



LaRue D. Goossen

December 15, 1932 - October 17, 2022

LaRue D. Goossen, age 89, of Henderson, formerly Kearney and Gibbon, passed away Monday, October 17, 2022 at Henderson Health Care in Henderson. Memorial services will be on Friday, October 21, 2022 at 10:30 a.m. at the Bethesda Mennonite Church in Henderson, NE. Pastor Chelsea Vaught will officiate and there will be no visitation. Committal services will be later. Memorials are suggested to the family, to be designated later. Please visit www.hlmkfuneral.com to leave a tribute or message of condolence. Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services are in charge of arrangements.

LaRue was born on December 15, 1932 in Henderson, NE to Dan M. and Martha A. (Doell) Goossen. He attended Henderson High School and graduated in 1951. He married Esther A. Plambeck on November 24, 1960 in Boelus, NE. Esther and LaRue lived in Fremont for 2 years, moved to Grand Island for 1 year and then lived in Kearney for 35 years. After retiring they moved to Gibbon in 1998 and continued to live there until moving to Minden in 2019. He had recently moved to Henderson after Esther passed away. LaRue enjoyed reading, bowling, playing cards and dominoes. He enjoyed reminiscing about his time growing up. He was so grateful to be able to spend the last 18 months living in Henderson where he grew up.

LaRue is survived by his children, Shawn Goossen of Northglenn, CO and

Shannon (Michael) McCarty of Fountain, CO; grandchildren, Logan and
McKenzie Ann McCarty;

LaRue was preceded in death by his wife, Esther; parents; brother, Warren
Goossen

Previous Events

Memorial Service

OCT **21**. 10:30 AM (CT)

Bethesda Mennonite Church
930 16th Street
Henderson, NE 68371
<https://bethesdamc.org/>

Tribute Wall



“ *LaRue D. Goossen*

January 29, 2023 at 11:14 AM



“ *Shawn and Shannon...so sorry to hear about your dad. My prayers are with both of you and your family.*

J. Ritchie Morrow - October 23, 2022 at 07:00 PM



“ *Sorry about your loss Shawn I don't know if you remember me but I remember you and your dad sending prayers and Big Hugs to you all*



Ken marienau - October 20, 2022 at 12:42 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of LaRue D. Goossen.*



October 19, 2022 at 11:53 PM

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“ I am saddened to read this news. LaRue was my Sunday School teacher at Kearney First UMC during my high school years. He was a lot of fun, and very kind and caring. My deepest sympathies to his family.

Lori McCammon O'Brien - October 18, 2022 at 03:45 PM