

In Loving Memory of
George Jaeger

April 3, 1941 - May 12, 2022

Visitation

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Rosary

7:00 p.m.

4th Degree Knights of Columbus - leaders

Tuesday, May 17, 2022

St. Leo Catholic Church

Tyndall, South Dakota

Funeral Mass

11:00 a.m.

Wednesday, May 18, 2022

St. Leo Catholic Church

Tyndall, South Dakota

Fr. Joe Forcelle - Celebrant

Music

Kathy Koenig - Organist

St. Leo's Catholic Church Choir

I Am the Bread of Life

Come to Me

Sofily and Tenderly

Song of Farewell

On the Wings of a Dove

Recording by Foster & Allen

Pallbearers

Jacob Jaeger, Joe Jaeger

Trevor Schuurmans, Tad Schuurmans

Paul Olsen & Nick Myers

Interment

With Military Honors by

Army Funeral Honors Team &

Pike-Wagner Post #2

St Leo Catholic Cemetery

George Raymond Jaeger was born April 3, 1941 in Wagner, SD to parents Tony and Teresa (Temme) Jaeger. He was child number five of 14.

He attended country grade school in Bovee, SD and graduated from Geddes High School in 1959. He worked on the family farm until 1962. He took a job in Rapid City, SD at the Black Hills Packing Plant. From there he worked for Minute Man missile sites across western South Dakota.

In 1963 he began a 17-year career as a signal maintainer for the Chicago Rock Island and Pacific Railroad in the states of Kansas, Colorado, Iowa and Illinois. It was in Norton, Kansas that he met Eileen Urban at the county fair. They married February 6, 1965 and settled in East Moline, Illinois for the next 16 years, where they raised four children. During this time they lived on a small farm where George raised pigs, corn and soybeans while working on the railroad. When the Chicago Rock Island and Pacific railroad went bankrupt in 1980, George was offered a job in Chicago, but decided to go back to his roots in South Dakota and buy a farm northeast of Tyndall moving his family the very next year.

George and Eileen retired to town in 2002 at which time his sons took over the farming. George was diagnosed with advanced stages of MDS cancer in January 2022 and moved to the Tyndall Good Samaritan for the last two months of his life.

George was a member of the Knights of Columbus where he was a Grand Knight, District Deputy achieving 4th Degree, always enjoying meetings and playing cards. He was also a member of the American Legion, Tri-State Old Iron Association, FFA alumni and a past state director of the SD Soybean Association.

After retirement, George enjoyed, most of all, driving bus...any bus. Buses for the local school district, surrounding colleges and for Prairie Coach. This gave him time for his other hobby...visiting with people. George made friends everywhere he went. For two summers he also enjoyed driving a chuckwagon in the Black Hills of SD.

During his life his passion was antique tractors, owning at one time over 50, and driving them on tractor drives and in parades. He could be found on the computer or phone, wheeling and dealing tractors any given day.

George will be remembered for his "Jaeger" voice, never-ending conversations, big smile and large family. His grandchildren will remember him for his card playing.

Those surviving and are grateful for sharing his life are his wife of 57 years, Eileen; children, Trish (Paul) Olson of Sioux Falls, SD, Stan (Kathy) of Tyndall, Sharon (Carin Schleicher) of Sioux Falls and Paul (Charlotte) of Tyndall; seven grandchildren, Trevor (Alyssa) Schuurmans, Cassie (Nick) Myers, Tad (Mikayla) Schuurmans, Jacob Jaeger, Joe (Morgan) Jaeger, Emma and Joslynn Jaeger; five great-grandchildren, Layla, Briar, Lettie, Kaydence and George; eleven siblings, Richard, Sister Mary Jaeger, Madeline Stoltz, Don, Tom, Lawrence, JoAnn DeBoer, Kenny, Gene, Roger and Raymond; brothers-in-law, Eugene Urban and Larry Urban and numerous nieces and nephews.

George was preceded in death by his parents, Tony and Teresa Jaeger; brothers Jerome and Bob; in-laws, Leo and Veronica Urban; brothers and sisters-in-law, Clarice (Clem) Engel, Marvin (Mary) Urban, Marlene Urban, Vernon (Gerry) Urban and Janie Urban; two nephews and one niece.

FLORAL TRIBUTES



Randy & Lisa Weier
Tyler, Brittany & family
Jared, Kayli & family
Scott, Kim & family



Rous Farms



Dr. Palmer



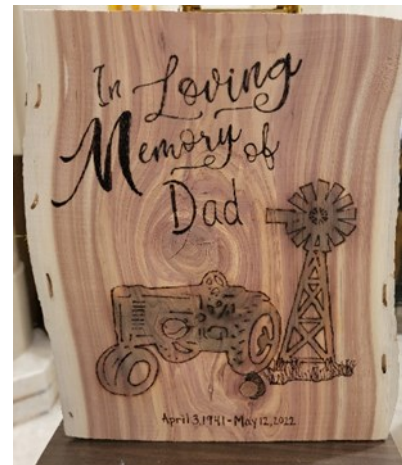
BJ School Buses



Nancy & David
Nick, Oscar, Annie & Allie and Louise



Tom & Linda Soukup
Becky & Mike Brunsing & family
David & Amanda Soukup & family
Mary & Marshall & family



The Pinochle Club
Jim & Margaret Kniffen, Dennis & Mary Plihal
Don & Joyce Sykora, Eileen Bares,
George & Denise Mudder

FLORAL TRIBUTES



Denise & Dave & family
Gloria & family
Lori & Glen & family



Dan & Vickie



Mark & Donna Prouty & Family



Alvin, Terr, Roger, Sara, Alan,
May & Carli

- Dick Jaeger
- Sr. Mary Jaeger
- Madeline & Jim Stoltz
- Don & Lila Jaeger
- Tom & Elaine Jaeger
- Lawrence & Colleen Jaeger
- JoAnn & Dennis DeBoer
- Ken & Cindy Jaeger
- Gene & Peggy Jaeger
- Roger & Cindy Jaeger
- Ray & Kim Jaeger



FLORAL TRIBUTES



Theresa Kocer
Brian, Janelle, Kaden, Karsten & Kenadee
Hunter, Karlee & Kynlee



Geoff -Bambi-Morgan-Ollie



The Presentation Sisters



South Dakota Soybean



Class of 2007



The Staff & Residents at
Good Samaritan - Tyndall



Your Temme cousins in Washington



Your Life Group Friends

FLORAL TRIBUTES



Doug & Charlene Urban



Vicki & Harvey



Tara McAllister & family
Kass & Kelli Schonebaum



Wally Johnson Family



Marlene Zieser & family



Elite Feeds and Nutrition



John, Lisa, Jessi, Ali & Kolton



Dan & Jodi Kubal & family



Bon Homme Democratic Party

FLORAL TRIBUTES



Greg, Barbara & Holly McCann



Jill & Tom
Steven & Brittany
Roger & Nila



Bon Homme School District 4-2



Rous Farms



Your friends and sisters.



Ryan, Shelby & family



Leo & Susan Schleicher



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Jared, Kayli & family
Scott, Kim & family