Amy (Geno) Nelsen of Johnston and Tricia (Robert) Killian of Johnston.

Also surviving are Dale's siblings: Gary (Kate) Stork of Omaha, NE, Doug (Kerry) Stork of Portludow, WA, and Dean (Cheryl) Stork of Carroll; brothers-in-law Bill (Karen) Rohde of Sunrise Beach, MO, Dave Rust of Carroll, and sister-in-law Joyce Steinbach of Carroll; his stepfather: Ed Reiling of Carroll and his children and families as well as many nieces, nephews, and other extended relatives and friends.

Dale was preceded in death by his wife Jolene in 2002, his parents, Conrad and Marguerite; his parents-in-law: Norbert and Bernadine (Brincks) Rust; siblings: Dan Stork, Ron Stork, Gene Stork, Neil Stork, John Stork, Marilyn Rohde, Jan (Gary) Otto; sister-in-law: Sharon Horton; brothers-in-law: Jerry Rust, and Andy Steinbach.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV **23**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Sharp Funeral Home ~ Carroll, Iowa  
226 W. 8th St.  
Carroll, IA 51401  
(712) 792-4301  
info@sharpfuneral.com  
<https://www.sharpfuneral.com>

## Visitation

NOV **24**. 12:30 PM (CT)

Holy Spirit Church  
421 Bluff St E  
Carroll, IA 51401  
(712) 792-4386

## Mass of the Christian Burial

NOV **24**. 1:30 PM.

Holy Spirit Church – St. John Paul II Parish

# Tribute Wall

DT

“ *I remember Dale when we were teen agers and I dated his sister Janet. He was a great guy and a good friend. God bless..*

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**David Timmerman** - November 25, 2021 at 11:41 AM

JS

“ *My condolences to the family. Dale was a great neighbor & we had many a laugh together. Thinking of you all at this difficult time. RIP*  
*Joan Stahl*



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**Joan Stahl** - November 23, 2021 at 12:27 PM

NB

“ I never met a man like Dale ! That huge smile on his face, and gleam in his eye were always present!

Richard and I met Dale when we were dating.. He was dating and then married my dear first cousin Jolene . There are probably not enough adjectives in my vocabulary to describe Dale ... Life was an adventure to Dale and he packed in every ounce with all he could muster !!! He was a hard worker and a kind and caring man . He made everyone around him feel like they were the most important person alive !!!


There were many years that he would drive up to Minnesota to go to race car events, car shows and the like ! He made sure he took the time to stop in Sleepy Eye to see my mother and spend time with her . Since Richard and I lived either in Sleepy Eye or Fairfax during those years, we also spent many hours laughing, joking, playing cards and enjoying a few beers together . When Dale left, that happiness carried through till “the next time “.

He ALWAYS put 100% into every task he was assigned . He had pride in his wife “ Jo Jo”, his daughters, grandkids, extended family and friends, and himself!

The sound of his hearty laughter will never be forgotten!!

When JoJo became ill, he devoted himself to taking care of her. As time went on, he remained devoted and dedicated to her . Many years of complete love and unselfishness were spent with JoJo. He never gave up on her or their love for each other !!!

Jolene passed away in 2002 from ALS. As she was leaving this earthy home, she was able to whisper “I LOVE YOU “ to Dale and their daughters !

And now, I can only imagine the glorious reunion with Jo Jo and so many of their family that have left this world before him . May you REST IN  PEACE !

~~~ Nancy J ( Schleisman) Beltz

Daughter of Rita & Leon Schleisman

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Nancy J (Schleisman) Beltz - November 23, 2021 at 11:10 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dale Stork.*



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November 22, 2021 at 06:49 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dale Stork.*



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November 22, 2021 at 03:43 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Dale Stork.*



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November 21, 2021 at 05:07 PM



“ *My sincere condolences to Elaine and Dale's family during this sad time. Dale was a genuinely great guy. He will be missed.*

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**Jerry Bell** - November 21, 2021 at 02:03 PM

JR

“ *Thinking of you Elaine during this difficult time.*



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**Julie Ann Routh** - November 21, 2021 at 04:29 AM

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“ *Vicki Sommer lit a candle in memory of Dale Stork*



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**Vicki Sommer** - November 20, 2021 at 09:23 PM

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“ *Sending my love out to Alyson and her family during this time .*

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**Tim** - November 20, 2021 at 06:52 PM

KJ

“ *My sincere sympathy to Dale"s Family & Elaine...Dale was a good guy & always friendly, ..Remember all the good times you"ve shared ...Keep your memories close to your heart& he will always be with you...May he rest in eternal peace.....Remember .God is always there for you....Kristi Schuler Jorgensen...*



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**Kristi Jorgensen** - November 20, 2021 at 04:51 PM

DM

“ *Our thoughts are with you the Family,  
First Cousin to us, & always a happy fun  
Fella!*  
*Diane (Dirkx) & Russ Meyer*



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**Diane Meyer** - November 20, 2021 at 04:29 PM

KN

“ *What a special guy. That smile was always there . Girls treasure  
your memories. He loved you lots*

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**kris nagl** - November 20, 2021 at 03:40 PM

PS

“ *Peg Scheidt lit a candle in memory of Dale  
Stork*



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**Peg Scheidt** - November 20, 2021 at 02:27 PM