



1. "Courage is being scared to death... and saddling up anyway."
2. "Tomorrow is the most important thing in life. Comes into us at midnight very clean. It's perfect when it arrives and it puts itself in our hands. It hopes we've learned something from yesterday."
3. "A man deserves a second chance, but keep an eye on him."
4. "All battles are fought by scared men who'd rather be some place else."
5. "I won't be wronged. I won't be insulted. I won't be laid a hand on. I don't do these things to other people and I require the same from them."
6. "I have tried to live my life so that my family would love me and my friends respect me. The others can do whatever the hell they please."
7. "When you stop fighting, that's death."
8. "I'm the stuff men are made of."
9. "A man's got to have a code, a creed to live by."
10. "I define manhood simply: men should be tough, fair, and courageous, never petty, never looking for a fight, but never backing down from one either." – **John Wayne**


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In Loving Memory of
James "Jim" Jenkins
December 1, 1939-February 21, 2022

James "Jim" Everett Jenkins, age 82, Raymond, died peacefully in Avantara Care Center at Lake Norden on Monday morning, February 21, 2022.

James Everett Jenkins was born on December 1, 1939, to Doyle and Vera (Huber) Jenkins. He attended Ash Consolidated School until its closure in 1954. Jim then attended Raymond High School where he achieved graduation. He especially enjoyed being a Raymond Redwing basketball player and played to success. He entered the Army National Guard and served for 9 years, discharging with honor.

He married his high school sweetheart, Barbara LaBay, on January 24, 1960. Jim and Barb would have their 1st child, Tony Lee Jenkins, on March 13, 1961, but sadly would lose him in a home accident on April 14, 1962. Jim and Barb would have their 2nd son, Todd, in 1963, and their 3rd son Brian in 1966.

Jim would farm his entire life living north of Raymond. He was a long-time treasurer of Ash Township, a member of the Raymond Elevator Board, Registered Hereford Assoc., Raymond American Legion, and an active member of the Clark Jaycees. He was a catcher for the outstanding Clark Jaycees fast pitch softball team where he made many lifelong friends and had a lot of fun. He enjoyed traveling, hunting and fishing with family and friends and watching old westerns on TV. He also enjoyed spending time at Lake Kampeska at the family cabin, fishing off the end of the dock with his sons and grandchildren. Jim was very proud of the fact that he had gained status to be in the Guinness Book of World Records for a short time for the longest pool game which he played against his cousin, Don Huber at Andy's Bar in Raymond. He was an avid coin collector and loved to show and tell about his coins and a very competitive cribbage player enjoying playing with the crew in Raymond. He also was very proud of his children and grandchildren, which he thought were the cutest grandkids ever.

He is survived by his sons, Todd (Brenda) Jenkins, Brian (Chris) Jenkins, both of Clark, SD; his grandchildren, Tony (Heather) Jenkins of Grafton, ND, Becky (Kevin) Kunz of Roscoe, SD, Tyson (Ashton) Jenkins of Sioux Falls, SD; his great grandchildren Izabella, Sophia, Audrick and Everett; sister-in-law Mavis Jenkins of Sioux Falls, SD; as well as many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Preceding him in death were his parents, his wife, Barbara in 2008, his son, Tony, his sisters, Opal Howard and Marjorie (Jim) Forest and his brother, John Jenkins.



Celebrating the Life of James Jenkins



Services from
Furness Funeral Home Chapel
Clark, South Dakota
Monday, February 28, 2022
10:30 AM

Officiant
CRE Michelle Mehlberg

Music

"The Good, The Bad & The Ugly" - Theme Music
"The Old Rugged Cross" - Johnny Cash
"My Old Man" - Zac Brown Band
"Country Roads, Take Me Home" - John Denver

Honorary Casket Bearers

Raymond Cribbage Crew

Casket Bearers

Tony Jenkins	Tyson Jenkins	Kevin Kunz
Wayne Schlager	Brent Forest	Steve Mehlberg

Interment

Rose Hill Cemetery, Clark, South Dakota



*The family of Jim Jenkins thanks you for your presence here today,
for your thoughts, prayers, and other acts of kindness shown to them.*

*Please join the family for lunch & a time of remembrance
in the fellowship area following interment.*

