

Kelly Clyde Nickel, 70, of Mandan, died December 3, 2018, at his home.

Kelly was born July 10, 1948, in Mandan, to Wilbur and Mary (Carlson) Nickel. He served in the U.S. Army from 1968 to 1970. On August 10, 1979, he married Cindy Kopp in Mandan. They had three children, Willie, Jimmy and Cassie. He worked as a welder for various companies.

He had many hobbies which included gardening, fishing, hunting, and playing solitaire. In addition to his hobbies, he enjoyed making sure people laughed with his sense of humor. He expressed his love by fixing and helping his family. His greatest pride were his grandchildren, he cherished every moment he spent with them. There wasn't a child that came to his house that didn't learn how to drink coffee with grandpa.

Left with fond memories, his wife of 39 years, Cindy; one daughter, Cassie (Ryan) Zueger of Mandan; two sons, Willie Nickel and Jimmy Nickel (Special Friend, Aspen Kuntz) both of Mandan; grandchildren, Nevada Nickel, Mason Nickel, and Eli Kuntz; his sister, Cindy (Dave) Munsch of New Salem; three brothers, Lonnie Nickel of Minot, Michael Nickel of Bismarck, and Pat Nickel of Mandan; brother-in-law, Don Osborn of Loveland, CO and numerous nieces and nephews.

Kelly is preceded in death by his parents, Wilbur and Mary Nickel; his sister, Jo Ellen Osborn and two infant sisters; and father-in-law, George Kopp.





In Memory of Kelly Nickel

Celebrating the Life of

Kelly Clyde Nickel

July 10, 1948 — December 3, 2018

Vigil Service Sunday, December 9, 2018; 7:00 PM

Weigel Funeral Home

Presider Deacon Randy Frohlich

Monday, December 10, 2018; 12:30 PM

Spirit of Life Catholic Church

801 1st Street SE, Mandan, North Dakota

Celebrant Rev. Todd Kreitinger

Nancy Darling and Dominic Goettle

Prelude "God Bless America"

Opening Song "How Great Thou Art"

Liturgy of the Word

Old Testament Reading Lamentation 3: 17-26

Lector Cheryl Lantz

Responsorial Psalm Psalm 23

"The Lord is my Shepherd, there is nothing I shall want"

New Testament Reading

Romans 14: 7-9, 10c-12

Lector

Cindy Munsch

Gospel Reading

Matthew 5: 1-12a

Homily

Funeral Liturgy

Musicians

Liturgy of the Eucharist

Preparation of Gifts "Old Rugged Cross"

Gift Bearers Willie ~ Jimmy ~ Cassie ~ Nevada ~ Mason

Consecration of Eucharist "I Can Only Imagine"

Communion Song "Amazing Grace"

Final Commendation "Song of Farewell"

Closing Song "Precious Lord Take My Hand"



Casket Bearers

Jimmy Nickel	Greg Nickel
Willie Nickel	Charles Kopp
Ryan Zueger	Greg Kopp
Zach Kopp	Todd Peterson

Honorary Casket Bearers

Nevada Nickel	Evan Larson
Mason Nickel	Gavin Harsch
Eli Kuntz	Mikey Mathwig
Braxton Teske	Isaac Schmidt
Emilia Miller	Billy Berger

Interment

North Dakota Veterans Cemetery; 2:00 PM

Mandan, North Dakota

Following the burial service, the family invites you for lunch and fellowship at Spirit of Life in the Activity Center.