



Duane J. Beyerink

September 24, 1938 - December 4, 2011

Duane "Barney" Beyerink, 73 of Westside, passed away Sunday, December 4, 2011 at St. Anthony Regional Hospital in Carroll after a sixteen month battle with cancer.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Wednesday at Holy Spirit Church in Carroll. The Celebrant will be Fr. Timothy Johnson. Music will be by Barb McDermott and the Holy Spirit Choir. Lector for the funeral mass will be Duane's grandson, Nate Beyerink. Gift Bearers will be Duane's grandchildren, Kate and Hunter Beyerink. Casket Bearers will be Duane's sons: Dan, Dale, and Jerry Beyerink; Duane's grandson, Zach Beyerink; Duane's son-in-laws: Darren Rumler and Bret Leymaster; and Duane's friend, Merle Nelson. Burial will be at 1 p.m., Wednesday at the Westside Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll after 3 p.m. Tuesday where there will be a Christian Wake Service at 6 p.m. The casket will be taken to Holy Spirit Church at 9 a.m. Wednesday where visitation will resume until time of the funeral mass.

Duane was born September 24, 1938 to Joseph and Clara (Huegerich) Beyerink in Carroll, IA. After school, Duane enlisted in the USAF. After basic training at Chanute AFB, the remainder of his 3 ½ years were spent at the base in Roswell, New Mexico. It was during that time he formed many lasting friendships.

On September 13, 1958, he and Linda Koenig were married. They were married for 15 years. During that time they were blessed with 5 children. After

discharge from the Air Force, they returned to the Glidden area where Duane farmed for a time before beginning a 25 year career with Crouse Cartage Company.

On May 1, 1981, Duane and Bonnie Jurgensen were married in Storm Lake, IA. Shortly after, he adopted Bonnie's daughters, Jennifer and Jacqueline. A 4-H project Duane initiated for Jen turned into a 30 year family project. Along with daughters showing 4-H shows, Duane showed at state levels, winning many awards. He and Bonnie were also co-superintendents for 15 years at the Crawford County Fair.

He also enjoyed working in his garden and raising a variety of popcorn that was "Papa's" specialty.

Duane is survived by his wife Bonnie of Westside; daughters, Patricia Rumler and her husband Darren of Moline, IL; Jennifer Koopman and special friend, Justin Yager of Webster City, IA; Jacqueline Leymaster and her husband Bret of Carroll; sons, Dan Beyerink and his wife Julie of Monroe; Dale Beyerink of Glidden; Jerry Beyerink and his wife Lisa of Grand Junction; 12 grandchildren; 3 great-grandchildren; sister Jean Buchheit of Des Moines and mother-in-law Irene Jurgensen of Denison.

He was preceded in death by his parents, son Kevin, brother-in-law David Buchheit, and father-in-law Merlin Jurgensen.

Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences to you all on the loss of Duane.*

Michael Buss - December 05, 2011 at 02:45 PM

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“ *Bonnie & Family,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this
difficult time.*

MARGE & DAN MILLER - December 05, 2011 at 01:53 PM