



Max Proctor

June 19, 1942 - July 12, 2018

Max Leo Proctor, 76, of Drakesville, Iowa passed away on July 12, 2018 at his home. He was born on June 19, 1942 in Ottumwa, Iowa to Vaughn Leo and Mabel Irene White Proctor. He graduated from Bloomfield High School with the class of 1960. On September 1, 1963 he married Kay Martin at the Savannah Christian Church. The couple celebrated over 54 years of marriage together and raised three children: Vonda, Sharol, and Greg.

Max was a farmer, raising livestock and crops. He was also a Davis County Supervisor for 16 years, retiring on December 30, 2010. Max was very active within the community, serving on the board for the Rathbun Rural Water Association, Mutchler Community Center, Soapcreek Watershed, ASCS, Davis County Fair, REC, and Pork Producers, among many others. He was also a member of the Cattleman's Association, Sheep Producers, and the Davis County Farm Bureau. In addition, he was a member of the Drakesville United Methodist Church, formerly serving on the building committee, as a lay leader, on the pastor/parish relations committee, and as a trustee.

Max's favorite things to do were farming, being around people, taking pictures, and spending time with his family. He will be greatly missed by his family, friends, and community.

He is survived by his wife, Kay Proctor; two daughters, Vonda (Jerry) Wehr of

Shueyville, Iowa, and Sharol (Mark) Fowler of Bloomfield; son, Greg (Margie) Proctor of Bloomfield; six grandchildren, Kelsi (Ryan) Simpson, Kaitlin Roberts, Kylie (Cory) La Rue, Colton Roberts, Austin Proctor, and Zack Proctor; five great-grandchildren, Scarlett and Sadie Simpson and Tavian, Otto, and Brigham La Rue; brother, Gene (Kathy) Proctor of Trafalgar, Indiana; and a sister, JoElla Cossel of Bloomfield.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, July 17, 2018 at the Wagler Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Max's nephew, Matt Proctor, officiating. Burial will be at the Drakesville Cemetery. Visitation will begin at 9:00 a.m. on Monday with the family present to greet friends from 5-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials have been established to the Ozark Christian College in Joplin, Missouri and the Mutchler Community Center in Bloomfield.

Cemetery Details

Drakesville Cemetery

Drakesville, IA 52552

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Visitation

JUL 16. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wagler Funeral Home
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Funeral Services

JUL 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Max Proctor*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *So sorry Kay... Thinking of you and the girls. You were such good friends of my Mom, she was so happy when you and Max came to her retirement party. Mom would be very sad to know this. I hope good memories bring you all some peace.*

Paula Bailey (Gay's daughter)

Paula Bailey - August 21, 2018 at 01:01 PM



“ *We wish to extend our sympathy to Kay, Jo Ella and other family members for your loss of Max. He was a fine man and a schoolmate to Jerry and I. We are sorry we could not attend his funeral.*

Helen Black - July 19, 2018 at 10:00 PM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Max Proctor.*



July 17, 2018 at 05:36 PM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Max Proctor.*



July 16, 2018 at 09:52 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy for your loss. May you find strength and peace from God in the difficult days and weeks ahead. Marilyn Downing*

Marilyn Downing - July 16, 2018 at 10:04 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Max Proctor.*



July 16, 2018 at 09:18 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Max Proctor.*



July 16, 2018 at 07:50 AM

CP

“ Oh, the kindness of Max and Kay to a very young farm couple starting out life on Soap Creek. They soon became best of friends. While we are going to miss him so much, it is such a sweet assurance to know we get to spend eternity with Max through the cleansing blood of Jesus! May God draw near to bring you peace, strength and comfort and may precious memories come to mind when you need them the most.

God Bless,
Carla Nalley Petersen

Carla Petersen - July 16, 2018 at 07:35 AM

KL

“ Vonda,
You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers at this difficult time. May the memories of your Dad sustain you the weeks ahead. Blessings and hugs surrounding you. Love you friend, Kellie Lala

Kellie Lala - July 16, 2018 at 07:23 AM

JH

“ Jeff, Bernadette, Paris & Alexis Hookham purchased the European Sympathy Dish Garden for the family of Max Proctor.



Jeff, Bernadette, Paris & Alexis Hookham - July 14, 2018 at 11:06 PM

TF

“ *The Gene & Kathy Proctor Family purchased the Cherished Memories - Multicolor Pastel for the family of Max Proctor.*



The Gene & Kathy Proctor Family - July 14, 2018 at 09:29 AM



“ *Healing Tears - All White was purchased for the family of Max Proctor.*



July 14, 2018 at 12:14 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Max Proctor.*



July 13, 2018 at 08:02 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Max Proctor.*



July 13, 2018 at 07:19 PM

LY

“ Lynnroberts lit a candle in memory of Max Proctor



lynnroberts - July 13, 2018 at 06:05 PM

LY

“ Hi. Thier. Kay. I. Am. Sorry to. Hear. That. Max. Past. Away. I. Will. Always. Remember and. You. Livening. Close bye. Me. On. The. Being. My. Neighbor. My. Sympathy. To. You. And. The. Family. Lynn roberts

lynnroberts - July 13, 2018 at 06:05 PM

RM

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers go out for the entire family.

Ron Morgan - July 13, 2018 at 05:08 PM



“ Multicolor Bright Large Sympathy Vase Arrangement was purchased for the family of Max Proctor.



July 13, 2018 at 04:29 PM

KD

“ Sharon and family, so sorry to hear of your loss. Sympathies and prayers.

Kendra and Dennis - July 13, 2018 at 04:22 PM

TC

“ *Our hearts are broken at the news of Max's passing. His laugh will always be remembered. One time our church went roller skating when Nora and Maria were little. He would carry them around the rink...pigtails flying in the breeze. He was a good friend and will be greatly missed. Prayers go out to the family.*

Teddy and Mary Cary - July 13, 2018 at 03:01 PM