



William "Bill" C. Dunn

April 29, 1934 - September 18, 2017

William C. "Bill" Dunn, 83, of Kearney, died Monday, September 18, 2017 at Brookdale Northridge in Kearney, surrounded by his children. A memorial service will be held at 2:30 p.m., Friday, September 22, 2017 at Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral Home in Kearney. Rev. Dean Pofahl will officiate and burial will follow at the Kearney Cemetery. There will be no visitation. Friends and family are also invited to a gathering in celebration of Bill's life at Rowe Sanctuary, 4:30-7:30 pm Friday, casual dress welcome. Memorials are suggested to Rowe Sanctuary. Please visit www.hlmkfuneral.com to leave a message of condolence. Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral Home in Kearney is in charge of arrangements.

Bill was born on April 29, 1934 to William E. and Mary (Dahl) Dunn in Sioux City, IA. He attended high school in Sloan, Iowa and graduated from Morningside College where he earned a bachelor's degree in Business Administration. Bill served his country during the Korean War as a member of the United States Navy. Later, Bill went back to school and became an electrician, and then a wildlife warden at Rowe Sanctuary. Bill loved traveling and taking photographs of nature and animals.

Surviving relatives include his daughters, Merideth Dunn of Omaha, and Kelly (Mike) Johnson of Lincoln; son, Dan (Rosemary) Dunn of Bethel, CT; step-daughter, Gayle (Jon) Haar of Grand Island; and step-son, Kevin (Julie)

Rumery of Lakewood, CO; sister, Ruth Brenden of Sloan, Iowa; and brother in law, Gary Thomas, Anderson, MO. Grandchildren: Shailana and Janak Dunn-Wall, Omaha, Sean and Grace Johnson, Lincoln, Mike (Megan) Dunn, Washington, D.C., and Elizabeth Dunn, Charlottesville, VA., Josh (Danielle) Keller, Overland Park, KS, and Beth Keller, Grand Island, along with numerous other extended family and friends.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents; longtime partner, Alice Rumery; sister, Dixie Thomas; brother in law, David Brenden.

Cemetery Details

Kearney Cemetery

4400 Avenue I
Kearney, NE 68847

Previous Events

Memorial Service

SEP **22**. 2:30 PM (CT)

Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl
2421 Avenue A
Kearney, NE 68847
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<https://www.hlmkfuneral.com>

Tribute Wall



“ *William "Bill" C. Dunn*

January 29, 2023 at 11:14 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Memorial Video*



Horner Lieske McBride & Kuhl Funeral and Cremation Services - September 28, 2017 at 08:31 AM



“ *I didn't know Bill very well, but from meeting him the first time to visiting with him at Alice's Memorial, I can only say he was one of the most interesting and gentle men I have ever known. We shared an interest in photography and I only wish I would have had more time to learn from his extensive knowledge and experience! I'm saddened by my loss, but relieved that Bill is no longer in pain from this life. Rest In Peace Bill!*

Ken Mumm

Ken Mumm - September 22, 2017 at 11:35 AM



“ *Tammey & Gene Frick lit a candle in memory of William "Bill" C. Dunn*



Tammey & Gene Frick - September 21, 2017 at 01:14 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of William "Bill" C. Dunn.*



September 21, 2017 at 07:46 AM