

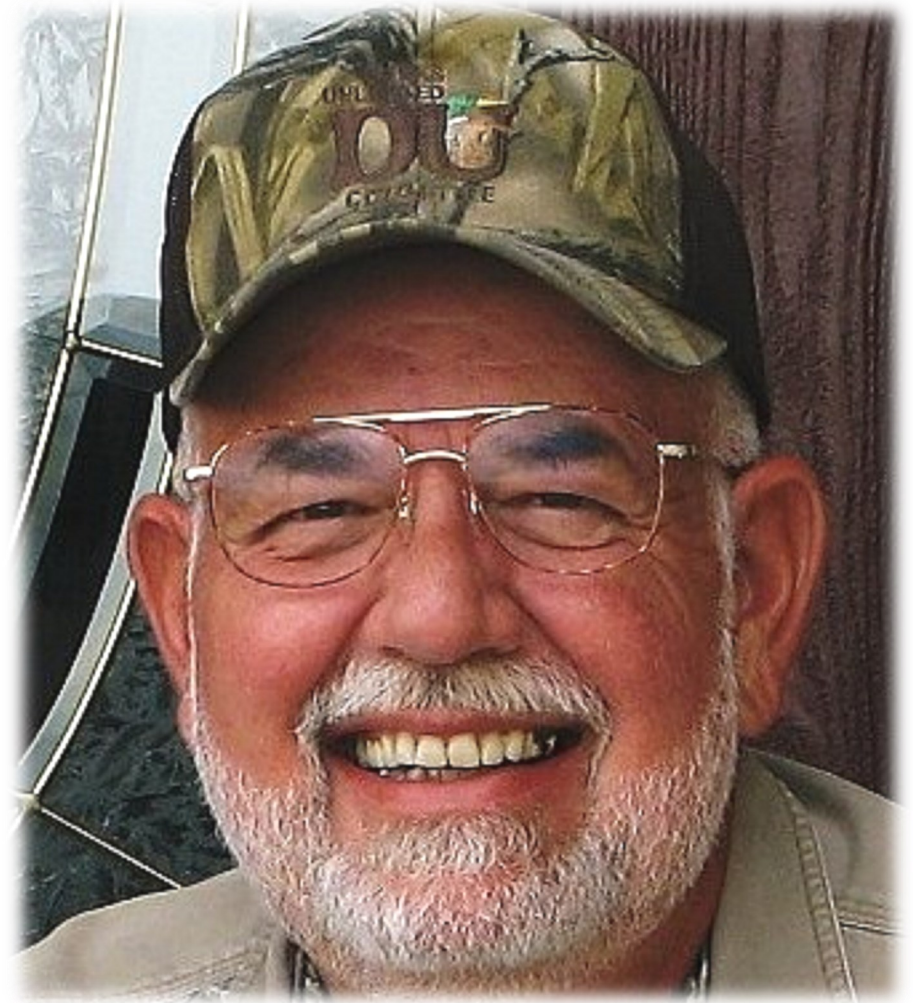
When Tomorrow Starts Without Me

*When tomorrow starts without me
and I'm not there to see,
if the sun should rise and find your eyes
all filled with tears for me.
I know how much you love me,
as much as I love you,
and each time that you think of me,
I know you'll miss me too.
But when tomorrow starts without me,
try to understand that an angel came,
and took me by the hand.
I thought of all the yesterdays,
the good ones and the bad.
I thought of all the love we shared,
and all the fun we had.
So when tomorrow starts without me,
don't think we are far apart.
For every time you think of me,
I'll be right there in your heart.*



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In Loving Memory



Lyle "Steve" Bublitz
April 18, 1948 — March 9, 2024

Lyle “Steve” Bublitz was born to Lyle H. and Marcella (Steen) Bublitz in Watertown, South Dakota on April 18, 1948. Steve and his parents lived in Clear Lake, South Dakota, Newcastle, Wyoming and Milbank, South Dakota before moving to Brookings, South Dakota in 1958. Steve graduated from Brookings High School in 1966 and Dakota State University in 1970. He married his high school sweetheart, Barbara Davis in 1967, to which union a daughter, Michelle, and a son, Eric were born.

After graduating from DSU, Steve and Barb moved to St. Louis, Missouri, where Steve was employed as a Financial Reports Analyst for the Farmers Home Administration. In December of 1973, they moved back to South Dakota, where their roots always were. They lived in De Smet where Steve was employed, until his retirement, as the Local Government Audit Manager supervising audits of cities, counties and school districts for the South Dakota Auditor General. While in De Smet, they purchased the Gas-n-Goodies convenience store which was managed by Barb. In 2006, they moved to an acreage near Huron where Steve served as an owner of, and guide for, Fair Chase Pheasants. Many repeat customers of Fair Chase Pheasants became friends, and pheasant season seemed like family reunions to many of those involved.

Steve enjoyed making knives, reloading, remodeling firearms, building muzzleloaders, playing cards, watching movies, reading outdoor magazines, get togethers with family, and hunting both big and small game, especially with his children and grandchildren.

Steve is survived by his wife, Barbara; his daughter, Michelle (Roger) Chase; his son, Eric Bublitz; his grandchildren, Derek (Tia) Chase, Lexy (John) Foss, Ryan Chase, Degan Bublitz and Reese Bublitz; and his great grandchildren, Holden Chase, Emilyn Chase, Brielle Chase, Hazel Foss and Eleanor Foss.

Steve was preceded in death by his grandparents, parents; and one grandchild, Dillon Bublitz.

Funeral Service for Steve Bublitz
Friday, March 15, 2024
Hope Lutheran Church
Huron, South Dakota

Rev. Mark Nassen, Officiant
Kathy Chase, Pianist
Representative David Kull, Bagpiper

Prelude		Kathy Chase
Processional	<i>Amazing Grace</i>	Rep. David Kull
Greeting		Rev. Mark Nassen
Invocation		Rev. Mark Nassen
Congregational Response	<i>Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy. Christ have mercy. Christ have mercy. Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy.</i>	
Prayer		Rev. Mark Nassen
Psalm 23		Rev. Mark Nassen
Hymn	<i>Swing Low, Sweet Chariot</i>	Kathy Chase
Readings	John 14:1-3 and John 3:14-17	Rev. Mark Nassen
Sermon		Rev. Mark Nassen
Hymn	<i>Sweet Hour Of Prayer</i>	Kathy Chase
Prayer		Rev. Mark Nassen
The Lord’s Prayer		Congregation
Nunc Dimittis		Rev. Mark Nassen
Benediction		Rev. Mark Nassen
Recessional	<i>Going Home</i>	Rep. David Kull

Honorary Urn Bearers

Derek Chase	Degan Bublitz
Lexy Foss	Reese Bublitz
Ryan Chase	Holden Chase
Emilyn Chase	Brielle Chase
Hazel Foss	Eleanor Foss

Inurnment
Lakeview Cemetery
Clear Lake, South Dakota