



Danny Roberts

December 26, 1946 - March 27, 2015

Danny Eugene Roberts, 68, of rural Drakesville, Iowa died March 27, 2015 in an auto accident after suffering a heart attack. He was born December 26, 1946 in Ottumwa, Iowa to Leslie Clair and Dorothy Alice Hopkins Roberts. He married Lynn Ann Huffman September 26, 1981 in Bloomfield. He attended Davis County High School and Indian Hills Community College. Danny helped his father on the family farm from the time he was a young boy and throughout his lifetime. He worked at Barker Poultry in Ottumwa, Cargill in Eddyville, and retired from John Deere Ottumwa Works in 2009, after 32 years on the job. He worked in Department 254 as a sheet metal fabricator. In his spare time he enjoyed hunting, fishing, coaching baseball, watching sports, farming, and visiting with friends and family. He was a devoted grandfather and father.

Left to cherish and honor his memory are his wife Lynn Roberts; daughter, Kimberly (Andrew) Garland of Drakesville; son, James Roberts of Drakesville; three grandchildren, Claire, Connor, and Catelynn Garland; sister, Sandra (Delbert Dale) Cormeny of Ottumwa, Iowa; mother-in-law, Sandra Christy of Bloomfield; several nieces; and a great-nephew.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Pamela Allgood.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 1, 2015 at the Wagler Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Pastor Jim Matheney officiating.

Burial will be at the Wesley Chapel North Cemetery in Davis County. Visitation will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday with the family present to greet friends from 6-8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials have been established to the Davis County Little League, Babe Ruth, High School Baseball Programs, American Heart Association and his family.

Cemetery Details

Wesley Chapel Cemetery

12513 Flax Ave
Drakesville, IA 52552

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 31. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Wagler Funeral Home
304 West Jefferson Street
Bloomfield, IA 52537
(641) 664-3421
<https://www.waglerfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Services

APR 1. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wagler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Danny Roberts*



Wagler Funeral Home - March 29, 2015 at 03:17 PM



“ *Danny Roberts*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *I remember Danny at deere, a really good guy, my grandfather had farmed all his life around ash grove an knew well Clair an their farm. My gg grandparents, James an hannah Proctor are also at wesley chapel cemetery along with my other grandparents the cassills..may they all rip forever more. God Bless*

Ernest gene Irelan - March 29, 2020 at 01:44 PM



I worked with Danny at deere he was in dept 254, I was in welding (robot) .dept 250 Danny us missed good people are all ways a great loss. A friendly conscientious person very quality minded.

Ron Lewis UTSR Local 74 - December 21, 2023 at 05:24 PM

GS

“ I remember little Danny,he worked with sheet steel in departments 1&6, at JDOW. I made tool and die set-ups for him.He was a hard worker, always had a smile and was very friendly. I am certain that his family and friends will miss him.With heart felt condolences.
GeneSundquist ("Pee Wee")

Gene Sundquist - March 28, 2020 at 05:57 PM



“ Kimberly & James,

I'm so sorry for the loss of your dad. He was a wonderful person. I will always remember the kindness of your dad. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Jessica Glosser Chickering

Jessica Chickering - April 01, 2015 at 10:36 AM

SN

“ LYNN,
THE SUDDEN LOSS OF A LOVED ONE IS VERY DIFFICULT TO UNDERSTAND, MY THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.

SUE NOEL

SUE NOEL - April 01, 2015 at 09:12 AM

RH

“ Lynn & Family,
I'm so very, very sorry for the loss of Danny, and sorry I could not attend the funeral service and express my sympathy in person. You all are in my thoughts and prayers.
Love,
Rusty Huggins

Rusty Huggins - April 01, 2015 at 08:36 AM

AN

“ I will always remember Danny with happiness and joy . His eyes sparkled with energy and his face would light up with an almost mischievous grin. It makes me smile just to remember him that way.

Andi

Andi - March 30, 2015 at 07:59 PM

JR

“ My first few months was working 2-man jobs with Danny on the press brake. He was a good guy. We talked a lot over the years about work, sports and our personal lives. He'll be missed.

Jesse Riley - March 30, 2015 at 03:52 PM

JB

“ My deepest condolence and sympathy! Danny was a great guy to be around. I met him right after I got hired at John Deere as my grandpa Franklin Huber had told me to look him up. I really enjoyed visiting about hunting and ball with him. He was as high of caliber as they come! There needs to be more Dannys for sure!!

Jeremy Breckenridge - March 28, 2015 at 02:11 PM

JG

My sympathy to Lynn, Sandra and family I will always remember all the good times we had growing up together and school days at Oak Springs I will remember those days and Danny with fond memories.
Judy Wheeler Gettings

Judith Gettings - March 29, 2015 at 12:20 PM

DG

our hearts go out to you all danny was a good man and I know youll miss him may god be with you and give you peace love and prayers
deb glosser

deb glosser - March 29, 2015 at 04:18 PM

ST

I send you my heart felt condolences. Danny was a kind and genuine man that I am proud to have as part of our family. I might not be able to be there in person, but I am there in spirit during your grief and sadness. I love you all and will pray that god will guide and lift you during your time of need. God bless you all and may god embrace his newest angel.

Shawn Townsend - March 29, 2015 at 10:20 PM

MP

Our sympathies, Lynn and family. We will always remember Danny and the many hours he helped with the Little League program and coaching youth baseball.

Mark and Cindy Prevo - March 30, 2015 at 07:28 AM

RS

Lynn and family, our hearts were sadden the day we heard about your beloved husband and father. Ron and I have been reminiscing about the good old days ;) I ask Ron if he was going to wear his ball uniform to the funeral. Danny will be missed by all ,yes he was a very honest and happy man.. Love and prayers Lynn and family
Ron and Mona Schooley

ron and mona schooley - March 30, 2015 at 10:22 PM

DW

Our sympathy goes out to you all. We will fondly remember Danny always with a smile. May God wrap you all in his loving arms during this most difficult time. Heaven has gained a wonderful man to coach all of those young ones gone before their time. Prayers.

Doug & Connie White - March 31, 2015 at 08:07 AM

NK

Lynn, I am so sorry to hear about Danny. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Nola Hockersmith Kean - April 01, 2015 at 10:08 AM