



Douglas Fred Kaiser

Douglas Fred Kaiser was born January 17, 1957, to Robert and Dorothy Kaiser. Doug attended K-12 in Sturgis and completed a semester at Huron College.

Doug married his high school sweetheart, Linda, on November 12, 1976, at Grace Lutheran Church. Their son, Tyler, was born on July 11, 1992. Doug enjoyed camping and fishing with his family.

Doug excelled in wrestling all through high school and continued coaching AAU wrestling for 20 years. He loved teaching

young wrestlers, and his inspiration led many to victory.

Doug also enjoyed playing softball and spent many summers at the ball fields. He and his wife, Linda, played on a co-ed team where they won 2nd place at a U.S.S.S.A. co-ed State Tournament.

Doug made so many friends through his wrestling and softball years. He always had so many stories to tell, and everybody enjoyed listening to them.

Doug's last place of employment was at Owen's Interstate, where he worked until his death.

Doug lost his very courageous battle to cancer on July 5, 2018. He spent his last 5 days in the comfort of the Lippold Hospice Suite in Sturgis.

Doug is survived by his wife, Linda; son, Tyler; his mother, Dorothy Kaiser; brother, Robert (Marilyn) Kaiser; sister, Lydia (John) Salmen; mother-in-law, Marjorie Jutting; two sisters-in-law, Gail (Randy) Greenwaldt and Kathi (Ross) McPherson; two brothers-in-law, Robert (Donna) Jutting and Dan Jutting; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Doug was preceded in death by his father, Robert Kaiser; sister, Linda Kaiser; niece, Anna Kaiser Westberg; father-in-law, Melvin Jutting; sister-in-law, Nancy Eckhart; and nephews, Jason and Dustin Jutting.

A memorial has been established.

Condolences may be sent to the family at www.kinkadefunerals.com.

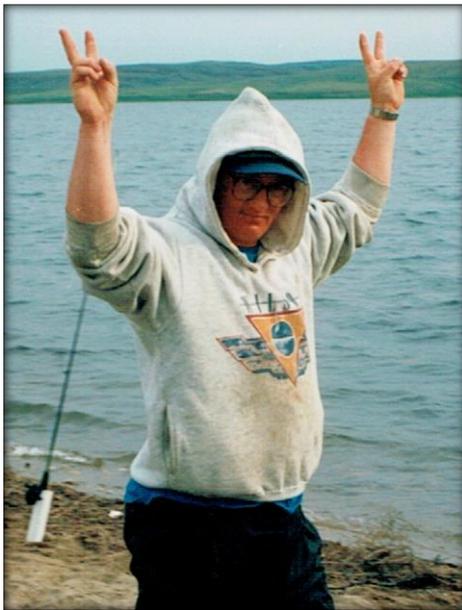


In Loving Memory Of



Douglas Fred Kaiser

1957 ~ 2018



I'm Free

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free
I'm following the path God has laid you see.
I took His hand when I heard His call
I turned my back and left it all.*

*I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work or play.
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found the peace at the close of day.*

*If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joys - -
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss
Oh yes, these things I too will miss.*

*Be not burdened with times of sorrow.
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.
My life's been full, I savored much,
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.*

*Perhaps my time seemed all too brief - -
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.
Lift up your hearts, and peace to thee - -
God wanted me now: He set me free.*

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Born

January 17, 1957
Rapid City, South Dakota

Died

July 5, 2018
Sturgis, South Dakota

Memorial Service

Monday, July 9, 2018, at 11:00 a.m.
Grace Lutheran Church
Sturgis, South Dakota

Officiant

Pastor Kris Garlick

Special Music

Jenn Greenwaldt

Musical Selections

"Dancing In The Sky"
"Arms Of An Angel"

Honorary Pallbearers

Steve Keszler ~ Bernie Tveidt ~ Galen Remington
Derek Williams ~ Joe Valadez ~ Kurt Keffeler
Rich Weisz ~ Terry Keszler
And All Other Friends

*The family invites you to join them for fellowship and lunch in the Son Shine Room
in the church basement following the memorial service.
We thank you for your presence and condolences.*