

Remember Me

ANTHONY DOWSON

Speak of me as you have always done.
Remember the good times, laughter, and fun.

Share the happy memories we've made.
Do not let them wither or fade.

I'll be with you in the summer's sun
And when the winter's chill has come.

I'll be the voice that whispers in the breeze.
I'm peaceful now, put your mind at ease.

I've rested my eyes and gone to sleep,
But memories we've shared are yours to keep.

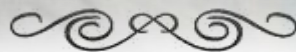
Sometimes our final days may be a test,
But remember me when I was at my best.

Although things may not be the same,
Don't be afraid to use my name.

Let your sorrow last for just a while.
Comfort each other and try to smile.

I've lived a life filled with joy and fun.
Live on now, make me proud of what you'll become.

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



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Gregory E. Furness
Clark, South Dakota



Paul Knock, age 71, Willow Lake, died in the Sanford USD Medical Center on Wednesday afternoon, January 8, 2020 after a brief illness.

He was born on Friday, February 13th 1948 in Lennox, the son of Arthur and Inez (Hassebroek) Knock. He was the oldest of 7 children. They moved to a family farm south west of Willow Lake in the spring of 1957. Paul attended country school for a short while where they walked up hill both ways, east of their home. He then attended and proudly graduated from Willow Lake High School in 1966. After a semester at Northern State University in Aberdeen, he joined the United States Marine Corps. He went to boot camp in San Diego, CA and soon after was shipped off to Vietnam where he did two tours before being discharged in 1971. He spent some time in California and Arizona doing odd jobs until he hitch hiked home to help on the family farm.

On May 27, 1979 he married his "Fancy" Laurie Halvorsen. During the 40 years of marriage he proudly watched their daughters Arrin and Rorie grow up, get married and start their families. He also enjoyed any time he could get spending with his 6 grandchildren and watching their activities.

They formed the Knock Brothers Dairy with siblings, Wally and Richard. In the early 2000's the partnership was dissolved. He spent the summer after that working for Jamie Hohm Construction and then began employment with DAVISCO until January 4, 2019. He spent the last year enjoying the good life and retirement with family and friends.

He'll be long remembered for dressing as a Pirate, being the voice of the "Pirates" announcing football games and famous quotes such as, "Lordy, Lordy" amongst others! He loved good ol Rock n Roll music, his family, friends, sports especially the Raiders and the Kentucky Wildcats. His love for his country never died- once a Marine always a Marine. He was the legion commander for Johnny Fonken post #113 for over 25 years, a duty he was honored to do.

Preceding him in death were his parents and a brother in law Bruce (Doc) Westling.

Survivors include his wife Laurie, a daughter, Arrin (Lane) Wirtjes all of Willow Lake, Rorie (Tyler) Gregor of Black Hawk, SD and grandchildren, Braeden, Masyn, Drake, Charlee, Natasha, and McKinley. He also leaves siblings, Roger (Sharry) Knock of DeSmet, Ruth Westling of Alcester, Tebbo Knock of Brookings, Richard (Crystal) Knock of Bryant, Wallace (Kathy) Knock of Willow Lake, and Ardy (Marty) Conway of Arroyo Grande, CA. Also aunts, uncles, and several nieces and nephews.



Celebrating the Life of Paul Knock



Services from

Grace Lutheran Church
Willow Lake, South Dakota
Monday, January 13, 2020
11:00 AM

Officiants

Reverend Bryan Taffe
Pastor Colin Beveridge

Music

Organist—Dorothy Fuller
"The Lord's Prayer" - Lisa Bruley
"On Eagle's Wings" - Congregational
"Borning Cry" - Congregational

Honorary Casketbearers

Johnny Fonken Legion Post #113

Casketbearers

Roger Knock	Tebbo Knock
Richard Knock	Wallace Knock
Derik Knock	Eric Knock Jared Knock

Interment with Full Military Honors At a Later Date

Collins Cemetery, Willow Lake, South Dakota



*Following the services, please join the family for a lunch
& a time of fellowship in the fellowship area.*