



## Harold Reiman

May 1, 1933 - April 20, 2023

Harold “Harry” Reiman, age 89, of Carroll, passed away on Thursday, April 20, 2023 at Journey Senior Services in Carroll.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, April 27, 2023 at Holy Spirit Catholic Church – St. John Paul II Parish in Carroll. The celebrant will be Fr. Timothy Schott. Music will be by Kathy Halbur and Kathleen Macke. Lectors will be Caleb Reiman, Evan Reiman, and Garrett Miller. Gift Bearers will be Bradley Reiman, Bruce Reiman, Brenda Miller and Rodney Reiman. Eucharistic Minister will be Bradley Reiman. Casket Bearers will be Garrett Miller, Vanessa Miller, Marcus Miller, Evan Reiman, Lucas Reiman, Caleb Reiman, and Alyssa Reiman. Burial will be in Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Carroll with military honors conducted by the Carroll American Legion.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 7p.m. on Wednesday at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll, where there will be a Rosary prayed at 5 p.m. and a Christian Wake Service held at 6:30 p.m. The casket will be moved to Holy Spirit Church on Thursday morning where visitation will continue from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m.

Memorials may be directed to the family for distribution at a later date.

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

On April 20th Harry Reiman, passed away 11 days before his 90th birthday, probably because he wanted nothing to do with the party his family was going to throw for him.

Harry spent most of his life farming near the tiny town of Roselle, Iowa where he was born, grew up and raised his 4 children with the love of his life, Sally Wanninger. "When Harry met Sally" was always their tagline. They met at his sister's and her brother's wedding in 1956 and were together ever since for 65+ years. While dating, he gave his paycheck to her one week and said, "let's go buy a ring!" The couple were married on October 5, 1957. Their son Bradley arrived a year later, and to their surprise they added twins Bruce and Brenda shortly thereafter. Four and a half years later Rodney was born. "Be good" was his famous piece of advice to his children, and still was his parting remark to them after being together. He didn't give long winded lectures. "Be good" covered so much ground all on its own. The simpleness of it illustrates how wise he was.... both in his heart and his mind. By his example, he taught his children to work hard, to never lie or cheat, to go to church on Sundays, and to have a sense of humor.

He took great pride in his 7 grandkids (Garrett, Vanessa, Marcus, Evan, Lucas, Caleb, and Alyssa) who affectionately called him PopPop. Two great grandchildren were added to his legacy in the past 7 months. Cohen Miller and Carsten Reiman will never know their great grandpa, but they will for sure hear the stories about him from his grandkids. They will tell them how he was kind and ornery and threw money on the lawn for Easter egg hunts.

Harry served in the Army from 1954-1956 and received an honorable

discharge. He then began work at Juergens Produce and Feed where he worked until 1973. At that time, he then became a fulltime livestock and grain farmer, until he retired.

He was a rockstar on the ball field, playing Rover for many years for the Trio Tavern slow pitch team. Harry would fly around the bases at lightning speed while his family watched on the hood of their car, eating homemade greasy popcorn out of a huge paper grocery sack. Sometimes he had to leave in the middle of a ballgame to be taken to the chiropractor because he had hurt his back. Always a fan of the KC Royals and the St. Louis Cardinals, he took his family on trips to major league baseball games every year.

Playing cards (pinochle, euchre, hearts) was a favorite pastime, and although he held his cards in complete disarray, he would win most of the time with that ornery smile and a clever comment. This past year, even in his declining health, many card games were played with family members, and with that twinkle in his eye, he continued to beat them. He loved a full rain gauge, naps in his recliner, and Anacin for any pain. He wasn't a fan of facial hair, tattoos, and jeans with holes in them.

Together with Sally, they traveled the world on Farm Bureau sponsored trips. The mountains, oceans, castles, monuments etc. were all wonderful but what Harry treasured and remembered most was the relationships he made on these trips. And he will always be remembered as the guy who kept a \$100 bill in his shoe for emergencies on vacation. He adored Sally with every beat of his heart and every tap of his coffee cup to let her know he needed a refill. He was always proud of her, never minding at all if she would outshine him. A man of few words, he always signed his cards to her "Just Harry".

The original six (Harry, Sally, his 3 sons and 1 daughter) were all together in

his room at Journey Senior Services when the angels came to get him. Harry is reunited in heaven with his parents Joe and Elenor Reiman, siblings Valaria Sheets, Donald Reiman, Marlene Stecher, brothers-in-law Richard Stetcher, Roy Lidbeck, Merlyn Zubrod, Duane Irlmeier and Billy Wanninger, sisters-in-law Marilyn Zubrod and Delores Lidbeck. Left to carry on Harry's legacy are his wife Sally, children Bradley Reiman (Claire) of West Des Moines, Bruce Reiman of Carroll, Brenda Miller (Jeff) of West Des Moines and Rodney Reiman (Jill) of Gilbert, Arizona, 7 grandchildren, and 2 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his sister Lue Wanninger, and sisters-in-law: Pauline Irlmeier, Shirley Reiman, Pat Zubrod and numerous nieces and nephews.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **26.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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## Mass of the Christian Burial

APR **27.** 10:30 AM.

Holy Spirit Catholic Church – St. John Paul II Parish

# Tribute Wall



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.* ”



April 26, 2023 at 11:50 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.* ”



April 26, 2023 at 11:23 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.* ”



April 25, 2023 at 09:15 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.* ”



April 24, 2023 at 08:16 PM

JB

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you, Sally, and all of your family. I remember going on those trips with you and Harry. He was such a pleasant man and always had a happy smile or story to tell.*

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**Jeanette Brinkman** - April 24, 2023 at 07:46 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



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April 24, 2023 at 05:27 PM

WF

“ *Wayne & Maureen Fry purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Harold Reiman.*



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**Wayne & Maureen Fry** - April 24, 2023 at 05:05 PM

LN

“ *Love, Jim & Jill Neleman purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." for the family of Harold Reiman.*



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**Love, Jim & Jill Neleman** - April 24, 2023 at 03:33 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



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April 24, 2023 at 02:29 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



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April 24, 2023 at 01:00 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



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April 23, 2023 at 10:03 PM



“ *Sally, Brenda, Brad and families, thinking of you all at this time. Prayers!*

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**Tammy Kerrigan** - April 23, 2023 at 01:20 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



April 23, 2023 at 12:46 PM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



April 23, 2023 at 08:39 AM



“ *My deepest condolences to family! Always enjoyed my visits with him when I lived in Carroll! He loved talking sports!*

**Denny O’Grady** - April 22, 2023 at 10:36 PM



“ *Had the privilege of taking care of my friend Harry several times during a ball game*

*During the our sorrow death is only hard on the living*

**Dr Donovan** - April 22, 2023 at 09:54 PM

CT

“ *Sally you and your family are in my prayers. Duane and him will watch over all of you. Blessings Cecelia Thelen*

Cecelia Thelen - April 22, 2023 at 07:18 PM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



April 22, 2023 at 05:59 PM

CA

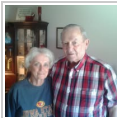
“ *Thank you for sharing such a beautiful eulogy! What a wonderful man Harry was. May The love of friends and family bring you comfort today and in the days to come* ❤️

Cathy Andersen - April 22, 2023 at 11:17 AM



*Our Deepest Sympathy to the family  
The Broich Family*

Mary Jo Broich - April 22, 2023 at 01:12 PM



*Dear Sally and family, our deepest sympathy to all. We will pray for you and know this has to be unexpected.  
Florence and Leon.*

Leon Oswald - April 24, 2023 at 08:22 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



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April 22, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *SALLY AND FAMILY Sincere sympathy . HARRY ALWAYS HAD A SMILE. THINKING OF YOU.*

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**Vickie Duff** - April 22, 2023 at 10:47 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Harold Reiman.*



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April 21, 2023 at 12:41 PM