Funeral Service 11:00 a.m., Saturday, October 21, 2023 Grace Bible Church Gillette, Wyoming

> Officiant Pastor Daryl Hilbert

Prelude- Celeste Brandt
Invocation- Pastor Hilbert
Hymn- "In the Garden" B588, R541
Scripture Reading

Hymn- "It is Well with My Soul" B495,R321 **Prayer**

Eulogy- Donny Jenniges, Reese Jenniges

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Granial Music "Alexan County Theory Art"

Special Music- "How Great Thou Art"
Sermon- "All Things Through Christ"
Hymn- "Amazing Grace" B107,R293
Prayer

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Military Honors American Legion Post #42 Honor Guard

Honorary Urnbearers

DeeAnn Jenniges Donny Jenniges Reese Jenniges Jeannie Weasler Mark Jenniges Mick Jenniges Jerry Jenniges Michelle Friedel

The family extends an invitation to a reception and time of fellowship at the church following the service.



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Rita Mashak, Guy Casablanca & Corrine Thompson

Funeral Service-Monuments-Advance Planning-Cremation-Lending Library, Learning to say goodbye; children's tour.

Norman Dane Jenniges, or "Duffy" as he is known to most, was born on June 13, 1946 to Valentine Jenniges Sr. and Rebecca Schleve in Hot Springs, South Dakota. He lived in Hot Springs for most of his youth and attended Hot Springs area schools. Duffy's first job was as a meat cutter for a butcher in a local grocer. It was here that he originally developed his strong work ethic and a new skill set that would help him in the future as a hunter. After completing school, Duffy joined the United States Air Force. While serving in Vietnam in the second of two tours, Duffy was seriously injured during an attack. It was during this crisis that Duffy received Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior. Not long afterwards, he was discharged and truly returned to his life in the United States. Duffy entered treatment and committed himself to sober living. Following this period, Duffy began to work at a halfway house with the interest of helping others towards stability, safety, and sobriety. During this period of service, Duffy met DeeAnn and a relationship began to form. This connection expanded and deepened resulting in the two being wed on January 16, 1978. By that fall, Duffy and DeeAnn welcomed their first child into the world. Donald Valentine Jenniges burst into the world with a mischievous grin and a keen interest in just about everything under the sun. Afterwards the family moved to Lincoln, Nebraska where Duffy worked with the railroad for some years. The family then relocated to Gillette, Wyoming, which would become Duffy's home for the remainder of his days. He worked principally as a signal maintainer for the BNSF Railroad and had his railroad job for 20+ years. In 1985, Duffy and DeeAnn welcomed a second son, Reese Dane Jenniges. Duffy also became keenly interested in politics, helping local and statewide efforts for the Wyoming Democratic Party, and even running for office several times. Although his railroad vocation was a focus, Duffy's real passion was volunteering. This was true whether he was working with fellow church members, recovering addicts, military veterans, or simply those in need. One common refrain Duffy said was, "do the next right thing." This phrase constituted the backbone of his philosophical playbook, which he applied to nearly every part of his daily life. When he was diagnosed with lung and brain cancer in 2022, he fought the disease with both tenacity and grace. Duffy passed away at his home on October 12, 2023 with his family by his side, he was 77 years old. He was preceded in death by his father Valentine, his mother Rebecca, and his siblings, Ann Jenniges, Valentine Jenniges Jr., Richard Jenniges, and David Jenniges. He is survived by his wife DeeAnn, his two sons Donny and Reese, and his siblings Jeannie Weasler, Mark Jenniges, Mick Jenniges, Jerry Jenniges, and Michelle Friedel. Duffy was an avid hunter, political animal, devoted churchgoer, veterans advocate, and ally to all in recovery.

In Loving Memory



Norman "Duffy" Jenniges

June 13, 1946

October 12, 2023









Duffy -

Go now to your new home
Go now to be with your Mom
and Dad

Go now to be with your sister
Go now to be with your
brothers

Go now to be with your friends

Go now to be in peace
Go now to be in joy
Go now to be in Heaven
Go now to be in Jesus' arms
Safe and secure in His loving
care

May peace and joy fill you all days of your life.





